

**RESOLUTION ON APPOINTMENT TO THE
NEW RIVER VALLEY EMERGENCY COMMUNICATIONS
REGIONAL AUTHORITY**

WHEREAS, the New River Valley Emergency Communications Regional Authority (the Authority) consists of five members who are responsible for the management and operation of the Authority – each of the political subdivisions have the right to appoint one member, and one at-large member is appointed jointly by the Virginia Tech Board of Visitors, the Blacksburg and Christiansburg Town Councils, and the Montgomery County Board of Supervisors; and

WHEREAS, on June 6, 2023, Virginia Tech appointed Michael J. Mulhare, interim Associate Vice President for Public Safety, as the university's representative to the Authority for a four-year term beginning September 1, 2023, and expiring August 31, 2027; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Mulhare will retire from Virginia Tech on August 31, 2025, and to succeed Mr. Mulhare, Virginia Tech desires to appoint Amy Orders, Associate Vice President for Public Safety, as the Virginia Tech representative for a four-year term beginning September 1, 2025, and expiring August 31, 2029;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that upon the retirement of Michael J. Mulhare, interim Associate Vice President for Public Safety at Virginia Tech on August 31, 2025, Amy Orders, the new Associate Vice President for Public Safety, be appointed as the university's representative to and member on the New River Valley Emergency Communications Regional Authority for a four-year term effective September 1, 2025, and expiring August 31, 2029.

RECOMMENDATION:

That the resolution recommending that Amy Orders, Associate Vice President for Public Safety, be appointed to succeed Michael J. Mulhare as the university's representative to the New River Valley Emergency Communications Regional Authority Board of Directors for a four-year term effective September 1, 2025, and expiring August 31, 2029, be approved.

August 20, 2025