WASHINGTON COUNTY
BOARD OF SUPERVISORS
AGENDA - TUESDAY, JULY 14, 2026

Board of Supervisors - Regular Meeting **6:30 PM**

Board of Supervisors Auditorium
County Government Building
1 Government Center Place,
Abingdon, VA 24210

Dwayne Ball**, Chairman**
Randy Pennington**, Vice Chairman**
Lee Brannon**, Board Member**
Charlie Hargis Jr.**, Board Member**
Saul A Hernandez**, Board Member**
David Matlock**, Board Member**
Phillip B McCall**, Board Member**
Jason Berry**, County Administrator**
Brandon Snodgrass**, County Attorney**
Tammy Sturgill**, Director of Budget & Finance**
Alicia Roland**, Executive Assistant**

1. **CALL TO ORDER**

2. **INVOCATION AND PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE**
   -- CHAIRMAN DWAYNE BALL

3. **APPROVAL OF MEETING AGENDA**
   A. **Consideration for Approval of Meeting Agenda**

4. **PRESENTATION**
   A. **Presentation by David Rose with Davenport & Company.**

5. **PUBLIC HEARINGS**
   A.
   <u>Brendan & Concetta McSheehy, Tax Map #s 124-10-3A, 124-10-4, 124-10-5</u>: Request for rezoning of approximately 9.53 acres of property, located next to 18158 Old Jonesboro Rd, Abingdon, VA 24211, from the R-2 (Residential, General) zoning district to the A-2 (Agricultural, General) zoning district, Madison Magisterial District, Madison (C-21) and Wilson (G-21) Election Districts.

   B.
   <u>David R. Wall, Tax Map # 070A-6-3A</u>: Request for a Special Exception Permit for Multiple-family dwelling units, apartments, on approximately .45 acres of property located next to 33448 Bunker Hill Lane, Glade Spring, VA 24340, in the B-2 (Business, General) zoning district, Monroe Magisterial District, Monroe (D-21) Election District.

   C. **Public Hearing on Enterprise Zone Boundary Amendment**

   D. **Resolution 2026-24 Requesting the Circuit Court of Washington County to Order a Referendum to be held on November 3, 2026, on the question on whether Washington County shall be authorized to levy a one percent local retail sales tax for capital projects for the construction and major renovation for schools.**

6. **PUBLIC COMMENT**
   A. **Public Comments**

7. **CONSENT AGENDA**
   A. **APPROVAL OF MINUTES**

   B. **Consideration of Request for Surplus of County Vehicles**
      --Presenter: Sheriff's Office

   C. **Supplemental Appropriation**
      --Presenter: Tammy Sturgill

D. AEP Easement and Right of Way

E. Emergency Services payment request
--Presenter: Tammy Sturgill

8. GENERAL BUSINESS

A. Supplemental Appropriation/Budget Transfer
---Presenter: Tammy Sturgill

B. Resolution in Support of 2026 VDOT Smart Scale Funding Application

C. Performance Agreement for Stuart-Rush LLC
- Brandon Snodgrass

D. Appointment to the Board of Social Services for the Jefferson District.

E. Temporary Construction Easement Release for Washington County Board and Thompson and Litton for Creeper Trail improvements.

9. BOARD MEMBER REPORTS

A. Board Member Reports

10. BOARD INFORMATION AND REMINDERS

A. BOARD INFORMATION AND REMINDERS

11. ADJOURN OR RECESS

A. ADJOURN OR RECESS THE MEETING

AGENDA ITEM NO. 3.A

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BOARD OF SUPERVISORS AGENDA ITEM REPORT

DATE:	July 14, 2026
SUBMITTED BY:	Alicia Roland , County Administrator
ITEM TYPE:	Action Item
AGENDA SECTION:	APPROVAL OF MEETING AGENDA
SUBJECT:	Consideration for Approval of Meeting Agenda
SUGGESTED MOTION:	The Board is asked their Consideration for the Approval of the Meeting Agenda.
BACKGROUND AND SUMMARY:	
ATTACHMENTS:	

AGENDA ITEM NO. 4.A

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BOARD OF SUPERVISORS AGENDA ITEM REPORT

DATE: July 14, 2026

SUBMITTED BY: Alicia Roland , County Administrator

ITEM TYPE: Information Item

AGENDA SECTION: PRESENTATION

SUBJECT: Presentation by David Rose with Davenport & Company.

SUGGESTED MOTION:

BACKGROUND AND SUMMARY:

Presentation by David Rose with Davenport & Company. David will present the financial analysis pertaining to the potential 1% Sales Tax Referendum for School Construction.

ATTACHMENTS:

AGENDA ITEM NO. 5.A

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BOARD OF SUPERVISORS AGENDA ITEM REPORT

DATE: July 14, 2026

SUBMITTED BY: Stephen Richardson , Zoning

ITEM TYPE: Public Hearing

AGENDA SECTION: PUBLIC HEARINGS

SUBJECT:

Brendan & Concetta McSheehy, Tax Map #s 124-10-3A, 124-10-4, 124-10-5: Request for rezoning of approximately 9.53 acres of property, located next to 18158 Old Jonesboro Rd, Abingdon, VA 24211, from the R-2 (Residential, General) zoning district to the A-2 (Agricultural, General) zoning district, Madison Magisterial District, Madison (C-21) and Wilson (G-21) Election Districts.

SUGGESTED MOTION: Motion to granted the rezoning, or motion to deny the rezoning.

BACKGROUND AND SUMMARY:

The applicant has a potential purchaser of the property that wishes to build a residence and use the property for agricultural activities. These parcels, and most properties in this area are in agricultural use. They are pre-existing non-conforming. These parcels and adjoining parcels have been in agricultural use preceding the enactment of zoning in the county. These properties are restricted from expanding any agricultural activities, or building agricultural structures because of the R-2 zoning. All adjoining properties are in the R-2 zoning district.

The Planning Commission recommended granting the request for rezoning. The vote was 5-0 (Rehfuss, Widener, Gibson, Edins, Mumpower).

ATTACHMENTS:

County of Washington, Virginia
Department of Zoning Administration

APPLICATION FOR REZONING
Non-Refundable Application Fee - $50

The following items must be submitted with this form before application may be processed.
Please bring the following items with you when submitting your application form.

1. Copy of survey plat(s) and/or deed(s) to the parcel(s) requested for rezoning.
2. Completed *Adjoining Property Owner(s) List* form.
3. Completed *Project Questionnaire* included on page four of the application.
4. A site plan/development plan outlining features of the proposed use of the property (if new construction is proposed). Please submit 8.5"x11" size copies. The following items should be included on the plan:
   - Title, preparer, and date of plan
   - Property lines and dimensions
   - Easements affecting the property
   - Physical features such as flood plains
   - Setbacks, dimensions, floor area, and height of all existing and proposed buildings
   - Dimension and locations of existing and proposed roads, driveways, entrances/exits, and parking areas (please label number of parking spaces on plan)
   - Location and description of site features such as landscaping, lighting, and signage (if proposed).
5. A letter of favorable review for a commercial entrance permit issued by the Virginia Department of Transportation must be submitted for all commercial and/or industrial projects. If a commercial entrance exists, please provide a copy of the existing permit and documentation from the Virginia Department of Transportation that the existing entrance is adequate for the proposed project.

Additional Notes:

- Following approval of the rezoning application, your project may require additional permits issued through the Building and Development Services Department. Please contact this department to discuss permits that may be required for the construction of your project at (276) 525-1320.
- You are encouraged to contact the Planning Commissioner and Supervisor for your district to discuss your project. Please let county staff know if you need help with contact information for these individuals.
- **You (or a designated representative) are strongly encouraged to attend all public hearings for your project. Failure to appear may result in the delay of the application.**

Applicant Information

Applicant Name: Brendan & Concetta McSheehy, Jr.

Applicant Contact Information:
18158 Old Jonesboro Rd — Abingdon, VA 24211
Street Address or P.O. Box — City/State/Zip Code

Home/Work Phone Number — Mobile Number — Email

Is the applicant the owner of the parcel(s) to be rezoned? ☐ Yes ☐ No

Owner Information

Owner Name: Brendan & Concetta McSheehy, Jr.

Owner Contact Information:
Same as above
Street Address or P.O. Box — City/State/Zip Code

Home/Work Phone Number — Mobile Number — Email

Applicant and Owner Certification and Signature

NOTE: *If Applicant and Owner are different individuals, both must sign. If Applicant and Owner are the same, please sign as Owner.*

Applicant Signature: Brendan McSheehy Jr Date: 6/5/26

I THE UNDERSIGNED AM AN OWNER OF THE ABOVE-DESCRIBED PARCEL(S) AND CERTIFY I AM LEGALLY AUTHORIZED TO MAKE THIS APPLICATION FOR REZONING, HAVING THE PERMISSION OF ALL OTHER OWNERS (IF ANY).

Owner Signature: Brendan McSheehy Jr Date: 6/5/26

Washington County Department of Zoning Administration
1 Government Center Place, Suite A
Abingdon, VA 24210
(276)525-1391 OR (276) 669-0877

Permit Information

Need help finding a parcel number? Check the following sources: tax statements, deeds, or the county's online GIS map (http://washcova.interactivegis.com/). If you need help, please call county staff at (276)525-1390.

Owner Requests Rezoning of the Following Parcel(s):

Parcel #1: 124-10-3A (County Tax Map ID) Parcel Size: 1.61 Acres (Acres/Square Feet) 18158 Old Jonesboro Rd, Abingdon, VA 24211 (Street Address of Existing Building located on Parcel (if any))

Current Parcel Zoning: R-2 Request to Rezone to: A-2

Current Parcel Use: ☒ Agricultural ☐ Commercial ☐ Industrial ☐ Residential ☐ Vacant/Unused

Proposed Use if Rezoned: Agricultural and Residential

Owner Requests Rezoning of the Following Parcel(s):

Parcel #2: 124-10-4 (County Tax Map ID) Parcel Size: 7.07 Acres (Acres/Square Feet) 18158 Old Jonesboro Rd, Abingdon, VA 24211 (Street Address of Existing Building located on Parcel (if any))

Current Parcel Zoning: R-2 Request to Rezone to: A-2

Current Parcel Use: ☒ Agricultural ☐ Commercial ☐ Industrial ☐ Residential ☐ Vacant/Unused

Proposed Use if Rezoned: Agricultural and Residential

Owner Requests Rezoning of the Following Parcel(s):

Parcel #3: 124-10-5 (County Tax Map ID) Parcel Size: .85 Acres (Acres/Square Feet) 18158 Old Jonesboro Rd, Abingdon, VA 24211 (Street Address of Existing Building located on Parcel (if any))

Current Parcel Zoning: R-2 Request to Rezone to: A-2

Current Parcel Use: ☒ Agricultural ☐ Commercial ☐ Industrial ☐ Residential ☐ Vacant/Unused

Proposed Use if Rezoned: Agricultural and Residential

Owner Requests Rezoning of the Following Parcel(s):

Parcel #4: _____ (County Tax Map ID) Parcel Size: _____ (Acres/Square Feet) _____ (Street Address of Existing Building located on Parcel (if any))

Current Parcel Zoning: _____ Request to Rezone to: _____

Current Parcel Use: ☐ Agricultural ☐ Commercial ☐ Industrial ☐ Residential ☐ Vacant/Unused

Proposed Use if Rezoned: _____

Owner Requests Rezoning of the Following Parcel(s):

Parcel #5: _____ (County Tax Map ID) Parcel Size: _____ (Acres/Square Feet) _____ (Street Address of Existing Building located on Parcel (if any))

Current Parcel Zoning: _____ Request to Rezone to: _____

Current Parcel Use: ☐ Agricultural ☐ Commercial ☐ Industrial ☐ Residential ☐ Vacant/Unused

Proposed Use if Rezoned: _____

Owner Requests Rezoning of the Following Parcel(s):

Parcel #6: _____ (County Tax Map ID) Parcel Size: _____ (Acres/Square Feet) _____ (Street Address of Existing Building located on Parcel (if any))

Current Parcel Zoning: _____ Request to Rezone to: _____

Current Parcel Use: ☐ Agricultural ☐ Commercial ☐ Industrial ☐ Residential ☐ Vacant/Unused

Proposed Use if Rezoned: _____

Owner Information

Owner Name: Brendan & Concetta McSheehy, Jr.

Adjoining Property Owner(s)		For County Use Only
Please list ALL property owner(s) and street address(es) of parcel(s) immediately adjoining AND directly across street(s), road(s), and highway(s) from parcel(s) requested for rezoning and/or special exception permit (this information is needed for comparison purposed and will be verified by county records):		County Tax Map ID Numbers
Brendan & Concetta McSheehy, Jr.		
Name of Adjoining Property Owner	Street Address of Adjoining Property (if none, list 'Vacant')	
Donna Jo & Larry Pack		
Name of Adjoining Property Owner	Street Address of Adjoining Property (if none, list 'Vacant')	
Andrew & Dorothy West		
Name of Adjoining Property Owner	Street Address of Adjoining Property (if none, list 'Vacant')	
Chase & Rebekah Buchanan		
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Date Application Received: _____ Received By: _____

Project Questionnaire

Rezoning requests involve analysis by county staff, Planning Commission members and the Board of Supervisors members. The information provided below will help staff members to review the application for compliance with county regulations. The questionnaire will also serve as an introduction to Planning Commissioners and Supervisors as a copy of the application will be included in information delivered to each member prior to the meeting date.

Please use additional paper and attach photographs if necessary.

Why are you requesting this rezoning?

I have potential purchasers that wish to continue using the property for agricultural purposes.

Please provide a description of the site before and after development (if construction is proposed).

The only development would be the potential buyer constructing one residence.

Please describe the operation proposed including number of employees and hours of operation, if applicable.

Owner would allow livestock on the property. No employees or hours of operation.

Please describe how the properties around your site are used (residential, churches, business, schools) and how the proposed project may impact the surrounding area (e.g. noise, traffic, light, impact on environmental or other unique features).

Agricultural and Residential

Please describe potential impacts on public facilities and infrastructure such as the water/wastewater system, public schools, and roads.

The impact of one family locating on the property.

Will your project require a permit from other licensing agencies (e.g. Department of Environmental Quality, Department of Mines, Minerals and Energy, Virginia Department of Social Services, Virginia Department of Transportation, Virginia Department of Motor Vehicles).
■ Yes ☐ No If yes, please explain.

VDOT entrance permit for a residence.

AFFIDAVIT

I, Stephen R. Richardson, hereby certify that I have sent by U.S. Postal Service, First Class, Notice of Request for Rezoning by Brendan McSheehy, Property Map #s 124-10-3A, 124-10-4, 124-1-5 to the following individuals on the 4th day of June 2026.

