



**MINUTES OF THE
MARYLAND TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION
October 5, 2011**

The September meeting of the Maryland Transportation Commission was held on Wednesday, October 5 at 9:30AM. The members met at Martin State Airport. The following members were present.

Vice Chairman Mario VillaSanta
Bill Cox
Ed Ellis
Elmer Horsey
Jack Luskin
Michael Moore
Carol Petzold
Kathy Riley
Gary Simpson
Greg Snook
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Vice Chairman VillaSanta called the meeting to order at 10:47AM. Mr. VillaSanta asked if there were any dedication requests.

Mr. Beam presented an application from Mr. Thomas Yeager, on behalf of his father, the late Maryland State Senator Thomas M. Yeager via the office of State Senator Allen Kittleman. Senator Yeager served as Senator from 1983-1992, and was an active member of the Howard County Community. The request is for a dedication of a portion of MD 32 in proximity to the Sanner Road intersection.

The MTC voted unanimously to respectfully not recommend the approval of this dedication request. The rationale from the Commission stated, with due respect to Senator Yeager and his family, MD 32 has been previously dedicated to both former Maryland State Senator Robert Kittleman and to Howard County Police Corporal Thomas Wheeler. The State Highway Administration's Office of Traffic and Safety concurs with this opinion. While outside the direct purvey of the MTC, it was discussed among the Commissioners that this request could possibly be a more appropriate dedication on Sanner Road itself as a potential Howard County dedication.

The Commission then undertook an extensive tour of the Martin State Airport facilities. The tour was concluded at 11:31AM as to allow members of the State Roads Commission to attend their meeting on site. The next meeting will be held November 2, 2011 at MDOT HQ.