



**Press Release**

## Veolia Transportation Awarded Contract Renewal in Raleigh, NC

Company has been operating service for 20 years

**Raleigh, NC, November 30, 2011** – Veolia Transportation announced today the company will continue to operate the Capital Area Transit (CAT) fixed route bus service, after being awarded a management contract renewal for three years, with two (1) year options.

In making the announcement, long time Veolia General Manager Scott McClellan said, “This is an exciting time for us as we move toward the next three years. We are proud to continue our long-standing relationship with CAT and the Raleigh community.” McClellan also said Veolia will continue to bring innovations to the CAT service that will provide the highest levels of safety and service.

In May 2011 the 190 CAT employees and 89 vehicles moved to a new \$30 million transit facility that accommodates operations and maintenance. The new facility was built by the city and replaced the old facility built in the late 1970's. The maintenance building is expected to earn a LEEDS Platinum certification. Designed with future expansion in mind, the new facility will be able to accommodate up to 200 vehicles.

### **About Veolia Transportation**

Based in Lombard, IL, Veolia Transportation is the largest private-sector operator of multiple modes of transit in North America, including bus, rail, paratransit, shuttle, and sedan and taxi services, via its Transit, Rail and On-Demand Divisions. Veolia Transportation is committed to setting the standard in safe and sustainable mobility solutions through partnerships with cities and transit authorities.

The company is part of the Veolia Environnement companies in North America, with 30,000 North American employees, providing sustainable environmental solutions in water management, waste services, energy management, and passenger transportation.

### **About Veolia Transdev**

Veolia Transdev is a subsidiary of Veolia Environment and Caisse des Dépôts, the parent company of Veolia Transportation and the leading global private sector company in sustainable multi-modal mobility. Veolia Transdev works with the public transport networks of regional and local authorities from pre-planning stages through to daily operation – including project management and design. With 119,000 staff across 27 countries, the group operates 60,000 vehicles and 26 light rail networks.

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