APPLICANT:

Brendan & Concetta McSheehy
18158 Old Jonesboro Rd
Abingdon, VA 24211

ADJOINING PROPERTY OWNERS:

Brendan & Concetta McSheehy
18158 Old Jonesboro Rd
Abingdon, VA 24211
124-10-6

Andrew & Dorothy West
18254 Old Jonesboro Rd
Abingdon, VA 24211
125-10-3. 124-A-55

Donna Jo & Larry Pack
346 Rocking Chair Ln
Franklin, NC 28734
124-10-10

Chase & Rebekah Buchanan
18161 Old Jonesboro Rd
Abingdon, VA 24211
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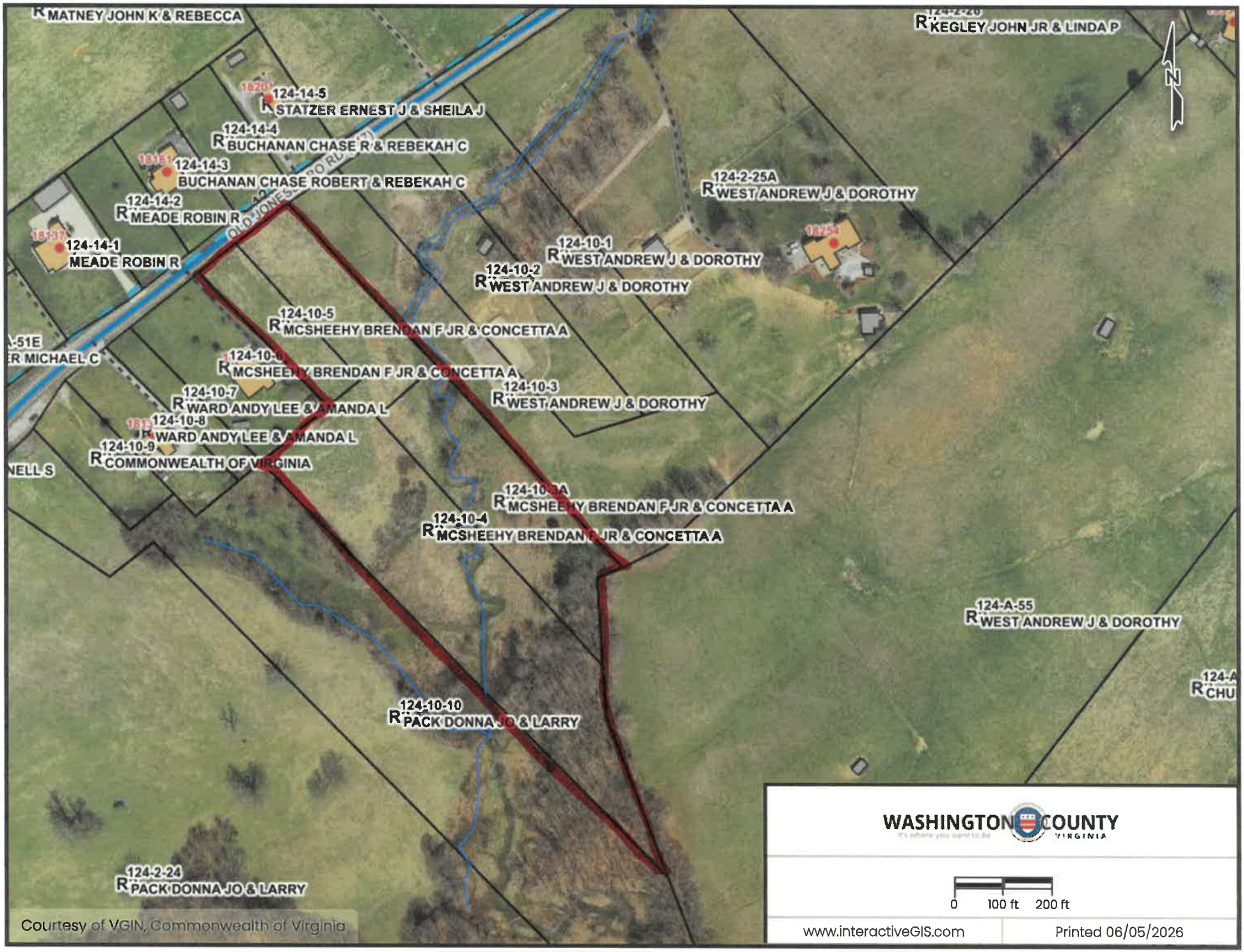
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P. O. Box 1785
Wise, VA 24293
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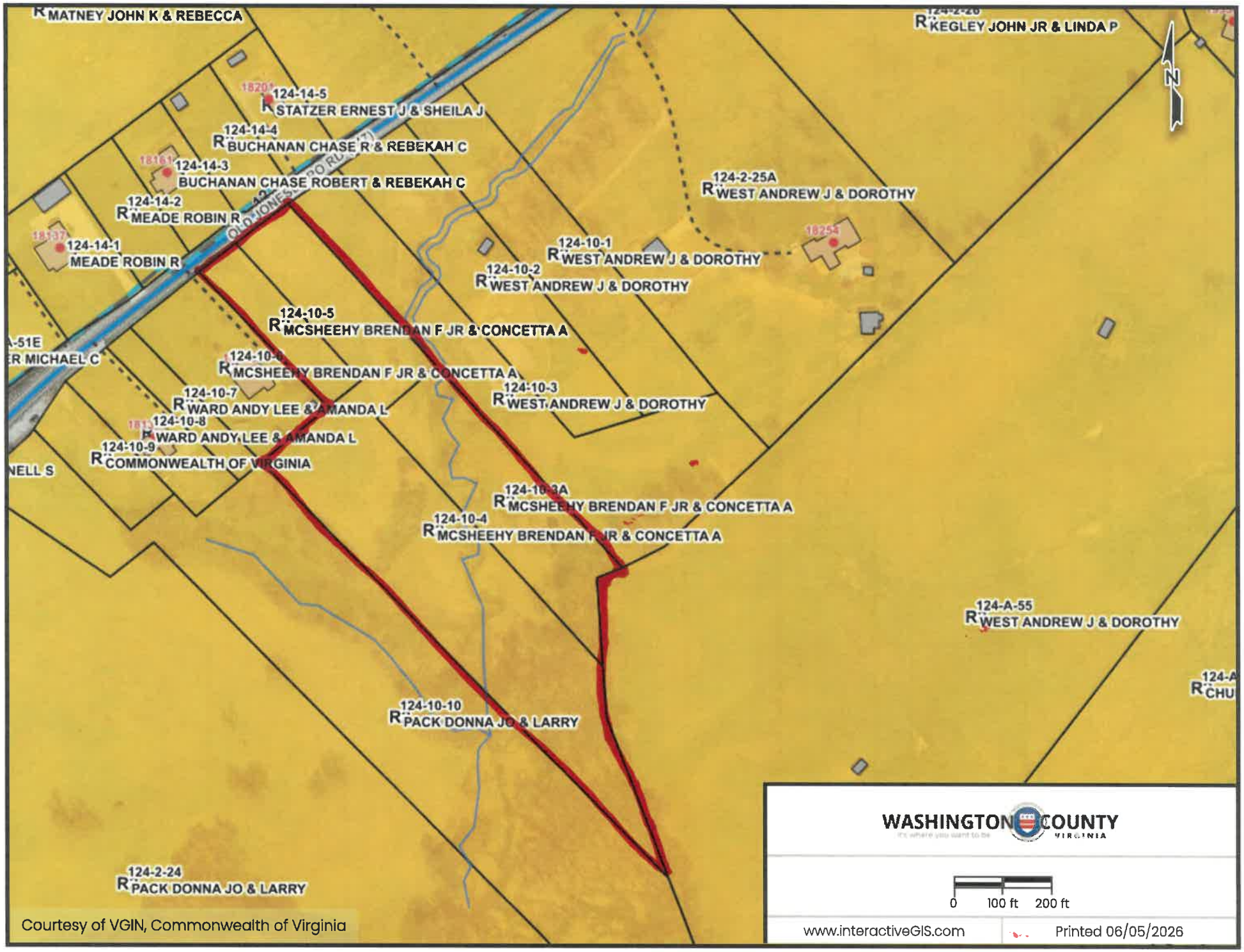
Andy & Amanda Ward
18130 Old Jonesboro Rd
Abingdon, VA 24211
124-10-7

NOTE: ADJACENT & ADJOINING PROPERTY OWNERS PULLED FROM GIS & APPLICATION


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DEPARTMENT OF ZONING ADMINISTRATION
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AGENDA ITEM NO. 5.B

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BOARD OF SUPERVISORS AGENDA ITEM REPORT

DATE: July 14, 2026

SUBMITTED BY: Stephen Richardson , Zoning

ITEM TYPE: Public Hearing

AGENDA SECTION: PUBLIC HEARINGS

SUBJECT:

David R. Wall, Tax Map # 070A-6-3A: Request for a Special Exception Permit for Multiple-family dwelling units, apartments, on approximately .45 acres of property located next to 33448 Bunker Hill Lane, Glade Spring, VA 24340, in the B-2 (Business, General) zoning district, Monroe Magisterial District, Monroe (D-21) Election District.

SUGGESTED MOTION: Motion to approve the special exception or motion to deny the special exception.

BACKGROUND AND SUMMARY:

The applicant requests a special exception to construct a multiple family dwelling, apartments. There was a prior apartment building on this property. The prior building was severely damaged during the tornado in 2011. The building was demolished in 2013. The applicant intends to construct a building with the same appearance as the three adjoining apartment buildings that he owns. All adjoining properties are in the B-2 zoning district. The property to the north is vacant. The property to the east has three apartment buildings. The property to the west has apartments on the second floor and an eye clinic on the first floor. Properties to the south are commercial. Properties on the west side of Maple Street (Route 91) are B-2 and R-2.

The Planning Commission recommended granting the special exception just as the applicant proposed. The vote was 5-0 (Rehfuss, Widener, Gibson, Edins, Mumpower).

ATTACHMENTS:

County of Washington, Virginia
Department of Zoning Administration

APPLICATION FOR SPECIAL EXCEPTION PERMIT

Non-Refundable Application Fee - $50

The following items must be submitted with this form before application may be processed. Please bring the following items with you when submitting your application form.

1. Copy of survey plat(s) and/or deed(s) to the parcel(s) requested for Special Exception Permit.
2. Completed *Adjoining Property Owner(s) List* form.
3. Completed *Project Questionnaire* included on page four of the application.
4. A site plan/development plan outlining features of the proposed use of the property. Please submit 8.5"x11" size copies. The following items should be included on the plan:
   - Title, preparer, and date of plan
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Additional Notes:

- Following approval of the Special Exception Application, your project may require additional permits issued through the Building and Development Services Department. Please contact this department to discuss permits that may be required for the construction of your project at (276) 525-1320.
- You are encouraged to contact the Planning Commissioner and Supervisor for your district to discuss your project. Please let county staff know if you need help with contact information for these individuals.
- **You (or a designated representative) are strongly encouraged to attend all public hearings for your project. Failure to appear may result in the delay of the application.**

Applicant Information

Applicant Name: David R. Wall

Applicant Contact Information:

Street Address or P.O. Box _____ City/State/Zip Code _____

Home/Work Phone Number _____ Mobile Number _____ Email _____

Is the applicant the owner of the parcel(s) on which the Special Exception Permit will be used? ☒ Yes ☐ No

Owner Information

Owner Name: Same as above

Owner Contact Information:

Street Address or P.O. Box _____ City/State/Zip Code _____

Home/Work Phone Number _____ Mobile Number _____ Email _____

Applicant and Owner Certification and Signature

NOTE: *If Applicant and Owner are different individuals, both must sign. If Applicant and Owner are the same, please sign as Owner.*

Applicant Signature: David R. Wall Date: 5/8/26

I THE UNDERSIGNED AM AN OWNER OF THE ABOVE-DESCRIBED PARCEL(S) AND CERTIFY I AM LEGALLY AUTHORIZED TO MAKE THIS APPLICATION FOR SPECIAL EXCEPTION PERMIT, HAVING THE PERMISSION OF ALL OTHER OWNERS (IF ANY).

Owner Signature: David R. Wall Date: 5/8/26

Permit Information

Need help finding a parcel number? Check the following sources: tax statements, deeds, or the county's online GIS map (http://washcova.interactivegis.com/). If you need help, please call county staff at (276)525-1390.

Applicant Requests Special Exception Permit for Use(s) and/or Activity(ies) on the Following Parcel(s):

Parcel #1: 070A-6-3A (County Tax Map ID) Parcel Size: .45 acres (Acres/Square Feet) None (Street Address of Existing Building located on Parcel (if any)

Current Parcel Zoning: B-2

Current Parcel Use: ☐ Agricultural ☐ Commercial ☐ Industrial ☐ Residential ☒ Vacant/Unused

A Special Exception Permit for Parcel #1 is requested pursuant to County Code Section 66-473(12) for the following use(s) and/or activity(ies): Multiple-family dwelling units

Will the above take more than 24 months to complete? ☐ Yes ☒ No If 'Yes', how many months? _____

Applicant Requests Special Exception Permit for Use(s) and/or Activity(ies) on the Following Parcel(s):

Parcel #2: _____ (County Tax Map ID) Parcel Size: _____ (Acres/Square Feet) _____ (Street Address of Existing Building located on Parcel (if any)

Current Parcel Zoning: _____

Current Parcel Use: ☐ Agricultural ☐ Commercial ☐ Industrial ☐ Residential ☐ Vacant/Unused

A Special Exception Permit for Parcel #2 is requested pursuant to County Code Section _____ for the following use(s) and/or activity(ies):

Will the above take more than 24 months to complete? ☐ Yes ☐ No If 'Yes', how many months? _____

Applicant Requests Special Exception Permit for Use(s) and/or Activity(ies) on the Following Parcel(s):

Parcel #3: _____ (County Tax Map ID) Parcel Size: _____ (Acres/Square Feet) _____ (Street Address of Existing Building located on Parcel (if any)

Current Parcel Zoning: _____

Current Parcel Use: ☐ Agricultural ☐ Commercial ☐ Industrial ☐ Residential ☐ Vacant/Unused

A Special Exception Permit for Parcel #3 is requested pursuant to County Code Section _____ for the following use(s) and/or activity(ies):

Will the above take more than 24 months to complete? ☐ Yes ☐ No If 'Yes', how many months? _____

Owner Information

Owner Name: _____

Adjoining Property Owner(s)

For County Use Only

Please list ALL property owner(s) and street address(es) of parcel(s) immediately adjoining AND directly across street(s), road(s), and highway(s) from parcel(s) requested for rezoning and/or special exception permit (this information is needed for comparison purpose and will be verified by county records):

Name of Adjoining Property Owner	Street Address of Adjoining Property (if none, list 'Vacant')	County Tax Map ID Numbers
David Wall	Bunker Hill Lane 33478	070A-6-13B
Richard Quesenberry	Vacant	070A-6-4
Joseph R Morris	33424 Bunker Hill Lane	070A-6-3
James Reasor	Vacant	070A-6-2

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Date Application Received: 5/22/20 Received By: SRR

Project Questionnaire

Requests for special exception permits involve analysis by county staff, Planning Commission members and the Board of Supervisors members. The information provided below will help staff members to review the application for compliance with county regulations. The questionnaire will also serve as an introduction to Planning Commissioners and Supervisors as a copy of the application will be included in information delivered to each member prior to the meeting date.

Please use additional paper and attach photographs if necessary.

Please provide a description of the site before and after development:

The site is a flat lot that has an asphalt parking lot to both the east and west of the lot. There are nine parking spot on both sides of the building totaling 18 spots. On the north side is the access road. To the south is a vacant lot. There was already a 6 unit building on the site but it was damaged during the tornado in 2013 and was torndown.

Please describe the operation proposed including number of employees and hours of operation.

I want to build the six units back just like they were before the tornado. There will a construction crew on the site for around 6 months during construction. The normal work day would start roughly at 9am - 5pm. There should be around 6-10 construction workers at this time.

Please describe how the properties around your site are used (residential, churches, business, schools) and how the proposed project may impact the surrounding area (e.g. noise, traffic, light, impact on environmental or other unique features).

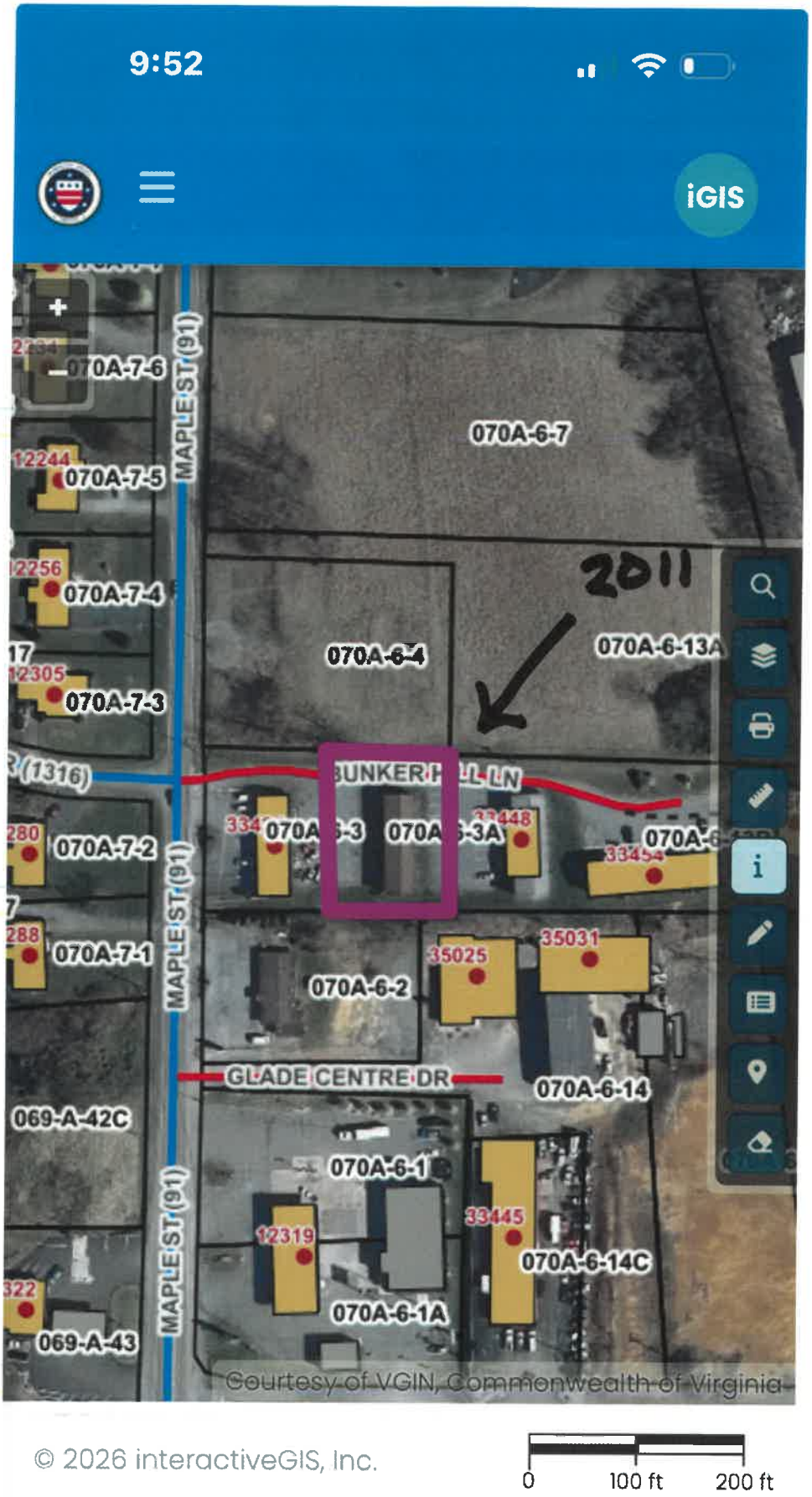
The property to the west is a multi use building that has 4 apartments facing my site and a lower area that is ~~[illegible]~~ used for an Eye Doctor Office. The east side are apartments that I own and both north and south are large vacant lots. I don't see the apartment building have any effect on its surroundings

Please describe potential impacts on public facilities and infrastructure such as the water/wastewater system, public schools, and roads.

