

RESOLUTION NO. 1311

A RESOLUTION OF THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SALISBURY TRANSFERRING FUNDS FROM THE CITY'S CONTINGENCY TO HELP MAINTAIN BATHROOM SERVICE FOR SHORE TRANSIT'S AFTER-HOURS RIDERS AT THE SALISBURY TRANSFER POINT

WHEREAS, Shore Transit, a regional transit system serving the three Lower Shore Counties, has experienced funding shortfalls; and

WHEREAS, Shore Transit has decided to close the restrooms that serve the Salisbury Transfer Point after their administrative staff's working hours in order to make up for this funding shortfall; and

WHEREAS, business owners in the vicinity of the transfer point have experienced incidents of bus riders going to the bathroom on their property because of the lack of bathroom facilities, creating a health hazard; and

WHEREAS, Shore Transit estimates that it would cost \$20,000 to maintain after-hour restroom service at this location through June 2006; and

WHEREAS, the Tri-County Council has requested that the City make a \$5,000 contribution to help maintain this service and has made a similar request of the Wicomico County Health Department and Wicomico County; and

WHEREAS, the Tri-County Council has indicated a willingness to also contribute \$5,000 if the other organizations are willing to make contributions; and

WHEREAS, the Salisbury City Council has previously made a contribution to help resolve this problem by means of refunding to Shore Transit \$2,592 that it had paid for its use of parking facilities in the City's Parking Lot #10; and

WHEREAS, the Mayor and City Council strongly desire to cooperate with the Tri-County Council in having this matter resolved.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the City Council approves the following transfer of funds from the City's Contingency:

- 1) Decrease account #90500-559500 (City's Contingency) by \$ 2,500; and
- 2) Increase account #13025-139222 (Shore Transit/Community Promotions) by \$ 2,500.

AND, BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that this additional contribution, when added to the previous contribution, brings the City's total contribution to Shore Transit to \$5,092.

THE ABOVE RESOLUTION was introduced and read and passed at a regular meeting of the Salisbury City Council held on the 10<sup>th</sup> day of October, 2005, and is to become effective immediately upon adoption.

ATTEST:

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Brenda J. Colegrove  
City Clerk

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Michael P. Dunn, President  
Salisbury City Council

APPROVED BY ME THIS:  
\_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2005

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Barrie P. Tilghman, Mayor