

GOVERNMENT AND BUSINESS CLIMATE

Virginia's Right to Work Law: Support maintaining Virginia's Right to Work law.

Integrity of the Dillon Rule: Support maintaining the integrity of the Dillon Rule.

Hybrid Public Meetings and Testimony: Support continuing the practice of virtual and hybrid General Assembly committee and subcommittee meetings and accepting online testimony and comments.



ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT

Broaden and Diversify the Economic Base: Support economic development programs to broaden and diversify the economic base.

Business Growth with Incentives: Support appropriate incentives for businesses of all sizes, recognizing that smaller businesses grow when supported.

Locality Preference in Procurement: Encourage the General Assembly to allow localities to give preference to local businesses in the procurement processes.



HOUSING AFFORDABILITY AND WORKFORCE HOUSING

Housing Supply and Attainable Housing: Support efforts to increase housing supply and ensure access to safe and attainable housing options for vulnerable Virginians.

Regional Approach to Housing Affordability: Support a regional approach to housing affordability, focusing resources where needs are greater.

Virginia Housing Trust Fund: Support the creation of a dedicated funding stream for the Virginia Housing Trust Fund and an increase in its budget.



LAND USE, ZONING, AND PLANNING

Over-Regulation in Land Use: Oppose tying other regulations to land use that add burdens and uncertainties, making Virginia less competitive.

Land Use as a Tool for Non-Related Regulations: Oppose using site plans and land use processes for regulating areas like labor relations.



TRANSPORTATION

Multi-Modal Transportation Projects: Call upon the General Assembly to provide local and regional funding for multi-modal transportation projects in Arlington and Northern Virginia.

WMATA Funding: Encourage fair funding solutions to WMATA's structural budget gap, including those proposed by the DMV Moves Initiative.

Aviation, Port, and Highway Facilities: Support the development and maintenance of aviation, port, and highway facilities, enhancing passenger service and multi-modal connections.



BUSINESS AND COMMUNITY INFRASTRUCTURE

Infrastructure Deployment: Support investments to maintain, improve and deploy public and technological infrastructure.

Public Internet Authorities: Oppose establishing public internet authorities that could limit private innovation.



ENERGY AND THE ENVIRONMENT

Robust Energy Infrastructure: Support the development of energy infrastructure in Commonwealth needed to meet growing demand and encourage availability of a diverse range of energy choices to consumers.

Local Authority in Energy Regulation: Ask that the Commonwealth prevent localities from regulating energy consumption and usage.

Voluntary, Incentive-Based Energy Efficiency Programs: Support voluntary, incentive-based programs for shared energy efficiency goals.



TAXES AND FISCAL POLICY

Tax Structure for Economic Growth: Support a comprehensive examination and modernization of Virginia's tax structure.



EDUCATION AND WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT

Education with Workforce Needs: Promote policies that position Virginia as a leader in workforce readiness by aligning education with workforce needs.

Licensure Flexibility: Encourage the General Assembly to establish streamlined paths to convert workforce credentials from other states and the United States military to appropriate state licenses.

Universal Quality Pre-K Education: Encourage the General Assembly to support universal, quality pre-K education.



HOSPITALITY AND TOURISM

ABC Laws for Community Benefit: Request streamlined ABC laws that benefit restaurants.