There was already a six unit building here till 2013, so the impact should be minimal. The only change is the additional housing. All the infrastructure is in place concerning water, sewer and power. The previous owner explained that the footers for the building are still there. It would need just to uncover them.

Will your project require a permit from other licensing agencies (e.g. Department of Environmental Quality, Department of Mines, Minerals and Energy, Virginia Department of Social Services, Virginia Department of Motor Vehicles, Virginia Department of Motor Vehicles).

☐ Yes ☒ No If yes, please explain.


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I, Stephen R. Richardson, hereby certify that I have sent by U.S. Postal Service, First Class, Notice of Request for a Special Exception Permit by David Wall, Property Map # 070A-6-3A to the following individuals on the 2nd day of June 2026.

APPLICANT:

David Wall
1134 Rockwall Dr
Abingdon, VA 24210

ADJOINING PROPERTY OWNERS:

David Wall
1134 Rockwall Dr
Abingdon, VA 24210
070-6-3B

Richard & Robert Quesenberry
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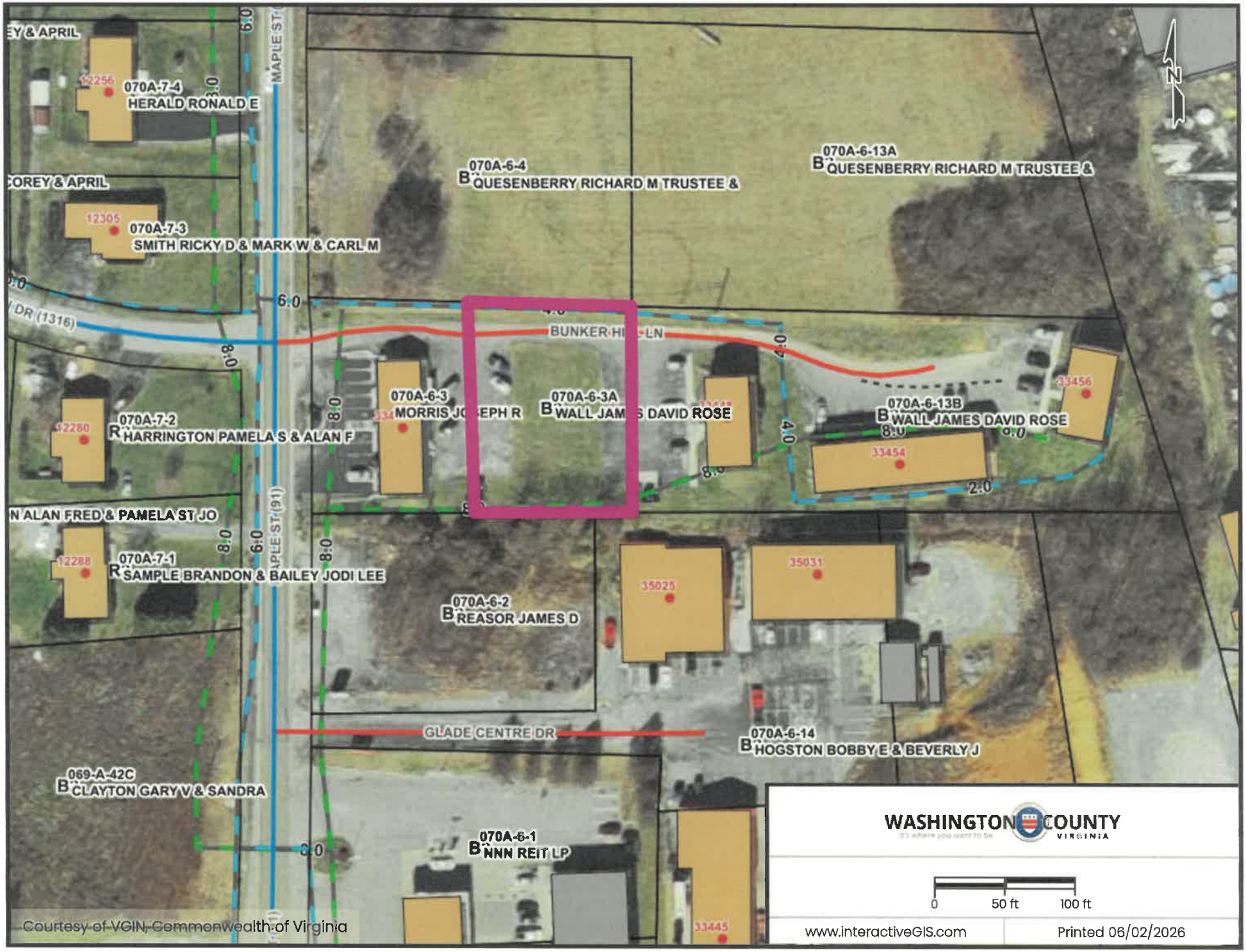
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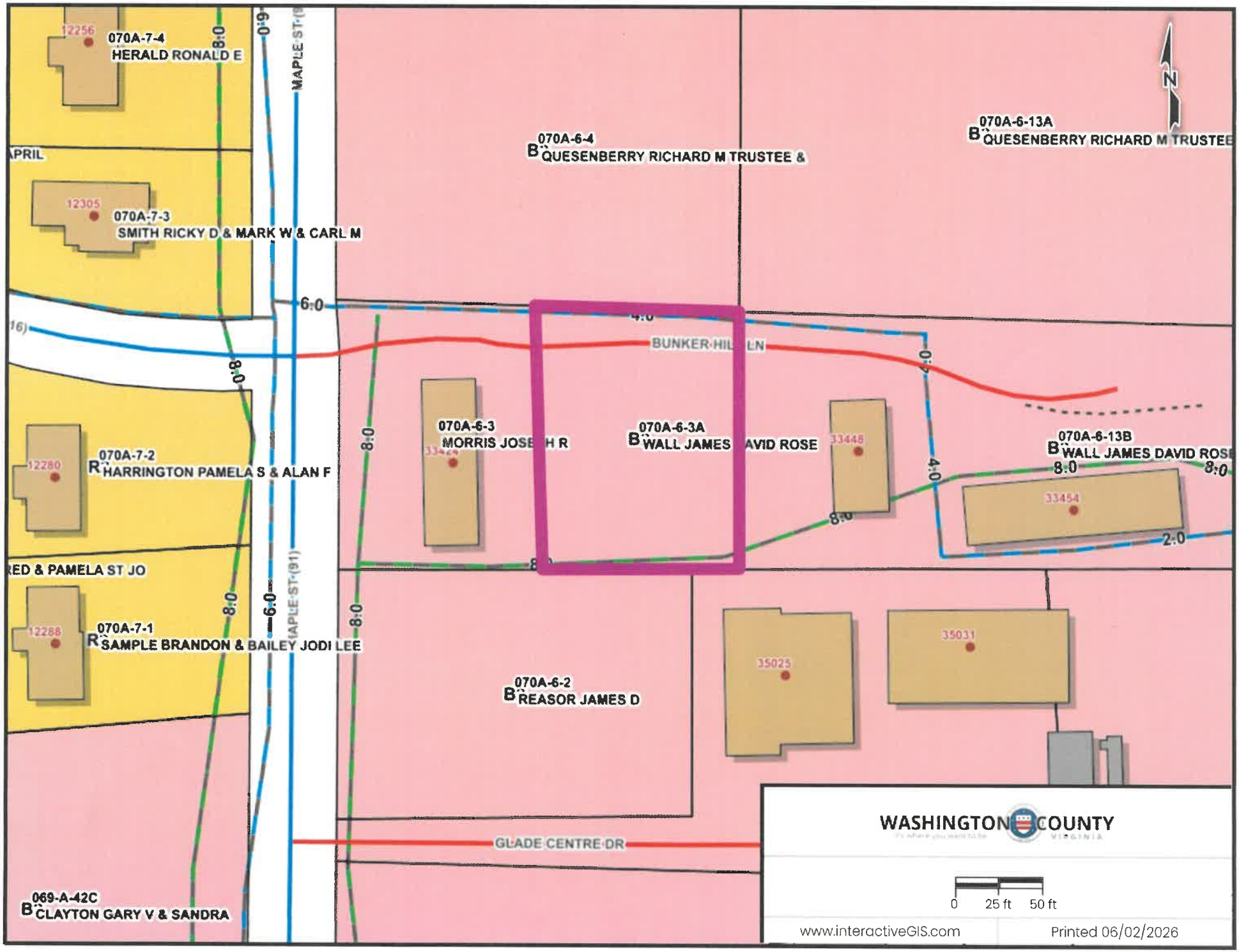
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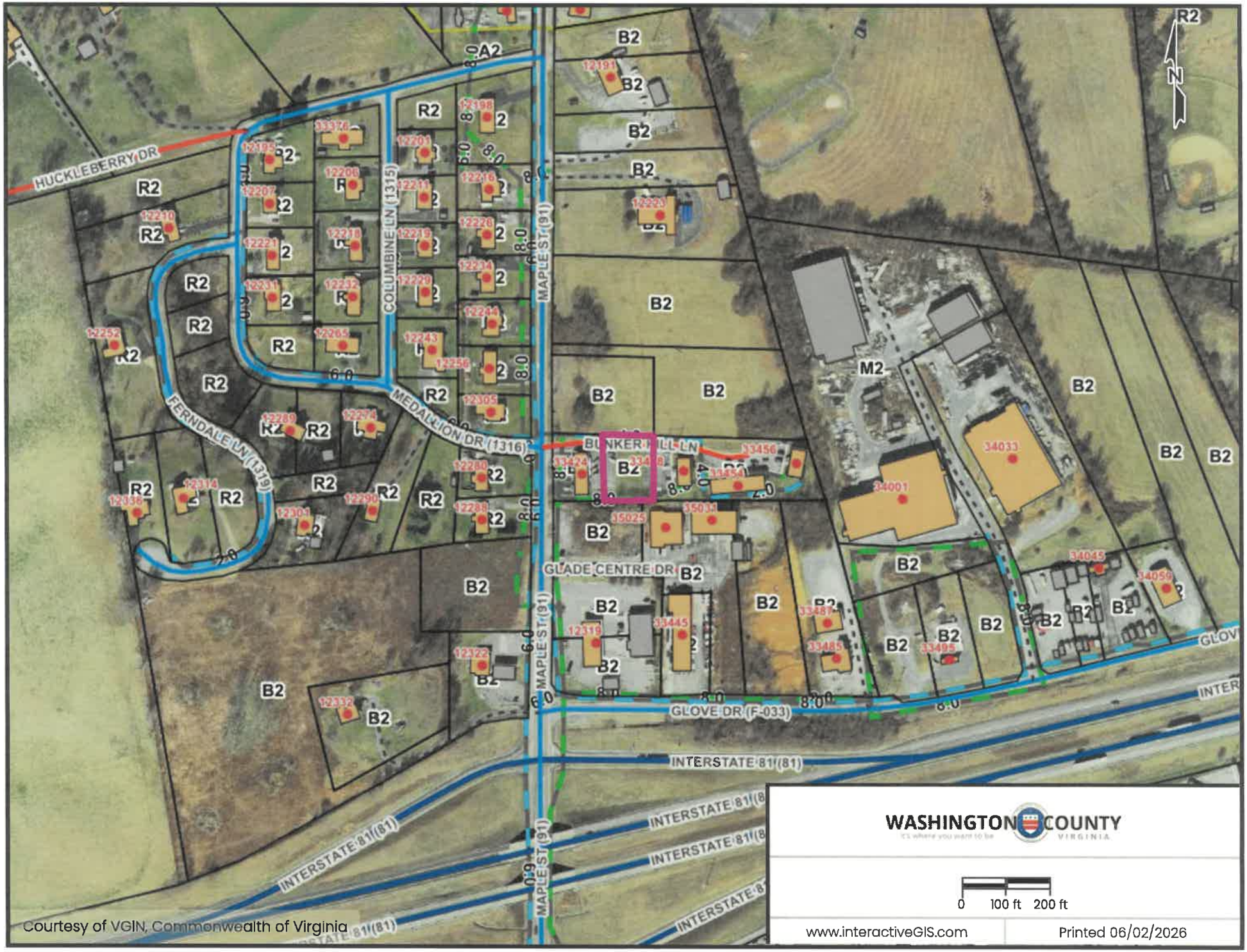
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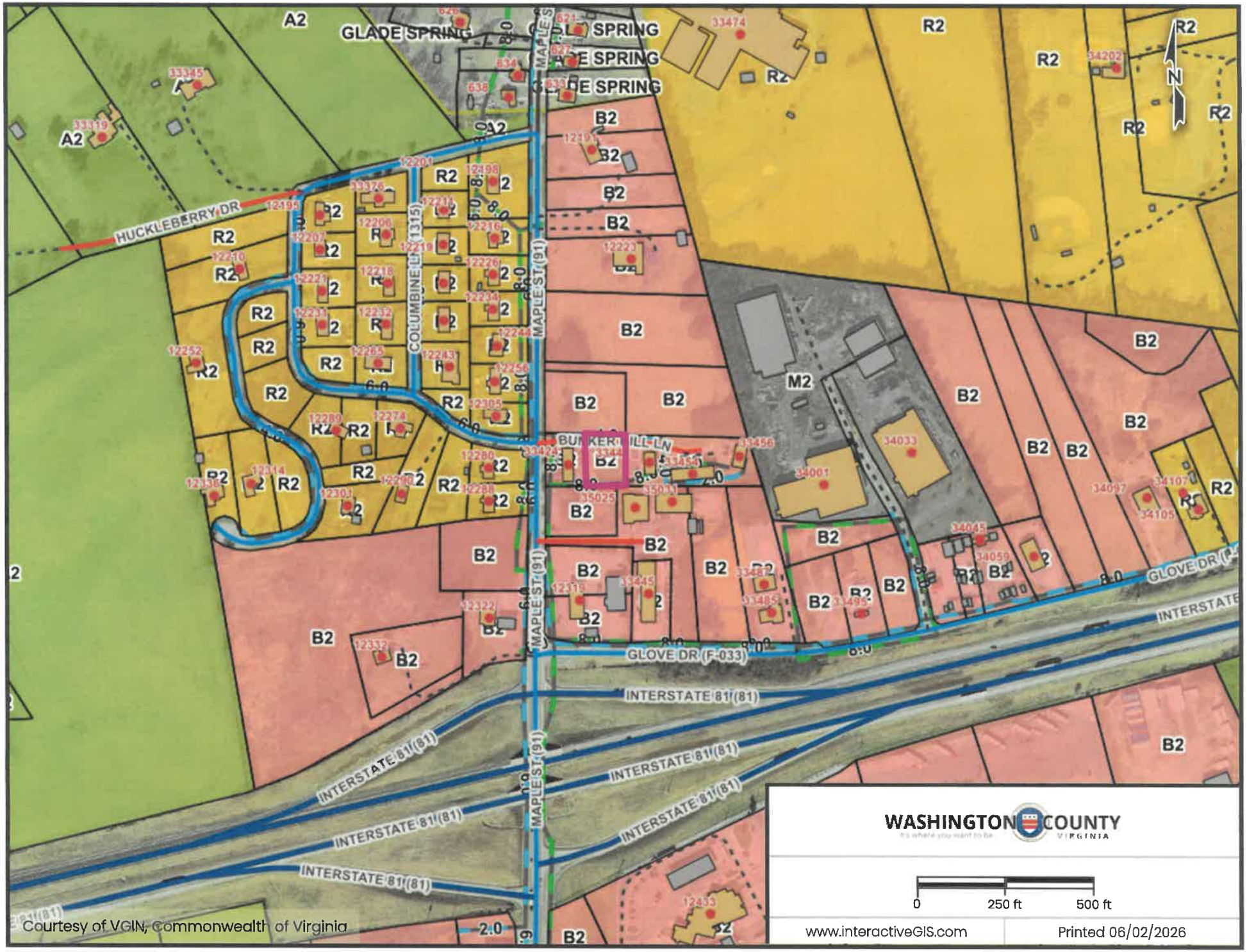

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AGENDA ITEM NO. 5.C

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BOARD OF SUPERVISORS AGENDA ITEM REPORT

DATE:	July 14, 2026
SUBMITTED BY:	Alicia Roland , Economic Development
ITEM TYPE:	Public Hearing
AGENDA SECTION:	PUBLIC HEARINGS
SUBJECT:	Public Hearing on Enterprise Zone Boundary Amendment
SUGGESTED MOTION:	Staff recommends that the Board of Supervisors 1) authorize County staff to complete and submit a boundary amendment application request to the Virginia Enterprise Zone Program, which is administered through the Virginia Department of Housing and Community Development, and 2) approve a Resolution 2026-20 to Amend the Existing Enterprise Zone in Washington County.

