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Joint Board Matter

Mason District Supervisor Penny Gross and Franconia District Supervisor Rodney Lusk

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Mr. Chairman – With Board approval, Supervisor Gross and I are requesting a waiver of the application fees for permits associated with the flea markets conducted by the Springfield-Franconia Host Lions Club, Springfield Global Lions Club, and Alexandria Asian American Lions Club. The Board has approved waiver requests for the Lions Clubs annually since 1994, and these three clubs have collaborated to submit a joint fee waiver request for 2023.

The flea markets will be held at the Backlick Road VRE Station parking lot on Saturdays and Sundays from March to November in 2023. All net proceeds generated by the flea markets are returned to the community.

The Lions Clubs provide a portion of the funds generated by the flea markets to charitable organizations including Koinonia, ECHO, Second Story, Juvenile Diabetes Association, Foundation Fighting Blindness, the Virginia Lions Eye Institute Foundation (VLEIF), and local food banks. They also work to provide community members in need with eye exams, eyeglasses, and hearing aids through direct contributions and by partnering with the Northern Virginia Eyeglass Recycling Center, VLEIF, and MyEyeDoctor.

The Springfield-Franconia Host Lions Club, Springfield Global Lions Club, and Alexandria Asian American Lions Club respectfully requested that the Board support their fee waiver applications for 2023, and have shared their appreciation to our continued support.

Mr. Chairman, Supervisor Gross and I move that the Board waive the application fees for permits associated with the Springfield-Franconia Host Lions Club, Springfield Global Lions Club, and Alexandria Asian

American Lions Club 2023 flea markets as held on the dates included in this Board Matter.

Springfield-Franconia Host Lions Club: March 11 & 25, April 9 & 23, May 14 & 28, June 11 & 25, Aug 13 & 27, Sept 10 & 24 and Oct 8 & 22

Alexandria Asian American Lions Club: March 18; April 1, 15 & 29; May 6 & 29; June 3 & 17; July 1, 15 & 29; Aug 5 & 19; September 2, 16 & 30; October 7 & 21, and November 4 & 11

Springfield Global Lions Club: April 2, 16 and 30, May 7 and 21, June 4 and 18, July 2, 16 and 30, August 13 and 27, Sept 10 and 24, October 8 and 22, November 5