

## **SOUND TRANSIT**

### **RESOLUTION NO. R2007-18**

A RESOLUTION of the Board of the Central Puget Sound Regional Transit Authority to recognize and commend Doug MacDonald for his exemplary career in public service on the occasion of his retirement from the Washington State Department of Transportation as Secretary of Transportation.

WHEREAS, Doug MacDonald has had a stellar career as a leader in the public sector having a major role in the history of highway projects in the State of Washington; and

WHEREAS, Doug MacDonald served as the Secretary of the Washington State Department of Transportation for a period of six years; and

WHEREAS, Doug MacDonald served as a member of the Sound Transit Board of Directors for a period of six years; and

WHEREAS, Doug MacDonald, a native Washingtonian, has left his mark on innumerable transportation projects in the Central Puget Sound region and the State of Washington; and

WHEREAS, Doug MacDonald has been a good friend of public transit; and

WHEREAS, Doug MacDonald has continued to offer his advice and counsel to Sound Transit Board members and staff throughout the implementation period of Sound Transit's first phase of regional high-capacity transit investments; and

WHEREAS, Doug MacDonald's leadership contributed to the success of transportation projects in Sound Move, including the direct access program requiring a close, working partnership between Sound Transit and the Washington State Department of Transportation, thereby allowing buses and carpools to access the regional high occupancy vehicle (HOV) lane system and thus improving transit speed and reliability by way of new interchanges and HOV

lanes, including the Bellevue Access projects, the Lynnwood, Ash Way, Federal Way, Sunset Interchanges, SR 900 HOV lanes, Eastgate and Canyon Park; and

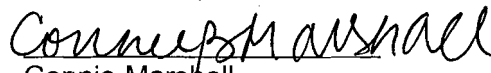
WHEREAS, Doug MacDonald was a significant influence in the development and environmental approval of R8-A for improved transit mobility on I-90; and

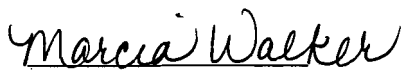
WHEREAS, Doug MacDonald is a leader, whose foresight and vision have benefited all citizens in the State of Washington.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Board of the Central Puget Sound Regional Transit Authority does hereby extend its best wishes and sincere thanks to Doug MacDonald for his long and continuing career in public service, for his leadership and service as a member of the Sound Transit Board of Directors, for his many accomplishments in the transportation field, and his long-standing support for public transit.

ADOPTED by the Board of the Central Puget Sound Regional Transit Authority at a regular meeting thereof held on July 26, 2007.

ATTEST:

  
Connie Marshall  
Board Vice Chair

  
Marcia Walker  
Board Administrator