BACKGROUND AND SUMMARY:

The Virginia Enterprise Zone is a programmatic partnership between state and local government that encourages job creation and private investment in targeted areas. Washington County participates in the Virginia Enterprise Zone program through Virginia Enterprise Zone - Joint Zone 51 (Smyth/Washington/Chilhowie/Glade Spring). Joint Zone 51 is a long-standing Enterprise Zone that was originally established in 2000.

Washington County is allowed up to 3 non-contiguous zones and 3,840 acres. This amendment will result in adding the third non-contiguous zones by including 49.9 acres near the Town of Damascus.

ATTACHMENTS:

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RESOLUTION 2026- 20

TO AMEND THE EXISTING ENTERPRISE ZONE IN WASHINGTON COUNTY

WHEREAS, THE WASHINGTON COUNTY HAS A DESIGNATED ENTERPRISE ZONE, IDENTIFIED AS ZONE #51, THAT PROVIDES A COMBINATION OF STATE AND LOCAL INCENTIVES TO PROMOTE ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT; AND,

WHEREAS, THERE IS A CURRENT NEED TO AMEND THE EXISTING ENTERPRISE ZONE #51 IN WASHINGTON COUNTY TO INCLUDE ADDITIONAL PROPERTIES NEAR THE TOWN OF DAMASCUS TO INCREASE ECONOMIC GROWTH OPPORTUNITIES; AND,

WHEREAS, THIS PROPOSED EXPANSION WILL SERVE TO BENEFIT ECONOMIC AND INDUSTRIAL EXPANSION OF WASHINGTON COUNTY TO MEET THE GOALS AND OBJECTIVES OF THE VIRGINIA ENTERPRISE ZONE PROGRAM; AND,

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED THAT, THE WASHINGTON COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS AUTHORIZES THE COUNTY ADMINISTRATOR TO SUBMIT THE NECESSARY ENTERPRISE ZONE AMENDMENT PACKAGE AND SIGN ALL NECESSARY DOCUMENTATION ON BEHALF OF WASHINGTON COUNTY FOR THE PROPOSED ENTERPRISE ZONE AMENDMENT, AND TO MEET OTHER PROGRAM ADMINISTRATIVE AND REPORTING REQUIREMENTS, AS DEFINED BY THE ENTERPRISE ZONE REGULATIONS THROUGHOUT THE LIFE OF THE ZONE.

DONE THIS THE 14TH DAY OF JULY, 2026.

THE FOREGOING RESOLUTION WAS DULY ADOPTED BY THE FOLLOWING VOTE:

MR. MCCALL:
MR. PENNINGTON:
MR. HARGIS:
MR. BRANNON:
MR. RUSH:
MR. HERNANDEZ:
MR. BALL:

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LEGALS

Trustee Sales

TRUSTEE'S SALE
165 Jane Lane
Bristol, VA 24201

In execution of the Deed of Trust dated April 17, 2023 and recorded on April 28, 2023 in Book 707 at Page 85 in Instrument # 230000679 of the City of Bristol land records, Trustee Services of Virginia, LLC, the appointed Substitute Trustee, will offer for sale at public auction at the front of the Circuit Court House for the City of Bristol, Virginia, at 497 Cumberland Street, Bristol, Virginia on August 5, 2026 at 11:00 AM the property more particularly described in the aforementioned Deed of Trust, located at the property address listed below and briefly identified as follows:

A certain tract or parcel of land, situate in City of Bristol, Virginia, formerly Washington County, more particularly bounded and described as follows:

BEING Lot 20 of Shelburn Place, a subdivision to Bristol, Virginia, as shown by plat thereof, of record in the Circuit Court Clerk's Office for Washington County, at Abingdon, Virginia, in Plat Book B, page 52.

Being the same property as conveyed from Virgil W. Pierce and Carol G. Pierce, his wife to Clifford E. Almany, Jr. and Sandra K. Almany, his wife, as tenants by the entireties with the right of survivorship as at common law as set forth in Deed Book 233, Page 612 dated July 6, 1983, and recorded July 13, 1983, Bristol County, Virginia. Clifford E. Almany, Jr., died November 25, 2003, leaving Sandra K. Almany as surviving tenant by the entirety and sole owner. Sandra K. Almany Rieck died July 23, 2024, leaving spouse Brian Rieck as sole owner by virtue of his being her sole heir at law.

Tax No.: 384-3-20

Property address: 165 Jane Lane, Bristol, VA 24201

The property will be sold "AS IS," WITHOUT REPRESENTATION OR WARRANTY OF ANY KIND AND SUBJECT TO conditions, covenants, restrictions, reservations, easements, rights of way, and all other matters of record taking priority over the Deed of Trust, if any.

Pursuant to Code of Virginia § 55.1-321(A2), if the property is being sold subject to another priority security instrument(s), purchaser must certify that purchaser shall pay off any priority security instrument(s) no later than 90 days from the date the trustee's deed conveying the property being sold is recorded in the land records.

TERMS OF SALE: A non-refundable bidder's deposit of $3,500.00 or 10% of the sale price, whichever is less, by cashier's or certified check required at time of sale, except for the party secured by the Deed of Trust. Risk of loss is on the purchaser from date and time of auction. Balance of the purchase price must be paid by cashier's check within 14 days from sale date. Except for Virginia Grantor tax, all settlement costs and expenses are purchaser's responsibility. Taxes are pro-rated to the date of sale. Purchaser is responsible for obtaining possession of the property. If purchaser defaults, deposit may be forfeited and property resold at the risk and cost of the defaulting purchaser who shall be liable for any deficiency in the purchase price and all costs, expenses, and attorney's fees of both sales. If Trustee does not convey title for any reason, purchaser's sole remedy is return of deposit without interest. This sale is subject to post-sale audit of the status of the loan secured by the Deed of Trust including but not limited to determining whether prior to sale a forbearance, repayment, or other agreement was entered into, the loan was reinstated or paid off, or whether the property became subject to an automatic stay under the U.S. Bankruptcy Code prior to the sale; in any such event this sale shall be null and void and purchaser's sole remedy shall be return of deposit without interest. Pursuant to the Federal Fair Debt Collections Practices Act, this law firm is a debt collector attempting to collect a debt and any information obtained will be used for that purpose.

(26-07313)
FOR INFORMATION CONTACT:
BROCK & SCOTT, PLLC
(Attorney for TRUSTEE SERVICES OF VIRGINIA, LLC)
484 Viking Drive, Suite 203
Virginia Beach, VA 23452
(757)213-2959

Legal Notices

Notice of Public Review and Comment Period

Highlands Community Services invites the public to review and comment on its proposed FY2026-2027 Performance Contract with the Department of Behavioral Health and Developmental Services. Requests to review the contract may be made to Shelia Tuggle, CFO by calling 276-525-1500 ext.1584 or via email at stuggle@highlandscsb.org. Written comments will be accepted until 5:00 p.m. on July 30, 2026, and must be addressed to Shelia Tuggle, CFO at 610 Campus Drive, Abingdon VA 24210.

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Public Hearing to Amend County Enterprise Zone

The Board of Supervisors of Washington County, Virginia, hereby gives notice of intent to conduct a Public Hearing on amendment of the geographic boundaries of the Washington County Enterprise Zone. at its regular meeting on Tuesday, July 14, 2026, at 6: 30 p.m., or as soon as thereafter as may be heard. The public hearing will be held in the Board of Supervisors Auditorium at the County Administration Offices located at One Government Place, Abingdon, Virginia.

A Public hearing is scheduled to receive public comment on amendment of the geographic boundaries of the Washington County Enterprise Zone. Copies of the proposed boundary amendment maps may be viewed in person at the Washington County Administrator's Office.

Individuals requiring physical or sensory accommodations or additional information, please call County Administration,. (276) 525-1300, or 1-800-828-1120 for TTY/TTD relay services.
For more information on this Public Hearing, please call County Administrator's Office at 276-525-1300.

Jason Berry
County Administrator

COL-2001079

TRUSTEE'S SALE OF 24897 Walden Road, Abingdon, VA 24210

In execution of a Deed of Trust in the original principal amount of $187,500.00 dated November 15, 2021 recorded among the land records of the Circuit Court for Washington County on November 22, 2021 as Instrument Number: 210007250, the undersigned appointed Substitute Trustee will offer for sale at public auction, at the Main entrance of the courthouse for the Circuit Court of Washington County, 189 E Main St, Abingdon, VA 24210 on July 29, 2026 at 02:30 PM the property described in said deed of trust, located at the above address and briefly described as: All that certain tract or parcel of land, together with all improvements thereon and appurtenances thereunto belonging, situate, lying and being in the Harrison Magisterial District of Washington County, Virginia, designated as Lot A, containing 1.60 acres, more or less, as shown on a plat entitled in part, "PLAT SHOWING A (2) LOT SUBDIVISION OF THE CHARLES W. HARRIS JR. & MARIE A. HARRIS...", prepared by Billy J. Robbins, L.S., dated September 10, 2014, of record in the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of Washington County, Virginia in Plat Book 70, page 44, to which reference is made for a more particular description of the property herein. Tax ID: 065-A-15. TERMS OF SALE: A bidder's deposit of $10,000.00 or 10% of the sale price, whichever is lower, will be required in the form of a certified or cashier's check. Cash will not be accepted as a deposit. Settlement within fifteen (15) days of sale, otherwise Trustee may forfeit deposit. FinCEN reporting will be required of all successful purchasers, absent a lawful exemption. Additional terms to be announced at sale. This is a communication from a debt collector. This notice is an attempt to collect on a debt and any information obtained will be used for that purpose. (Trustee # 26-003634) Substitute Trustee: ALG Trustee, LLC C/O Orlans Law Group PLLC PO Box 2548, Leesburg, VA 20177 (703) 777-7101 website: www.Orlans.com The Vendor auction.com will be used in conjunction with this sale. Potential Bidders: For sale information, please visit www.Auction.com or call (800) 280-2832.

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Notice of Public Hearing-Willey Boom Redevelopment District

Notice is hereby given that Bristol Housing will conduct a Public Hearing on behalf of the City of Bristol, Tennessee, and Sullivan County, Tennessee in accordance with the requirements of Title 13, Chapter 20, Tennessee Code Annotated, as supplemented and amended (the "Code"), the purpose of which is to consider the following items:
1. The necessity of adoption by Bristol Housing and Sullivan County, Tennessee of a Redevelopment Plan for the Willey Boom Redevelopment District which includes the use of tax increment financing for a redevelopment project to be located off King College Road and Paperville Road in Bristol, Tennessee to be known as Zaidi Property Project.
2. The necessity of adoption by Bristol Housing and the City of Bristol, Tennessee, of an amendment to the existing Redevelopment Plan for Willey Boom Redevelopment District expanding the redevelopment district to include property located off Paperville Road.
3. The necessity of adoption by Bristol Housing and the City of Bristol, Tennessee, of an amendment to the existing Redevelopment Plan for the Willey Boom Redevelopment District which includes the use of tax increment financing for a redevelopment project to be located off King College Road and Paperville Road in Bristol, Tennessee to be known as Zaidi Property Project.
4. Such other items related to the Willey Boom Redevelopment District and Zaidi Property Project as may be necessary under Title 13, Chapter 20 of the Tennessee Code Annotated.
The Public Hearing will be held at 6 p.m., July 15, 2026, at the Slater Community Center, 325 McDowell Street, Bristol, TN.
A map of the proposed expanded Willey Boom Redevelopment District and Zaidi Property Project Area may be viewed at the offices of Bristol Housing, 204 Bluff City Highway, Bristol TN between the hours of 8:00 am and 5:30 pm, Monday, Tuesday and Thursday & online at www.bristol-housing.com The proposed Redevelopment Plan and TIF Amendment will be available for public review at 204 Bluff City Hwy., Bristol, Tennessee no later than July 9, 2026, and will contain all information required by Tennessee Code Annotated §§13-20-203 and 205.
COL-2001076

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SHERRI LYNN KING
Paul William Leonard

The State of Tennessee, Department of Children's Services, has filed a petition against you for termination of parental rights of your child, J.W.K. born 10/12/2025. It appears that ordinary process of law cannot be served upon you because your whereabouts are unknown. You are hereby **ORDERED** to appear in the Juvenile Court of Sullivan County, Tennessee at Bristol on the 28th day of August 2026 at 9:30 AM to personally answer the Petition for Termination of Parental Rights. Failing to appear for the hearing on this date and time, without good cause, pursuant to Rule 39(c)(3) of the Tenn. R. Juv. P., will result in the loss of your right to contest the Petition for Termination of Parental Rights listed above; an Answer to the Petition for Termination of Parental Rights must be filed by you within thirty (30) days of this notice and if you fail to do so, a default judgment will be taken against you pursuant to Tenn. Code Ann. § 36-1-117(n) and Rule 55 of the Tenn. R. of Civ. P. for the relief demanded in the Petition. You must respond to and may view and obtain a copy of the Petition and any other subsequently filed legal documents at the Juvenile Court Clerk's Office, Bristol, Tennessee.

Entered Pursuant to Rule 58 T.R.C.P.
/es/ Teresa A. Nelson
HONORABLE TERESA A. NELSON
JUVENILE COURT JUDGE

APPROVED FOR ENTRY:

/es/ Jessica Jones
Jessica Jones BPR #027335
Attorney for the Tennessee
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Town of St. Paul, VA (Owner) is requesting Bids for the construction of the following Project:
DOWNTOWN SIDEWALK REPLACEMENT PROJECT
Federal Project No. HSIP-5294(002)
VDOT Project No. 9999-294-439, UPC No. 113766

Bids for the construction of the Project will be received at the **Town of St. Paul Town Hall** located at **16531 Russell Street, St. Paul, VA 24283** until **Thursday, July 30th**, 2026, at **2:00 PM** local time. At that time the Bids received will be **publicly** opened and read.

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VDOT Project No. 9999-294-439, UPC No. 113766

Bids will be received for a single prime contract. Bids shall be on a unit price basis.

Owner anticipates that the Project's total bid price will be approximately $1,070,000. The Project has an expected duration of **180** days for substantial completion and **210** days for final completion.

Obtaining the Bidding Documents
The Issuing Office for the Bidding Documents is:
Mattern & Craig
429 Clay Street, Kingsport, TN 37660
Contact: Jason Snapp
423-245-4970
djsnapp@matternandcraig.com

Prospective Bidders may obtain or examine the Bidding Documents at the Issuing Office on Monday through Friday between the hours of 8:00 AM – 5:00 PM local time **and** may obtain copies of the Bidding Documents from the Issuing Office as described below. Partial sets of Bidding Documents will not be available from the Issuing Office. Neither Owner nor Engineer will be responsible for full or partial sets of Bidding Documents, including addenda, if any, obtained from sources other than the Issuing Office.

Bidding Documents also may be examined at:
Associated General Contractors (AGC)
Builders Exchange
Dodge Construction Network
The Town of St. Paul (address above)
Mondays through Fridays between the hours of **8:00AM and 5:00PM**.

Obtaining the Bidding Documents
Bidding Documents may be downloaded from a designated project web link. Prospective Bidders shall email **Patsy Shivers at pashivers@matternandcraig.com** to register as a plan holder, even if Bidding Documents are obtained from a plan room or source other than the designated website in either electronic or paper format. Upon registering, the web link will be issued. The designated website will be updated periodically with addenda, lists of registered plan holders, reports, and other information relevant to submitting a Bid for the Project. All official notifications, addenda, and other Bidding Documents will be offered only through the designated web link. Neither Owner nor Engineer will be responsible for Bidding Documents, including addenda, if any, obtained from sources other than the designated web link.

Bids must be accompanied by a bid guarantee as specified in the Instructions to Bidders. The bidder's attention is directed to the requirements of Title 54.1, Chapter 11, of the Code of Virginia. Withdrawal of bid due to error shall be in accordance with Title 2.2, Chapter 43 (2.2-4330, Paragraph B.1) of the Code of Virginia.

A Prime Contractor must be prequalified with the Virginia Department of Transportation for bids to be considered.

Pre-bid Conference
A pre-bid conference for the Project will be held on **Wednesday, July 8th**, 2026, at **10:00 AM** at **Town Hall, 16531 Russell Street, St. Paul, VA 24283.** Attendance at the pre-bid conference is encouraged but not required.

Instructions to Bidders.
No Disadvantaged Business Entity (DBE) Goal has been set for this project.

For all further requirements regarding bid submittal, qualifications, procedures, and contract award, refer to the Instructions to Bidders that are included in the Bidding Documents.

