June 8, 2007

Mr. Joseph H. Maroon, Director Virginia Dept. of Conservation and Recreation 203 Governor's Street, Suite 203 Richmond, VA 23219-2094

**Re:** Jordan River Scenic River Nomination

Dear Mr. Maroon:

At their regular meeting of June 4, 2007, the Rappahannock County Board of Supervisors met and considered a citizen-initiated request that they support the designation of the Jordan River in Rappahannock County as a State Scenic River. It is our understanding that this process is initiated at the Department of Conservation and Recreation by a request from the local governing body.

The Rappahannock County Comprehensive Plan strongly supports the designation of State Scenic Rivers, and we have enjoyed a positive experience with the designation of the Rappahannock River.

Accordingly, the Rappahannock County Board of Supervisors voted unanimously to support the nomination of the Jordan River as a State Scenic River, and hereby requests that the Department of Conservation and Recreation proceed with its evaluation.

Please do not hesitate to contact me should you or your staff require any additional information or supporting materials.

Thank you.

Sincerely,

John W. McCarthy County Administrator

cc: The Hon. Mark D. Obenshain, Senate of Virginia The Hon. C. Todd Gilbert, House of Delegates