## Prince William County TRAILS AND BLUEWAYS COUNCIL

Advisors to the Board of County Supervisors

MOTION: Lynda Silverstrand September 26, 2023

SECOND: Eileen Sheridan Regular Meeting Res. No. 23-5

RE: APPROVE MEMBER JOE MARSHALL'S REQUEST TO PARTICIPATE

REMOTELY THROUGH ELECTRONIC COMMUNICATION MEANS

## **ACTION:**

**WHEREAS**, the Prince William County Trails and Blueways Council adopted a policy

pursuant to Section 2.2-3708.2, VA Code Ann., to allow for remote participation by Members of the Board; and

WHEREAS, in accordance with the Council's policy, Joe Marshall notified the Chair that he (the MEMBER) is requesting permission from the Council to electronically participate at the Council's September 26, 2023 meeting; and

## **WHEREAS**, the Member certified that (check A or B):

A. \_\_\_\_\_\_the Member is unable to attend the meeting due to (i) a temporary or permanent disability or other medical condition that prevents the Member's physical attendance or (ii) a family member's medical condition that requires the member to provide care for such family member, thereby preventing the member's physical attendance; OR

B. \_\_XXX\_\_\_the Member is unable to attend the meeting due to the following specifically identified personal matter: Personal Travel to Missouri.

AND the Member has not already participated electronically due to a personal reason in excess of two meeting this calendar year, or 25 percent of the meetings held per calendar year rounded up to the next whole number, whichever is greater; and

**WHEREAS**, the remote location from which the Member plans to electronically participate is his unit at the Holiday Inn Club Vacations Timber Creek Resort in DeSoto, MO; and this remote location will/will not (circle one) be open to the public (need not be open to the public); and

WHEREAS, the Member verifies that the Member's participation in any closed session of the meeting shall remain confidential and not be disclosed to any

unauthorized persons or entities; and

**WHEREAS**, pursuant to the Council's policy, a request for electronic participation from a remote location shall be approved unless participation violates the Council's policy or any provisions of the Virginia Freedom of Information Act;

## NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Prince William County

Trails and Blueways Council does approve the request to participate in the meeting through electronic communication means in accordance with the Council's policy; a quorum of the Council was physically assembled at one primary or central meeting location; and arrangements were made for the voice of the Member to be heard by all persons at the primary or central meeting location.

**Votes:** 

**Ayes:** 8 **Nays:** 0

**Absent from Vote:** 0 **Absent from Meeting:** 5

For Information: County Attorney

ATTEST: <u>Elizabeth Cronauec</u>

Elizabeth Cronauer, Chair, Prince William Trails and Blueways Council