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By: **Chad Monday**
Title: **Town Manager**
Date: **6/30/26**
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LEGAL NOTICES

Notice of Public Hearing-Willey Boom Redevelopment District

Notice is hereby given that Bristol Housing will conduct a Public Hearing on behalf of the City of Bristol, Tennessee, and Sullivan County, Tennessee in accordance with the requirements of Title 13, Chapter 20, Tennessee Code Annotated, as supplemented and amended (the "Code"), the purpose of which is to consider the following items:
1. The necessity of adoption by Bristol Housing and Sullivan County, Tennessee of a Redevelopment Plan for the Willey Boom Redevelopment District which includes the use of tax increment financing for a redevelopment project to be located off King College Road and Paperville Road in Bristol, Tennessee to be known as Zaidi Property Project.
2. The necessity of adoption by Bristol Housing and the City of Bristol, Tennessee, of an amendment to the existing Redevelopment Plan for Willey Boom Redevelopment District expanding the redevelopment district to include property located off Paperville Road.
3. The necessity of adoption by Bristol Housing and the City of Bristol, Tennessee, of an amendment to the existing Redevelopment Plan for the Willey Boom Redevelopment District which includes the use of tax increment financing for a redevelopment project to be located off King College Road and Paperville Road in Bristol, Tennessee to be known as Zaidi Property Project.
4. Such other items related to the Willey Boom Redevelopment District and Zaidi Property Project as may be necessary under Title 13, Chapter 20 of the Tennessee Code Annotated.
The Public Hearing will be held at 6 p.m., July 15, 2026, at the Slater Community Center, 325 McDowell Street, Bristol, TN.
A map of the proposed expanded Willey Boom Redevelopment District and Zaidi Property Project Area may be viewed at the offices of Bristol Housing, 204 Bluff City Highway, Bristol TN between the hours of 8:00 am and 5:30 pm, Monday, Tuesday and Thursday & online at www.bristol-housing.com The proposed Redevelopment Plan and TIF Amendment will be available for public review at 204 Bluff City Hwy., Bristol, Tennessee no later than July 9, 2026, and will contain all information required by Tennessee Code Annotated §§13-20-203 and 205.
COL-2001076

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SHERRI LYNN KING
Paul William Leonard

The State of Tennessee, Department of Children's Services, has filed a petition against you for termination of parental rights of your child, J.W.K. born 10/12/2025. It appears that ordinary process of law cannot be served upon you because your whereabouts are unknown. You are hereby **ORDERED** to appear in the Juvenile Court of Sullivan County, Tennessee at Bristol on the 28th day of August 2026 at 9:30 AM to personally answer the Petition for Termination of Parental Rights. Failing to appear for the hearing on this date and time, without good cause, pursuant to Rule 39(c)(3) of the Tenn. R. Juv. P., will result in the loss of your right to contest the Petition for Termination of Parental Rights listed above; an Answer to the Petition for Termination of Parental Rights must be filed by you within thirty (30) days of this notice and if you fail to do so, a default judgment will be taken against you pursuant to Tenn. Code Ann. § 36-1-117(n) and Rule 55 of the Tenn. R. of Civ. P. for the relief demanded in the Petition. You must respond to and may view and obtain a copy of the Petition and any other subsequently filed legal documents at the Juvenile Court Clerk's Office, Bristol, Tennessee.

Entered Pursuant to Rule 58 T.R.C.P.
/es/ Teresa A. Nelson
HONORABLE TERESA A. NELSON
JUVENILE COURT JUDGE

APPROVED FOR ENTRY:

/es/ Jessica Jones
Jessica Jones BPR #027335
Attorney for the Tennessee
Department of Children's Services
2555 Plymouth Road
Johnson City, TN 37601
COL-2001081

NOTICE

SEAN DONAHUE

The State of Tennessee Department of Children's Services has filed a petition against you seeking to find your child, A.K.D. (b. 8/28/2009) as dependent and neglected and to transfer legal and physical custody of your child to the State of Tennessee Department of Children's Services. It appears that ordinary process of law cannot be served upon you because your whereabouts are unknown. You are hereby **ORDERED** to appear in the Juvenile Court of Sullivan County, Tennessee at Bristol, Tennessee on the **3rd day of September 2026 at 9:30 AM** personally answer the Petition. Failing to appear for the hearing on this date and time, without good cause, pursuant to Rule 39(c)(3) of the Tenn. R. Juv. P. will result in the loss of your right to contest the petition and a default judgment may be taken against you for the relief sought in the petition. You may view and obtain a copy of the Petition and any other subsequently filed legal documents at the Juvenile Court Clerk's Office of Sullivan County, at Bristol, Tennessee.

Entered Pursuant to Rule 58 T.R.C.P.

_____*/es/ Teresa A.Nelson*_____
HONORABLE TERESA A. NELSON
JUVENILE COURT JUDGE

APPROVED FOR ENTRY:
/es/ Jessica Jones
Jessica Jones BPR #027335
Attorney for the Tennessee
Department of Children's Services
2555 Plymouth Road
Johnson City, TN 37601
COL-2001088

Public Hearing to Amend County Enterprise Zone

The Board of Supervisors of Washington County, Virginia, hereby gives notice of intent to conduct a Public Hearing on amendment of the geographic boundaries of the Washington County Enterprise Zone. at its regular meeting on Tuesday, July 14, 2026, at 6: 30 p.m., or as soon as thereafter as may be heard. The public hearing will be held in the Board of Supervisors Auditorium at the County Administration Offices located at One Government Place, Abingdon, Virginia.

A Public hearing is scheduled to receive public comment on amendment of the geographic boundaries of the Washington County Enterprise Zone. Copies of the proposed boundary amendment maps may be viewed in person at the Washington County Administrator's Office.

Individuals requiring physical or sensory accommodations or additional information, please call County Administration,. (276) 525-1300, or 1-800-828-1120 for TTY/TTD relay services.
For more information on this Public Hearing, please call County Administrator's Office at 276-525-1300.

Jason Berry
County Administrator

COL-2001079

INVITATION FOR BIDS

The Wise County School Division is currently accepting sealed bids for milk and juice products for the period of August 1, 2026 through July 31, 2027.

Sealed bids will be received at the Wise County School Board Office, 628 Lake Street NE, Wise, VA 24293 until July 15, 2026 at 10:00 am when bids will publicly be opened. For more information or specifications contact Brandi Bates, Director of Food Services, at the Wise County School Board Office at (276) 328-8017 or bbates@wisek12.org.

The Wise County School Division reserves the right to reject any and all bids if it appears to be in the best interest of the school division to do so.
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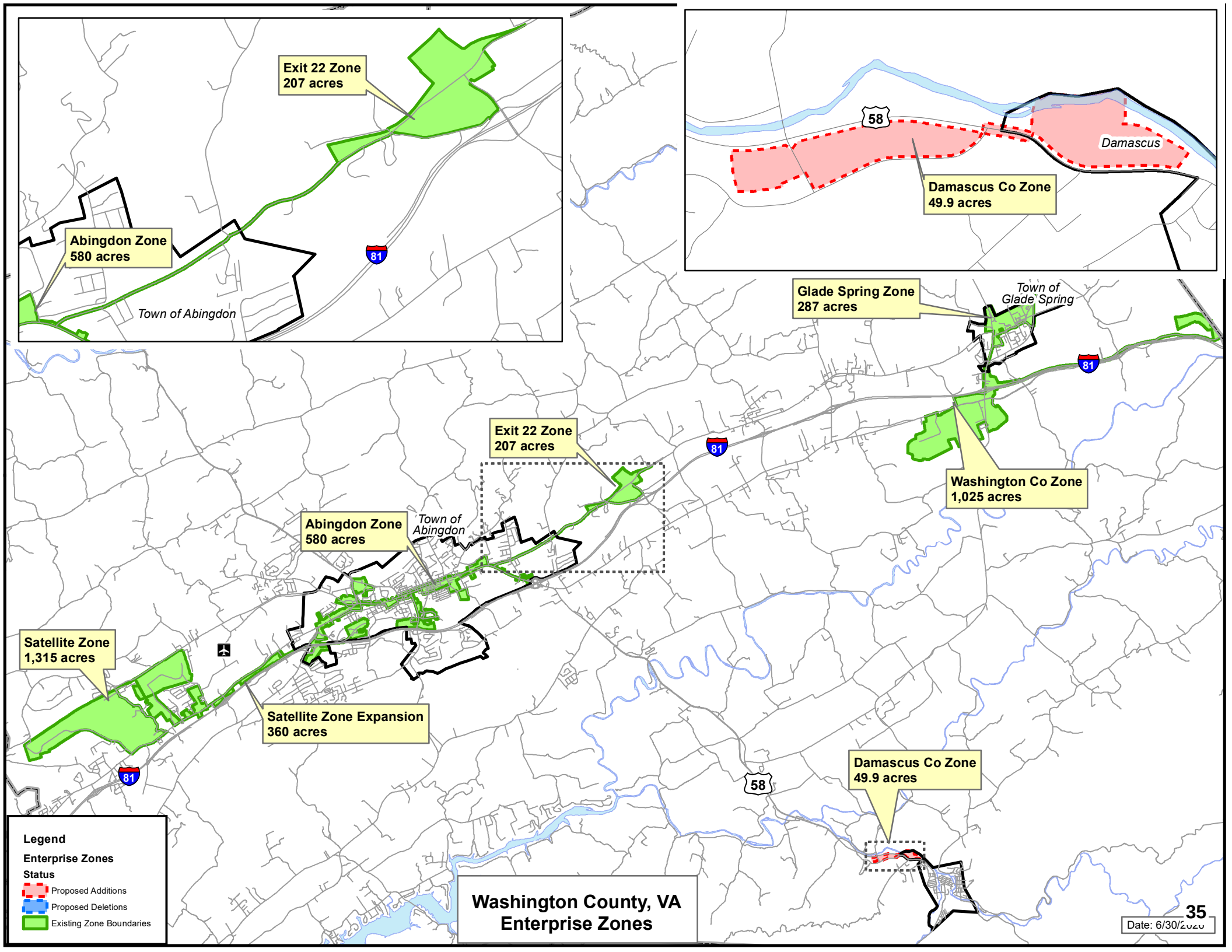
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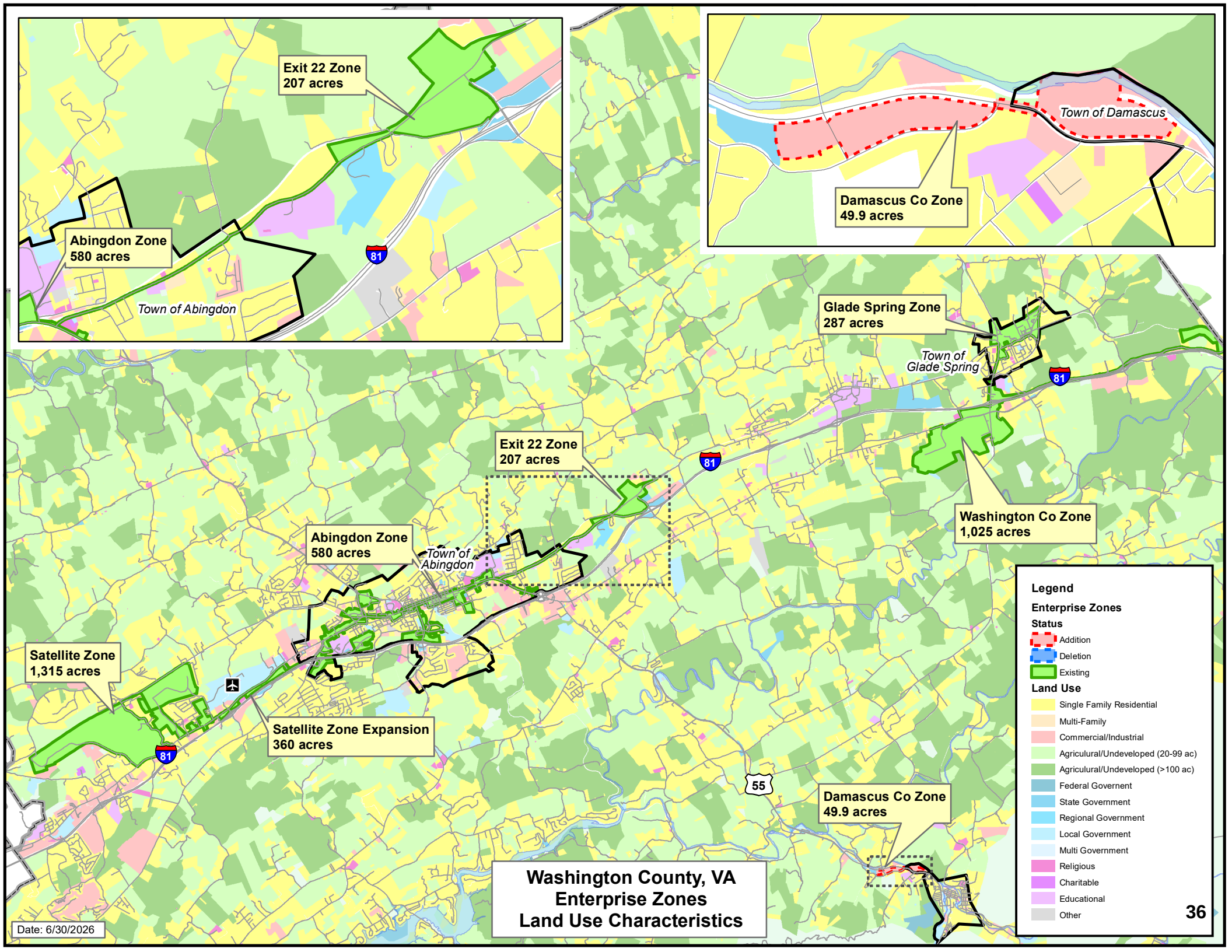
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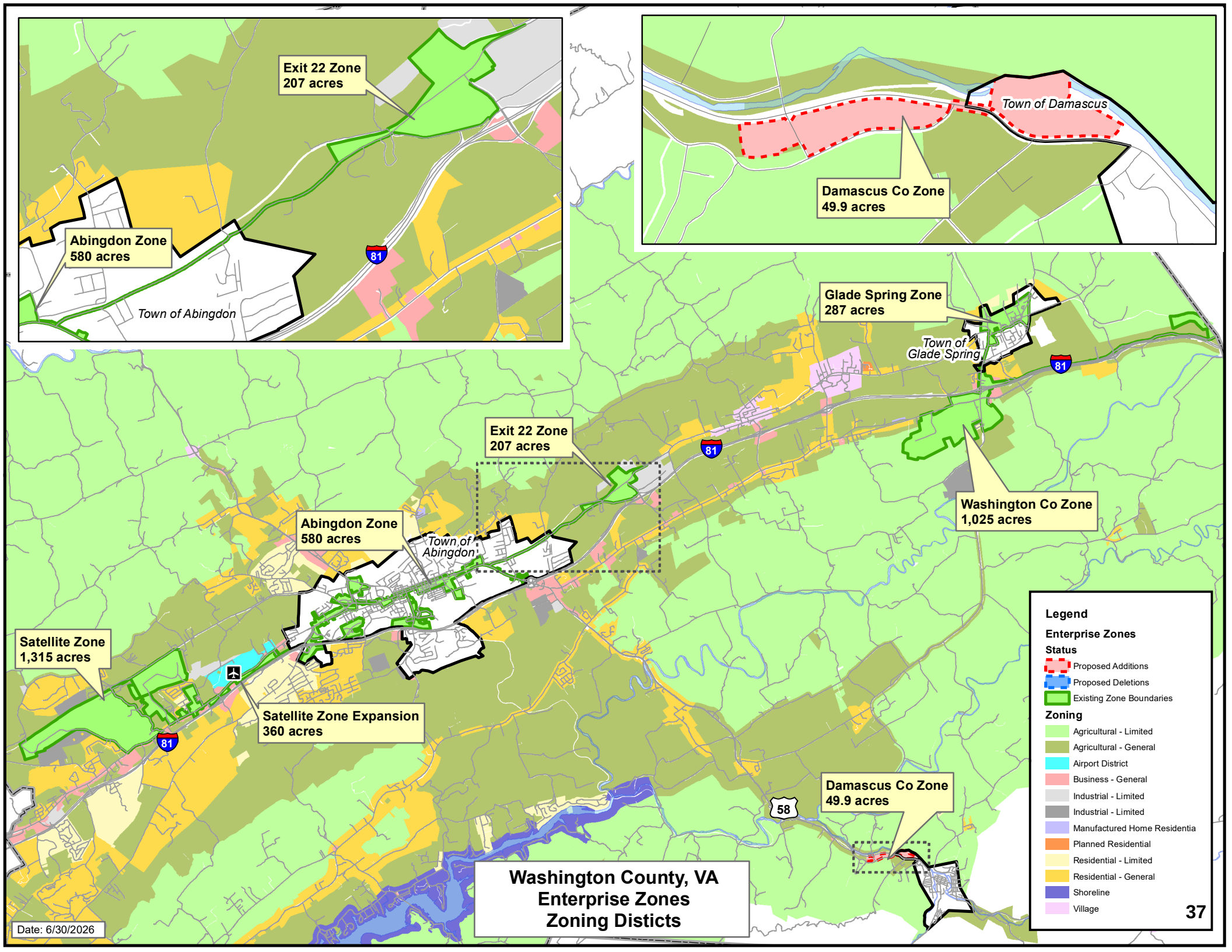
The Town Council of the Town of Saltville, Virginia, will hold a public hearing regarding a proposed Ordinance at their regularly scheduled Council meeting on Tuesday, July 14, 2026, at 7:00 p.m., or as soon thereafter as may be heard. The meeting will be held in the Council Chambers of the Town Hall Building, 217 Palmer Avenue, Saltville, Virginia. The proposed Ordinance is to Authorize a Deed of Dedication of Open-Space Land in Accordance with Chapter 18, Title 10.1, Section 10.1-1801.1 of the Code of Virginia (1950) With Regard to the Property Contained Within the Following Tax Map Numbers : 28A10-1-58, 28A10-1-59, 28A10-1-60, AND 28A10-1-60A.
COL-2001086

Tin Roof Kitchen Co - Abingdon

PRG Enterprises LLC, trading as Tin Roof Kitchen Co. - Abingdon, 238 W. Main St. #30, Abingdon is applying to the VIRGINIA ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGE CONTROL (ABC) AUTHORITY for a Restaurant With Caterer - Beer, Wine Conumed On And Off Premises license to sell or manufacture alcoholic beverages. Travis Penn, Owner. NOTE: Objections to the issuance of this license must be submitted to ABC no later than 30 days from the publishing date of the first of two required newspaper legal notices, Objections should be registered at www.abc.virginia.gov or (800) 552-3200.
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BOARD OF SUPERVISORS AGENDA ITEM REPORT

DATE:	July 14, 2026
SUBMITTED BY:	Heather Damron , County Attorney Office
ITEM TYPE:	Public Hearing
AGENDA SECTION:	PUBLIC HEARINGS
SUBJECT:	Resolution 2026-24 Requesting the Circuit Court of Washington County to Order a Referendum to be held on November 3, 2026, on the question on whether Washington County shall be authorized to levy a one percent local retail sales tax for capital projects for the construction and major renovation for schools.
SUGGESTED MOTION:	Review and discuss Resolution 2026-24 Requesting the Circuit Court of Washington County to Order a Referendum to be held on November 3, 2026, on the question on whether Washington County shall be authorized to levy a one percent local retail sales tax for capital projects for the construction and major renovation for schools.

