## RESOLUTION

## **Public Comment Rules during an ESVBA Board of Directors meeting**

**WHEREAS**, pursuant to the authority provided by §§ 2.2-4303(G) of the Code of Virginia, the Eastern Shore of Virginia Broadband Authority ("the Authority") has determined to adopt certain procedures to be followed in administrating public comment during public board meetings;

**NOW THEREFORE, BE IT HEREBY RESOLVED,** that during a meeting of the Eastern Shore of Virginia Broadband Authority's Board of Directors:

- 1. Public comments shall not address matters on the public hearing calendar for the day.
- 2. No individual citizen shall be permitted to address the Board for more than four (4) minutes.
- 3. The chairman shall allocate the time among the speakers in an equitable manner.
- 4. Specific questions should be resolved prior to the meeting by contacting a Board member or the appropriate staff member.
- 5. Questions shall be directed to the Chairman, who will, at his/her discretion, solicit the response from the appropriate person.

The Chair has the right and duty to maintain proper order in accordance with these rules.

Adopted this the <u>23rd</u> day of <u>September</u>, 2021