BACKGROUND AND SUMMARY:

Review and discuss Resolution 2026-24 Requesting the Circuit Court of Washington County to Order a Referendum to be held on November 3, 2026, on the question on whether Washington County shall be authorized to levy a one percent local retail sales tax for capital projects for the construction and major renovation for schools.

ATTACHMENTS:

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RESOLUTION 2026- 24

A RESOLUTION OF THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF WASHINGTON COUNTY, VIRGINIA, ADOPTED PURSUANT TO VIRGINIA CODE § 58.1-65.1, REQUESTING THE CIRCUIT COURT OF WASHINGTON COUNTY TO ORDER A REFERENDUM TO BE HELD ON NOVEMBER 3, 2026, ON THE QUESTION OF WHETHER WASHINGTON COUNTY SHALL BE AUTHORIZED TO LEVY A ONE PERCENT (1%) LOCAL RETAIL SALES TAX FOR CAPITAL PROJECTS FOR THE CONSTRUCTION AND MAJOR RENOVATION FOR PUBLIC SCHOOLS

WHEREAS, Virginia Code § 58.1-605.1 authorizes a locality to levy a general retail sales tax at a rate not to exceed one (1%) percent, in addition to the sales tax authorized under § 58.1-605, to provide revenue solely for capital projects for the construction or major renovation of schools within the locality; and

WHEREAS, the revenues from any such tax shall be used solely for capital projects for new construction or major renovation of schools in Washington County, including bond and loan financing costs related to such construction or major renovation, as required by Virginia Code § 58.1-605.1(G); and

WHEREAS, pursuant to Virginia Code 58.1-605(B)(1), such a tax may be levied if approved in a referendum within the qualifying locality held in accordance with Virginia Code § 24.2-684, and such referendum must be initiated by a resolution of the local governing body; and

WHEREAS, the Board of Supervisors of Washington County has determined that it is in the best interest of the residents of Washington County to seek voter approval for the imposition of such tax in order to fund identified capital projects for the construction and major renovation of public schools within the County; and

WHEREAS, the Board intends that the capital projects for the construction or major renovation of schools; and

WHEREAS, Virginia Code § 24.2-682(B) requires that a referendum election is ordered at least eighty-one (81) days prior to the date for which the referendum election is called, and the Board desires that the referendum be held on November 3, 2026, in conjunction with the November 2026 general election; and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of Supervisors of Washington County, Virginia, as follows:

Section 1. Authorization and Request for Referendum. The Board of Supervisors hereby requests, pursuant to Virginia Code §§ 58.1-605.1 and 24.2-684 that the Circuit Court of Washington County, Virginia, enter an order directing that a referendum be held on November 3, 2026, in conjunction with the November 3, 2026, general election on the following question:

"Should Washington County, Virginia be authorized to levy a general retail sales tax at a rate not to exceed one (1%) percent, provided that the revenue from the sales tax shall be used solely for capital projects for

EXHIBIT A

the construction and major renovation of public schools in Washington County, and that sales tax should expire on _____. "

Section 2. Expiration/Bond Repayment Date. **Option A** The capital projects for the construction or major renovation of schools are to be financed by bonds or loans, and the date by which such bonds or loans shall be repaid is _____. The sales tax shall expire on that date. **Option B.** The capital projects for the construction or major renovation of schools are not to be financed by bonds or loans. The sales tax shall expire on _____, which date is not more than twenty (20) years after the date of this Resolution, as required by Virginia Code § 58.1-605(A)(2).

Section 3. Tax Rate. The proposed additional local retail sales tax shall be levied at a rate not to exceed one (1%) percent as authorized by Virginia Code § 58.1-605(A)(1).

Section 4. Use of Revenues. All revenues generated by the tax shall be used for capital projects for new construction or major renovation of schools in Washinton County, including bond and loan financing costs related to such construction or major renovation, as required by Virginia Code § 58.1-605.1 (G).

Section 5. Exemptions. The local sales tax levied under this Resolution and any resulting ordinance shall not be levied on food purchased for human consumption or essential personal hygiene products, as such terms are defined in Virginia Code § 58.1-611.1, as required by Virginia Code § 58.1-605.1(D)

Section 6. Filing with Circuit Court. The County Administrator, or his designee, is hereby authorized and directed to file a certified copy of this Resolution with the Clerk of the Circuit Court of Washington County as soon as practicable following adoption, and in sufficient time to allow the Circuit Court to enter its order at least eighty-one (81) days prior to November 3, 2026, as required by Virginia Code § 24.2-682(B).

Section 7. Notice of Referendum. Following entry of the court order, the Clerk of the Circuit Court shall publish notice of the referendum in a newspaper of general circulation in Washington County, once a week for three (3) consecutive weeks prior to the election, as required by Virginia Code § 58.1-605.1(B)(2).

Section 9. Administration and Collection. Any local sales tax levied under this Resolution and any resulting ordinances shall be administered and collected by the Tax Commissioner in the same manner and subject to the same exemptions and penalties as provided for the state sales tax, as required by Virginia Code § 58.1-605.1(D).

Section 10. Effective Date. This Resolution shall take effect, immediately, upon its adoption.

ADOPTED by the Board of Supervisors of Washington County, Virginia, at a duly noticed regular meeting held on July 14, 2026.

DONE THIS THE 14TH DAY OF JULY, 2026.

SIGNATURE PAGE TO FOLLOW

THE FOREGOING RESOLUTION WAS DULY ADOPTED BY THE FOLLOWING VOTE:

MR. MCCALL:
MR. PENNINGTON:
MR. HARGIS:
MR. BRANNON:
MR. RUSH:
MR. HERNANDEZ:
MR. BALL:

_____
JASON N. BERRY
COUNTY ADMINISTRATOR

AGENDA ITEM NO. 6.A

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BOARD OF SUPERVISORS AGENDA ITEM REPORT

DATE: July 14, 2026

SUBMITTED BY: Alicia Roland , County Administrator

ITEM TYPE: Information Item

AGENDA SECTION: PUBLIC COMMENT

SUBJECT: **Public Comments**

SUGGESTED MOTION: **Chairman's Opening Statement For Public Comment Period:**

"At this time, the Board will hear Public Comment from those registered to speak. Please come to the Podium as I call your name, and please restate your name, mailing address and any organization you represent. Each speaker will have five minutes for comments beginning with the green light on the Podium, with 1 minute remaining when the green light begins blinking and 30 seconds remaining to conclude when the yellow light appears. Speakers are reminded that Board members and staff will not address questions or otherwise engage speakers during the Public Comment period."

BACKGROUND AND SUMMARY:

Rules Governing Public Comment Period:

The follow is excerpted from the By-Laws of the Washington County Board of Supervisors, Article 8, Conduct of Meetings of the Board of Supervisors):
8.9. A period for Public Comment shall be provided as part of the Agenda for the Board's regular monthly meetings. The Public Comment period is provided to permit Washington County residents or property owners an opportunity to address the Board on legitimate matters of county business. This period shall be governed by the following provisions:

8.9.1. The Public Comment period shall be strictly limited to five (5) minutes per speaker and restricted to residents of Washington County or owners of property located within Washington County. The matters on which speakers may address the Board shall be limited to legitimate matters of county business. No speaker shall engage in political statements, personal attacks upon members of the Board of Supervisors, county employees and officials, or any other person, nor are speakers entitled to use abusive language or discuss matters outside of the authority of the Board of Supervisors. Matters subject to a public hearing scheduled for the same meeting shall not be addressed during the Public Comment period. Violation of these rules shall enable the Chairman to rule the speaker out of order and by directive to have the speaker removed from the meeting, if necessary, and to take such other steps the Chairman deems appropriate, including bringing charges against the speaker in the name of the Board of Supervisors. Any speaker removed from the meeting once or ruled out of order twice within a twelve (12)-month period shall have their privilege to speak before the Board during Public Comment suspended for one (1) year. The Chairman's decision to remove or rule a speaker out of order shall be final and unappealable.

8.9.2. All persons wishing to speak during the Public Comment period must register to do so on a sign-up sheet available immediately prior to and during the period. Speakers shall address the Board from the Lectern upon recognition by the Chairman, whereupon they shall identify themselves, any title and organization they represent, and provide a mailing address. The Chairman at his discretion may provide a verbal advisory to a speaker at the Lectern after four (4) minutes and thirty (30) seconds have elapsed to conclude comments. A timing device may be used in addition to or in lieu of Chairman giving notice.

8.9.3. Board members, county employees and officials shall not respond to questions posed nor address or rebut speaker's statements made during the Public Comment period. Matters raised during the Public Comment period may be discussed during Board Member Reports and the Board at its discretion may direct that such matters be placed on the Agenda of a future meeting.

8.9.4. The provisions of this subsection shall be stated on the Public Comment sign-up sheet. Speakers shall acknowledge their understanding of and agreement to abide by these provisions by registering to speak.

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AGENDA ITEM NO. 7.A

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BOARD OF SUPERVISORS AGENDA ITEM REPORT

DATE: July 14, 2026

SUBMITTED BY: Alicia Roland , County Administrator

ITEM TYPE: Action Item

AGENDA SECTION: CONSENT AGENDA

SUBJECT: APPROVAL OF MINUTES

SUGGESTED MOTION: The Board is requested to review and approved the following minutes:

June 9, 2026 Regular Meeting
June 23, 2026 Regular Meeting

BACKGROUND AND SUMMARY:

The Board is requested to review and approved the following minutes:

June 9, 2026 Regular Meeting
June 23, 2026 Regular Meeting

ATTACHMENTS:

WASHINGTON COUNTY
BOARD OF SUPERVISORS MEETING

MINUTES • JUNE 9, 2026

Board Auditorium **6:30 p.m.**

1 GOVERNMENT CENTER PLACE
ABINGDON, VA 24210

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1) CALL TO ORDER

Attendee Name	Status
Dwayne Ball	Present
Randy Pennington	Present
Lee Brannon	Present
Charlie Hargis Jr.	Present
Saul A Hernandez	Present
David Matlock	Present
Phillip B McCall	Present
Jason Berry	Present
Tammy Sturgill	Present
Alicia Roland	Present
Brandon Snodgrass	Absent

2) INVOCATION AND PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE -- Saul Hernandez

Supervisor Saul Hernandez gave the Invocation and led the Pledge of Allegiance.

3) APPROVAL OF MEETING AGENDA

3.A) Consideration for Approval of Meeting Agenda

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Changes to the agenda include:

addition of pump and haul agreement to agenda item 6.E

add appointment Mr. Brannon to the Personnel and Facilities Committee item 7.H

withdraw White's Mill Pump and Haul request item 7.D

request for funds or Taylor's Valley item 7.I

RESULT:	**ADOPTED [UNANIMOUS]**
MOVER:	Phillip B McCall
SECONDER:	Charlie Hargis Jr.
AYES:	Dwayne Ball, Randy Pennington, Lee Brannon, Charlie Hargis Jr., Saul A Hernandez, David Matlock, Phillip B McCall

Motion to adopt The Board approved the agenda as amended. Moved by Phillip B McCall, seconded by Charlie Hargis Jr.

4) PUBLIC HEARINGS

4.A) Larry & Elizabeth Lowe, Tax Map # 159C-7-24: Request for a Special Exception Permit, for a small business in general, more specifically an outdoor and indoor storage facility, on approximately 5.37 acres of property located at 23275 Clayman Valley Road, Bristol, VA 24202, in the A-2 (Agricultural, General) zoning district, Tyler Magisterial District, Tyler (F-21) Election District.

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The chairman opened the public hearing.

Larry and Elizabeth Lowe, the property owners, spoke on their request.

Hearing no further comments in favor of opposition the public hearing was closed.
Larry & Elizabeth Lowe application for SEP 5-26.pdf

RESULT:	**ADOPTED [UNANIMOUS]**
MOVER:	Saul A Hernandez
SECONDER:	David Matlock
AYES:	Dwayne Ball, Randy Pennington, Lee Brannon, Charlie Hargis Jr., Saul A Hernandez, David Matlock, Phillip B McCall

Motion to adopt The Board chose to grant the Special Exception with the recommendations of the Planning Commission and the contingency of downcast lighting. Moved by Saul A Hernandez, seconded by David Matlock

5) PUBLIC COMMENT

5.A) Public Comments

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The following addressed the Board during Public Comments:

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Stephen Quilty spoke on a county appointee who has moved to Sullivan County, TN.

6) CONSENT AGENDA

6.A) Real Property Tax Refund Request for Surviving Spouse Tax Relief Program
---Presenter: Tammy Sturgill

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Tax Refund Request 5.19.2026.pdf

6.B) Consent Agenda-Supplemental Appropriation-FASP
--Presenter: Tammy Sturgill

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Comm Atty-Dickerson $182.70.pdf
WCSO-Asset Forfeiture-Dickerson $177.63.pdf
Comm Atty-FASP-Hamm $2,407.32.pdf
WCSO-Asset Forfeiture-Hamm $2,340.45.pdf

6.C) Supplemental Appropriation
--Presenter: Tammy Sturgill

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VACORP Insurance Refund-WCSO $13,260.pdf
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Net Gen911.pdf
Opioid Settlement-$14,891.46 Walgreens Payment 4.pdf
Opioid Settlement-Kroger $6,358.98 Payment 3.pdf
Supp Approp-VACORP Insurance Refund $19,382.43.pdf

6.D) Supplemental Appropriation/Prepayment
--Presenter: Tammy Sturgill

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6.E) Permanent Pump and Haul Agreement for Clear Branch Community Church

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6.1.26 Executed Pump and Haul.pdf

6.F) Supplemental Appropriation
--Presenter: Tammy Sturgill

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DCJS Grant $18,750.pdf
VA Rules Grant $2,500.pdf
Donation $500.pdf

6.G) APPROVAL OF MINUTES

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RESULT: **ADOPTED [UNANIMOUS]**
MOVER: Randy Pennington
SECONDER: Charlie Hargis Jr.
AYES: Dwayne Ball, Randy Pennington, Lee Brannon, Charlie Hargis Jr., Saul A Hernandez, David Matlock, Phillip B McCall

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Motion to adopt The Board approved the Consent Agenda as amended. Moved by Randy Pennington, seconded by Charlie Hargis Jr.

7) GENERAL BUSINESS

7.A) FY27 Budget Adjustments
--Presenter: Tammy Sturgill

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RESULT: **ADOPTED [UNANIMOUS]**
MOVER: David Matlock
SECONDER: Phillip B McCall
AYES: Dwayne Ball, Randy Pennington, Lee Brannon, Charlie Hargis Jr., Saul A Hernandez, David Matlock, Phillip B McCall

Motion to adopt The Board approved FY27 Budget Adjustments as presented.

Moved by David Matlock, seconded by Phillip B McCall

Additions to the Budget Adjustments

7.B) Appointment of Dr. Christopher Qualls to the newly established Washington County CPMT, in place of Jason Berry. Their first meeting will be July 13, 2026.

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RESULT: **ADOPTED [UNANIMOUS]**
MOVER: Randy Pennington
SECONDER: David Matlock
AYES: Dwayne Ball, Randy Pennington, Lee Brannon, Charlie Hargis Jr., Saul A Hernandez, David Matlock, Phillip B McCall

Motion to adopt The Board chose to appoint Dr. Qualls as the County representative on the CPMT.

Moved by Randy Pennington, seconded by David Matlock

7.C) Appointment of Isha Youhas to the Washington County Service Authority - Tyler District

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RESULT: **ADOPTED [UNANIMOUS]**
MOVER: Saul A Hernandez
SECONDER: Charlie Hargis Jr.
AYES: Dwayne Ball, Randy Pennington, Lee Brannon, Charlie Hargis Jr., Saul A Hernandez, David Matlock, Phillip B McCall

Motion to adopt The Board chose to appoint Isha Youhas to the Washington County Service Authority for a four-year term beginning July 1, 2026 and expiring June 30, 2030. Moved by Saul A Hernandez, seconded by Charlie Hargis Jr.

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7.D) Permanent Pump and Haul Agreement for Whitesmill Foundation which includes, covenants, restrictions and requirements.

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6.1.26 Pump and Haul Agreement.pdf
pump and haul agreement

Withdrawn per action in Approval of Meeting Agenda.

7.E) Appointment to the Social Services Board for the Taylor District.

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RESULT: **ADOPTED [UNANIMOUS]**
MOVER: David Matlock
SECONDER: Phillip B McCall
AYES: Dwayne Ball, Randy Pennington, Lee Brannon, Charlie Hargis Jr., Saul A Hernandez, David Matlock, Phillip B McCall

Motion to adopt If favorable a motion to appoint Debbie Anderson to the Board of Social Services for a four-year term, beginning July 1, 2026 and expiring June 30, 2030. Moved by David Matlock, seconded by Phillip B McCall

7.F) Appointment to the Virginia Highlands Airport Authority for the Harrison District.

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RESULT: **ADOPTED [UNANIMOUS]**
MOVER: Phillip B McCall
SECONDER: David Matlock
AYES: Dwayne Ball, Randy Pennington, Lee Brannon, Charlie Hargis Jr., Saul A Hernandez, David Matlock, Phillip B McCall

Motion to adopt If favorable a motion to appoint Jeff Johnson to the Virginia Highlands Airport Authority for a four-year term, beginning July 1, 2026 and expiring June 30, 2030. Moved by Phillip B McCall, seconded by David Matlock

7.G) Appointment to the Library Board for the Harrison District.

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RESULT: **ADOPTED [UNANIMOUS]**
MOVER: Phillip B McCall
SECONDER: Randy Pennington
AYES: Dwayne Ball, Randy Pennington, Lee Brannon, Charlie Hargis Jr., Saul A Hernandez, David Matlock, Phillip B McCall

Motion to adopt If favorable a motion to appoint Gary Lester to the Library Board for a four-year term, beginning July 1, 2026 and expiring June 30, 2030. Moved by Phillip B McCall, seconded by Randy Pennington

7.H) Facility & Personnel Personnel Committee Appointment

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RESULT:	**ADOPTED [UNANIMOUS]**
MOVER:	David Matlock
SECONDER:	Randy Pennington
AYES:	Dwayne Ball, Randy Pennington, Lee Brannon, Charlie Hargis Jr., Saul A Hernandez, David Matlock, Phillip B McCall

Motion to adopt The Board chose to appoint Lee Brannon to the Facilities and Personnel Committees for the remainder of 2026. Moved by David Matlock, seconded by Randy Pennington

7.I) Request of Funds for Taylor's Valley Community Club playground

RESULT:	**ADOPTED [UNANIMOUS]**
MOVER:	David Matlock
SECONDER:	Phillip B McCall
AYES:	Dwayne Ball, Randy Pennington, Lee Brannon, Charlie Hargis Jr., Saul A Hernandez, David Matlock, Phillip B McCall

Motion to adopt The Board approve $3,500 to help replace picnic tables and benches at the Taylor's Valley Community Center, and to be taken from the Board's contingency. Moved by David Matlock, seconded by Phillip B McCall

8) BOARD MEMBER REPORTS

8.A) Board Member Reports

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Mr. Hernandez shared he has had a lot of constituent meetings and attended the BVU Board and the Ag Committee meeting.

Mr. Brannon shared he was sworn in at 2:41 pm today, and thanked both constituents and the Board for trusting in him to serve on the Board of Supervisors.

Mr. Hargis shared he attended the tour at Stuart Rush.

Mr. Pennington shared he has had some discussion with VDOT on mowing. He also welcomed Mr. Brannon to the Board.

Mr. McCall welcomed Mr. Brannon and further commented on the Ag Committee's work. He also shared Joe Hutton has passed.

Mr. Hernandez further commented on the passing of Billy Brooks.

Mr. Matlock shared he attended a Damascus Town Council meeting and a CDBG Disaster Relief meeting with Mr. Berry. He also attended another session of the VACo Supervisor's Certification training where they discussed Land Use and Zoning.

Mr. Ball shared he has had multiple calls on VDOT mowing of right-of-ways. He too mentioned the passing of Billy Brooks.

9) BOARD INFORMATION AND REMINDERS

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9.A) BOARD INFORMATION AND REMINDERS

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Expiring Appointments.pdf
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9.B) Audit Engagement Letter for Fiscal Year Ending June 30, 2026

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26 0526 Signed Audit Engagement Letter-RFC-Board Info.pdf

Mr. Berry shared he attended the Cathy Lowe ribbon cutting at the Small Business Incubator.

The DHCD Disaster Relief Planning Grant will be used for a county-wide disaster assessment.

June 10th he and Mrs. Kingsley-Varble will have a call with the state for detail on county-wide Fire and EMS Study for the Board to consider at a future meeting.

The Abingdon Fiddler's Convention will be June 19th and 20th.

He welcomed Mr. Brannon to the Board.

10) ADJOURN OR RECESS

10.A)ADJOURN OR RECESS THE MEETING

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RESULT:	**ADOPTED [UNANIMOUS]**
MOVER:	Saul A Hernandez
SECONDER:	Randy Pennington
AYES:	Dwayne Ball, Randy Pennington, Lee Brannon, Charlie Hargis Jr., Saul A Hernandez, David Matlock, Phillip B McCall

Motion to adopt The Board adjourned the meeting. Moved by Saul A Hernandez, seconded by Randy Pennington

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WASHINGTON COUNTY
BOARD OF SUPERVISORS MEETING

MINUTES • JUNE 23, 2026

Board Auditorium **6:30 p.m.**

1 GOVERNMENT CENTER PLACE
ABINGDON, VA 24210

DRAFT - SUBJECT TO BOARD APPROVAL

1) CALL TO ORDER

Attendee Name	Status
Dwayne Ball	Present
Randy Pennington	Present
Lee Brannon	Present
Charlie Hargis Jr.	Present
Saul A Hernandez	Present
David Matlock	Present
Phillip B McCall	Present
Jason Berry	Present
Brandon Snodgrass	Present
Tammy Sturgill	Present
Alicia Roland	Present

2) INVOCATION AND PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE -- Saul Hernandez

Supervisor Saul Hernandez gave the Invocation and led the Pledge of Allegiance.

3) APPROVAL OF MEETING AGENDA

3.A) Consideration for Approval of Meeting Agenda

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Changes to the agenda include:

Request for Funds for a Garage Door for Washington County Fire & Rescue - 7.H
Barter Theater request for Funds - 7.I
Appointments to the Community Policy and Management Team - 7.J

RESULT:	**ADOPTED [UNANIMOUS]**
MOVER:	Phillip B McCall
SECONDER:	Saul A Hernandez
AYES:	Saul A Hernandez, Dwayne Ball, Randy Pennington, Lee Brannon, Charlie Hargis Jr., David Matlock, Phillip B McCall

Motion to adopt The Board approved the agenda as amended. Moved by Phillip B McCall, seconded by Saul A Hernandez

4) PRESENTATIONS

4.A) Presentation: Update on Major Revenue Drivers for FY2026
--Presenter: Tammy Sturgill

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Revenue Update

5) PUBLIC COMMENT

5.A) Public Comments

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No one addressed the Board during Public Comments.

6) CONSENT AGENDA

6.A) Consent Agenda-Payment of Bills
--Presenter: Tammy Sturgill

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6.B) Supplemental Appropriation
--Presenter: Tammy Sturgill

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1. $47,135.55 EDI.pdf
2. 20260610_Quarterly_Appropriation_Request.pdf
3. Library State Aid.pdf
4. WCSO Office Donations #1.pdf
5. WCSO Office Donations #2.pdf
6. 26 0611 Allocation of Funds-2008 Holden Trailer.pdf
7. Supp Approp-Litter Control.pdf
8. E-Rate-Library.pdf
9. VACORP Insurance Refund-Generator.pdf

6.C) Request for Budget Transfer
--Presenter: Tammy Sturgill

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Sheriff Office Budget Transfer-Vac Savings $7,953.45.pdf

6.D) Consideration of Request to Surplus Equipment
--Presenter: Tammy Sturgill

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Request for Surplus.pdf
Treasurer Surplus Equipment.pdf

6.E) Consent Agenda - C-TREC Fireworks Application

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C-TREC Fireworks permit.pdf

RESULT: **ADOPTED [UNANIMOUS]**
MOVER: Randy Pennington
SECONDER: Charlie Hargis Jr.
AYES: Randy Pennington, Lee Brannon, Charlie Hargis Jr., Saul A Hernandez, David Matlock, Phillip B McCall, Dwayne Ball

Motion to adopt The Board approved the Consent Agenda as presented. Moved by Randy Pennington, seconded by Charlie Hargis Jr.

7) GENERAL BUSINESS

7.A) Award of Proposal and Contract for Insurance-Property and Person for Fire Service and Emergency Medical Service Providers
--Presenter: Tammy Sturgill

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Proposals Received-Fire & EMS Insurance.pdf
Summary of Premiums for Contract.pdf

RESULT: **ADOPTED [UNANIMOUS]**
MOVER: Saul A Hernandez
SECONDER: Charlie Hargis Jr.
AYES: Dwayne Ball, Randy Pennington, Lee Brannon, Charlie Hargis Jr., Saul A Hernandez, David Matlock, Phillip B McCall

Motion to adopt The Board chose to (1) award the proposal and contract for Insurance-Property and Person for Fire Service and Emergency Medical Service Providers to Slemp Brant Saunders & Associates Inc, (2) to authorize Mr. Berry to sign the contract and (3) to approve the budget adjustments for FY2026-2027 as presented. Moved by Saul A Hernandez, seconded by Charlie Hargis Jr.

7.B) Adoption of County Operating Budget FY2026-2027
--Presenter: Tammy Sturgill

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RESOLUTION-Budget Adoption 2026-2027.pdf

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RESULT: **ADOPTED [UNANIMOUS]**
MOVER: Randy Pennington
SECONDER: Phillip B McCall
AYES: Dwayne Ball, Randy Pennington, Lee Brannon, Charlie Hargis Jr., Saul A Hernandez, David Matlock, Phillip B McCall

Motion to adopt The Board chose to adopt the Budget Resolution as presented. Moved by Randy Pennington, seconded by Phillip B McCall

7.C) Appropriation of County Operating Budget FY 2026-2027
--Presenter: Tammy Sturgill

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RESOLUTION-Budget Appropriation 2026-2027.pdf

RESULT: **ADOPTED [UNANIMOUS]**
MOVER: Saul A Hernandez
SECONDER: Phillip B McCall
AYES: Dwayne Ball, Randy Pennington, Lee Brannon, Charlie Hargis Jr., Saul A Hernandez, David Matlock, Phillip B McCall

Motion to adopt The Board chose to adopt the Annual Appropriation Resolution as presented. Moved by Saul A Hernandez, seconded by Phillip B McCall

7.D) Transfer from Reserve for Contingencies
--Presenter: Tammy Sturgill

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RESULT: **ADOPTED [UNANIMOUS]**
MOVER: Phillip B McCall
SECONDER: David Matlock
AYES: Dwayne Ball, Randy Pennington, Lee Brannon, Charlie Hargis Jr., Saul A Hernandez, David Matlock, Phillip B McCall

Motion to adopt The Board chose to approve $5,000 from the Board's Reserve for Contingencies to the Assessor's budget for Purchased Services. Moved by Phillip B McCall, seconded by David Matlock

7.E) Request from Virginia Highlands Airport Authority
--Presenter: Mickey Hines

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Airport request $47,327.44.pdf

RESULT: **ADOPTED [5-2]**
MOVER: David Matlock
SECONDER: Phillip B McCall
AYES: Lee Brannon, Charlie Hargis Jr., Saul A Hernandez, David Matlock, Phillip B McCall
NAYS: Randy Pennington, Dwayne Ball

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Motion to adopt The Board chose to allocate $47,327.44 from the Board's Reserve for Contingencies for the grant match for the Virginia Highlands Airport Authority. Moved by David Matlock, seconded by Phillip B McCall

7.F) Appointment to the Park Authority for the Madison District.

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RESULT:	**ADOPTED [UNANIMOUS]**
MOVER:	Charlie Hargis Jr.
SECONDER:	Phillip B McCall
AYES:	Randy Pennington, Lee Brannon, Charlie Hargis Jr., Saul A Hernandez, Dwayne Ball, David Matlock, Phillip B McCall

Motion to adopt The Board chose to appoint Benjamin Casteel to the Park Authority for a four-year term, beginning July 1, 2026 and expiring June 30, 2030. Moved by Charlie Hargis Jr., seconded by Phillip B McCall

7.G) Appointment to the Planning Commission for the Jefferson District.

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RESULT:	**ADOPTED [UNANIMOUS]**
MOVER:	Randy Pennington
SECONDER:	Saul A Hernandez
AYES:	Dwayne Ball, Randy Pennington, Lee Brannon, Charlie Hargis Jr., Saul A Hernandez, David Matlock, Phillip B McCall

Motion to adopt The Board chose to appoint Paul Widener to the Planning Commission for a four-year term, beginning July 1, 2025 and expiring June 30, 2029. Moved by Randy Pennington, seconded by Saul A Hernandez

7.H) Request from Washington County Fire & Rescue

WC F&R Request

RESULT:	**ADOPTED [UNANIMOUS]**
MOVER:	Randy Pennington
SECONDER:	Charlie Hargis Jr.
AYES:	Dwayne Ball, Randy Pennington, Lee Brannon, Charlie Hargis Jr., Saul A Hernandez, David Matlock, Phillip B McCall

Motion to adopt The Board chose to approve $2,907 from the Board's Reserve for Contingency to Washington County Fire & Rescue. Moved by Randy Pennington, seconded by Charlie Hargis Jr.

7.I) Request for Barter Foundation

Request for Barter Foundation

RESULT:	**ADOPTED [UNANIMOUS]**
MOVER:	Saul A Hernandez

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SECONDER: David Matlock
AYES: Dwayne Ball, Randy Pennington, Lee Brannon, Charlie Hargis Jr., Saul A Hernandez, David Matlock, Phillip B McCall

Motion to adopt The Board chose to approve $3,000 from the Board's Reserve for Contingency to the Barter Foundation to support the production of Frozen at the Mendota Community Center. Moved by Saul A Hernandez, seconded by David Matlock

7.J) Appointments to the Washington County Community Policy and Management Team

CPMT Appointment

RESULT: **ADOPTED [UNANIMOUS]**
MOVER: Phillip B McCall
SECONDER: David Matlock
AYES: Randy Pennington, Lee Brannon, Charlie Hargis Jr., Saul A Hernandez, David Matlock, Phillip B McCall, Dwayne Ball

Motion to adopt The Board chose to appoint the following to the Washington County Community Policy & Management Team:

- Dr. Christopher Qualls, Washington County Local Government designee
- Melena Charles, Assistant Director, Washington County Department of Social Services designee
- Rebecca Holmes, CEO, Highlands Community Services
- Linda Grambrel, Mount Rogers Health District, VDH designee
- Dr. Marie Stanley, Washington County Public Schools designee
- Amy Johnson, Director, 28th District Court Services Unit
- Dr. Rick Carroll, LPC, local serve provider
- Kathy Roark, parent representative

Moved by Phillip B McCall, seconded by David Matlock

8) BOARD MEMBER REPORTS

8.A) Board Member Reports

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Mr. Matlock shared he attended another of VACo Supervisor training, this one on Planning and Zoning.

Mr. McCall shared congratulation to the Patrick Henry Rebels on capturing the 2026 VHSL Class 1 State Baseball Championship and congratulations to the Abingdon Falcons on winning the 2026 VHSL Class 3 State Softball Championship.

Mr. Pennington shared he attended his last meeting for the Highlands Community Services Board. He to congratulated the Patrick Henry Rebels on capturing the 2026 VHSL Class 1 State Baseball Championship and congratulations to the Abingdon Falcons on winning the 2026 VHSL Class 3 State Softball Championship.

Mr. Hargis also congratulated the Patrick Henry Rebels on capturing the 2026 VHSL Class 1 State Baseball Championship and congratulations to the Abingdon Falcons on winning the 2026 VHSL Class 3 State Softball Championship..

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Mr. Brannon also shared congratulations to the athletics but also the academics, musical, and drama talents of the students of Washington County.

Mr. Hernandez also spoke highly of the students of Washington County. He also shared he has attended BVU Board meeting and meeting with County Staff and VDOT on a road issue.

Mr. Ball shared Mathew Lewis with VDOT is an asset to the County. He shared that he attended the meeting of the Washington County Service Authority where they passed a balanced budget. He also attended a meeting with Mr. Hernandez and Planning Commission Members Christina Rehfuss and Dulcie Mumpower on ordinances for Data Centers and Battery Storage. He too also spoke highly of the students of Washington County.

9) BOARD INFORMATION AND REMINDERS

9.A) BOARD INFORMATION AND REMINDERS

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Mr. Berry shared the following Information and Reminders:

Task orders 10 and 11 were signed today for the Glade Spring and Mendota Library projects.

Transition from County to DEQ for Stormwater is going well.

Motorola Radio is about two months a head of schedule. On June 30 Motorola will be in town to visit all 5 new tower sites.

July 1 a meeting is scheduled with Virginia Department of Health to discuss an ordinance for permanent pump and haul.

Mr. Snodgrass shared he has been in contact with Kelly Miller at DEQ who has sent information to include in the Erosion and Sediment Control ordinance as they move forward with the transition of Stormwater. He also spoke highly of the students of Washington County
Expiring Appointments.pdf
connections60126.pdf

10) CLOSED MEETINGS

10.A) Closed Meeting as Authorized by Virginia Code Section 2.2-3711(A)(7), for Consultation with legal counsel and briefings by staff members or consultants pertaining to actual or probable litigation, where such consultation or briefing in open meeting would adversely affect the negotiating or litigating posture of the public body. Pertaining to a legal agreement for the Stuart-Rush Development.

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RESULT:	**ADOPTED [UNANIMOUS]**
MOVER:	David Matlock
SECONDER:	Randy Pennington
AYES:	Dwayne Ball, David Matlock, Randy Pennington, Lee Brannon, Charlie Hargis Jr., Saul A Hernandez, Phillip B McCall

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Motion to adopt The Board chose to convene in Closed Meeting as authorized by Virginia Code Section 2.2-3711(A)(7), for Consultation with legal counsel and briefings by staff members or consultants pertaining to actual or probable litigation, where such consultation or briefing in open meeting would adversely affect the negotiating or litigating posture of the public body. Pertaining to a legal agreement for the Stuart-Rush Development; and to include Jason Berry, Brandon Snodgrass, and Alicia Roland. Moved by David Matlock, seconded by Randy Pennington

10.B) Closed Meeting as Authorized by Virginia Code Section 2.2-3711(A)(5), for Discussion concerning a prospective business or industry or the expansion of an existing business or industry where no previous announcement has been made of the business' or industry's interest in locating or expanding its facilities in the community.

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RESULT: **ADOPTED [UNANIMOUS]**
MOVER: David Matlock
SECONDER: Randy Pennington
AYES: Dwayne Ball, Randy Pennington, Lee Brannon, Charlie Hargis Jr., Saul A Hernandez, David Matlock, Phillip B McCall

Motion to adopt Per action in Item 10.A) the Board chose to convene in Closed Meeting as Authorized by Virginia Code Section 2.2-3711(A)(5), for Discussion concerning a prospective business or industry or the expansion of an existing business or industry where no previous announcement has been made of the business' or industry's interest in locating or expanding its facilities in the community; more specifically Project Spark; and to include Jason Berry, Brandon Snodgrass, and Alicia Roland. Moved by David Matlock, seconded by Randy Pennington

10.C) Reconvene in Open Meeting

RESULT: **ADOPTED [UNANIMOUS]**
MOVER: Randy Pennington
SECONDER: Charlie Hargis Jr.
AYES: Dwayne Ball, Randy Pennington, Lee Brannon, Charlie Hargis Jr., Saul A Hernandez, David Matlock, Phillip B McCall

Motion to adopt The Board chose to reconvene in Open Meeting. Moved by Randy Pennington, seconded by Charlie Hargis Jr.

10.D) Certify the Closed Meeting

RESULT: **ADOPTED [UNANIMOUS]**
MOVER: Randy Pennington
SECONDER: Phillip B McCall
AYES: Randy Pennington, Lee Brannon, Charlie Hargis Jr., Saul A Hernandez, Phillip B McCall, Dwayne Ball, David Matlock

Motion to adopt The Board chose to certify the Closed Meetings in accordance with the requirements of the Virginia Freedom of Information Act. Moved by Randy Pennington,

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seconded by Phillip B McCall

11) ADJOURN OR RECESS

11.A)ADJOURN OR RECESS THE MEETING

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RESULT:	**ADOPTED [UNANIMOUS]**
MOVER:	Randy Pennington
SECONDER:	Charlie Hargis Jr.
AYES:	Dwayne Ball, Randy Pennington, Lee Brannon, Charlie Hargis Jr., Saul A Hernandez, David Matlock, Phillip B McCall

Motion to adopt The Board chose to Adjourn the meeting Moved by Randy Pennington, seconded by Charlie Hargis Jr.

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AGENDA ITEM NO. 7.B

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BOARD OF SUPERVISORS AGENDA ITEM REPORT

DATE: July 14, 2026

SUBMITTED BY: Tammy Sturgill , Budget & Finance

ITEM TYPE: Action Item

AGENDA SECTION: CONSENT AGENDA

SUBJECT: Consideration of Request for Surplus of County Vehicles
--Presenter: Sheriff's Office

SUGGESTED MOTION: Motion to authorize the surplus of County vehicles as listed.

BACKGROUND AND SUMMARY:

The Sheriff's Office would like to request surplus of the following vehicles from the Sheriff's Office Fleet:

Year	Make	Model	VIN#
2014	Ford	Explorer SU	#4560
2018	Dodge	Grand Caravan	#0118
2020	Dodge	Charger	#8299
2020	Dodge	Charger	#1908

After the vehicles are approved for surplus, they will be delivered to local auto auction to sell.

ATTACHMENTS:

Outlook

(4) County Vehicles need to surplus. Is it possible to get it on the Board Agenda for July 14, 2026

From Jeff Burton <jburton@washso.org>
Date Thu 6/25/2026 8:33 AM
To Tammy Copenhaver <tcopenhaver@washcova.com>
Cc Jeff Burton <jburton@washso.org>; Scott Snapp <ssnapp@washso.org>; Blake Andis <sheriff@washso.org>

Tammy, June 25, 2026

Washington County Sheriff's Office has (4) county vehicles we need to surplus.

If possible, to get this on the Board of Supervisor Agenda for July 14, 2026.

Here is the list as follows:

YEAR	MAKE/ MODEL	MILEAGE:	LAST 4 of VIN/
2014	Ford Explorer SU	126,911	#4560
2018	Dodge Grand Caravan	179,369	#0118
2020	Dodge Charger	124,558	#8299
2020	Dodge Charger	107,346	#1908

Thanks for your assistance in this matter.

Lieutenant W.J. Burton

Washington Co. Sheriff's Office
20281 Rustic Lane
Abingdon, Virginia 24210
(Direct) 276-676-6029
(Office) 276-676-6000
(Dispatch) 276-676-6277

AGENDA ITEM NO. 7.C

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BOARD OF SUPERVISORS AGENDA ITEM REPORT

DATE: July 14, 2026

SUBMITTED BY: Tammy Sturgill , Budget & Finance

ITEM TYPE: Action Item

AGENDA SECTION: CONSENT AGENDA

SUBJECT: Supplemental Appropriation
--Presenter: Tammy Sturgill

SUGGESTED MOTION: Motion to approve Supplemental Appropriation as presented.

BACKGROUND AND SUMMARY:

The Board is requested to consider the following Supplemental Appropriation:

Expenditures

008-031831-418205-000-0000-50133	$ 3,650.00	Surplus/Ins Recovery-Motor Vehicles & Equipment
008-031831-418205-000-0000-50133	$ 8,200.00	Surplus/Ins Recovery-Motor Vehicles & Equipment
Total	$11,850.00	

Revenues

008-001899-311881-000-0000-50133	$ 3,650.00
008-001899-311881-000-0000-50133	$ 8,200.00
Total	$ 11,850.00

ATTACHMENTS:

Liquidity Services Operations, LLC - GovDeals Inc.
PO Box 242457
Montgomery, AL 36124

GovDeals®
A Liquidity Services Marketplace

Date: 06/19/2026
Check #: 176021
Payment Amount: 11,998.13
Vendor #: GD27672

016481 R3K5T1A
WASHINGTON COUNTY
1 GOVERNMENT CENTER WAY
ABINGDON VA 24210-8483

For inquiries, please contact us at accounting@govdeals.com

Remittance Advice

Invoice Date	Invoice #	Related PO #	Invoice Gross Amt	Discount Amount	Invoice Net Amt
05/28/2026	30-0409261238-27672		3,695.63	0.00	3,695.63
05/26/2026	36-0506261146-27672		8,302.50	0.00	8,302.50

BU02 608-001899-311881-000-0000-50133 3,650.00 Sale of Surplus
CJ01 001-001902-311831 45.63 Rebate
3,695.63

BU02 608-001899-311881-000-0000-50133 8200.00 Sale of Surplus
CJ01 001-001902-311831 102.50 Rebate
8302.50

PLEASE DETACH BEFORE DEPOSITING CHECK

THIS CHECK CONTAINS MULTIPLE FRAUD DETERRENT SECURITY FEATURES

Liquidity Services Operations, LLC - GovDeals Inc.
PO Box 242457
Montgomery, AL 36124

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11-24/1210

Date: 06/19/2026
Check #: 176021

Pay Exactly **Eleven Thousand Nine Hundred Ninety-Eight and 13/100 US Dollars** to

Amount
$***11,998.13
VOID AFTER 180 DAYS

TO THE ORDER OF WASHINGTON COUNTY

WELLS FARGO BANK, N.A.

Authorized Signer

2 Signatures on All Checks $50,000.00 and Over

AGENDA ITEM NO. 7.D

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BOARD OF SUPERVISORS AGENDA ITEM REPORT

DATE:	July 14, 2026
SUBMITTED BY:	Heather Damron , County Attorney Office
ITEM TYPE:	Action Item
AGENDA SECTION:	CONSENT AGENDA
SUBJECT:	AEP Easement and Right of Way
SUGGESTED MOTION:	Recommend approval of AEP Easement and Right of Way

BACKGROUND AND SUMMARY:

Recommend Approval of AEP Right of Way and Easement

ATTACHMENTS:

Line Name: Saltville - Kingsport
Line No.: TLN150:00062 **Easement No.:** 6A

EASEMENT AND RIGHT OF WAY

On this ___ day of_____, 2026, in consideration of Ten and NO/100 Dollars ($10.00), and other valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which is hereby acknowledged, and the covenants hereinafter set forth, **Board of Supervisors of The County of Washington, Virginia, a political subdivision of the Commonwealth of Virginia**, whose address is 1 Government Center Place, Suite A, Abingdon, VA 24210, ("Grantor"), whether one or more persons, hereby grants, sells, conveys, and warrants to **Appalachian Power Company**, a(n) Virginia corporation, a unit of American Electric Power, whose principal business address is 1 Riverside Plaza, Columbus, Ohio 43215, ("AEP") and its successors, assigns, lessees and tenants a permanent easement and right of way ("Easement"), for electric transmission, distribution, and communication lines and appurtenant equipment and fixtures, being, in, on, over, under, through and across the following described lands of the Grantor, situated in the Harrison Magisterial District, State of Virginia, Washington County.

Grantor claims title by General Warranty Deed, Instrument Number 080008173, recorded 12/11/2008, in the Washington County Recorder's Office.

Auditor/Key/Tax Number: 104-A-1

The Easement Area is more fully described and depicted on Exhibit "A", a copy of which is attached hereto and made a part hereof ("Easement Area").

GRANTOR FURTHER GRANTS AEP THE FOLLOWING RIGHTS:

The right, now or in the future, to construct, reconstruct, operate, maintain, alter, improve, extend, inspect and patrol (by ground or air), protect, repair, remove, replace, upgrade and relocate within the Easement Area, poles, towers, and structures, made of wood, metal, concrete or other materials, and crossarms, guys, anchors, grounding systems, and all other appurtenant equipment and fixtures, and to string conductors, wires and cables; together with the right to add to said facilities from time to time, and the right to do anything necessary, useful or convenient for the enjoyment of the Easement herein granted. AEP shall also have the right outside the Easement Area to install guy wires and anchors, control trees and vegetation interfering with such guys and anchors, and to construct, use, maintain, and remove new or upgraded access roads inside and outside the Easement Area as may be necessary for access to and from the Easement Area for the purposes referenced in this easement document.

The right, in AEP's discretion, now or in the future, to cut down, trim, remove, and otherwise control, using herbicides or tree growth regulators or other means, any and all trees, overhanging branches, vegetation or brush situated within the Easement Area. AEP shall also have the right to cut down, trim or remove trees situated on lands of Grantor which adjoin the Easement Area when

in the opinion of AEP those trees may endanger the safety of, or interfere with the construction, operation or maintenance of AEP's facilities or ingress or egress to, from or along the Easement Area.
The right of unobstructed ingress and egress, at any and all times, over, across and along and upon the Easement Area, and across the adjoining lands of Grantor as may be necessary for access to and from the Easement Area for the above referenced purposes.

THIS GRANT IS SUBJECT TO THE FOLLOWING CONDITIONS:

The Grantor reserves the right to cultivate annual crops, pasture, construct fences (provided gates are installed that adequately provide AEP the access rights conveyed herein) and roads or otherwise use the lands encumbered by this Easement in any way not inconsistent with the rights herein granted. In no event, however, shall Grantor, its heirs, successors, and assigns plant or cultivate any trees or place, construct, install, erect or permit any temporary or permanent building, structure, improvement or obstruction including but not limited to, storage tanks, billboards, signs, sheds, dumpsters, light poles, water impoundments, above ground irrigation systems, swimming pools or wells, or permit any alteration of the ground elevation, over, or within the Easement Area. AEP may, at Grantor's cost, remove any structure or obstruction if placed within the Easement Area, and may re-grade any alterations of the ground elevation within the Easement Area.

Grantor acknowledges that certain areas of the lands encumbered by this Easement may be subject to a stormwater protection permit during periods of AEP's construction or maintenance. With regard to those areas, Grantor agrees to refrain from activities that would interfere with AEP's responsibilities under such permit(s) including but not limited to damaging silt fences, damaging access roads or interfering with re-vegetation efforts. AEP shall seek termination of the permit covering these areas of the lands encumbered by this Easement as soon as reasonably possible following its construction or maintenance activities.

AEP agrees to repair or pay the Grantor for actual damages sustained by Grantor to crops, fences, gates, irrigation and drainage systems, drives, or lawns that are permitted herein, when such damages arise out of AEP's exercise of the rights herein granted.

The failure of AEP to exercise any of the rights granted herein, or the removal of any facilities from the Easement, shall not be deemed to constitute an abandonment or waiver of the rights granted herein.

This instrument contains the complete agreement, expressed or implied between the parties herein and shall inure to the benefit of and be binding on their respective successors, assigns, heirs, executors, administrators, lessees, tenants, and licensees.

NOTICE TO LANDOWNER: You are conveying rights to a public service corporation. A public service corporation may have the right to obtain some or all of these rights through exercise of eminent domain. To the extent that any of the rights conveyed are not subject to eminent domain, you have the right to choose not to convey those rights and you could not be compelled to do so. You have the right to negotiate compensation for any rights you are voluntarily conveying.

This Easement may be executed in counterparts, each of which shall be deemed an original, but all of which, taken together, shall constitute one and the same instrument.
Any remaining space on this page left intentionally blank. See next page for signatures.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the Grantor has executed this Easement effective the day, month and year first above written.

GRANTOR
Board of Supervisors of The County of Washington, Virginia, a political subdivision of the Commonwealth of Virginia

_____
By: _____
Title: Authorized Signer

State of Virginia §
§
County of _____ §

The foregoing instrument was acknowledged before me this _____ day of _____, 2026, by _____, Authorized Signer of Board of Supervisors of The County of Washington, Virginia, a political subdivision of the Commonwealth of Virginia, on behalf of said agency.

_____
Notary Public
Print Name: _____
My Commission Expires:_____

This instrument prepared by Timothy C. Giessner, Counsel – Real Estate, American Electric Power Service Corporation, 1 Riverside Plaza, Columbus, OH 43215 – for and on behalf of Appalachian Power Company, a unit of American Electric Power.

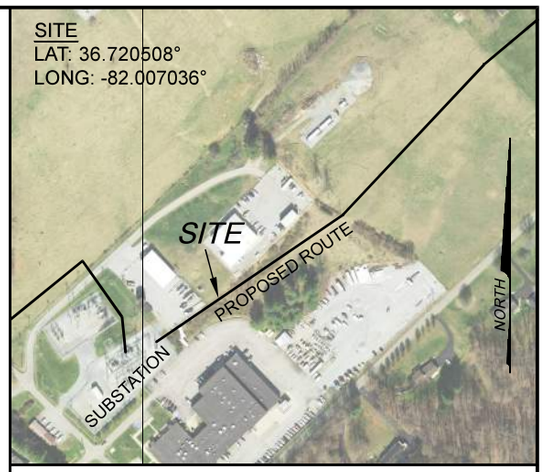
When recorded return to: American Electric Power - Transmission Right of Way, P. O. Box 2021, Roanoke, VA 24022-2121.

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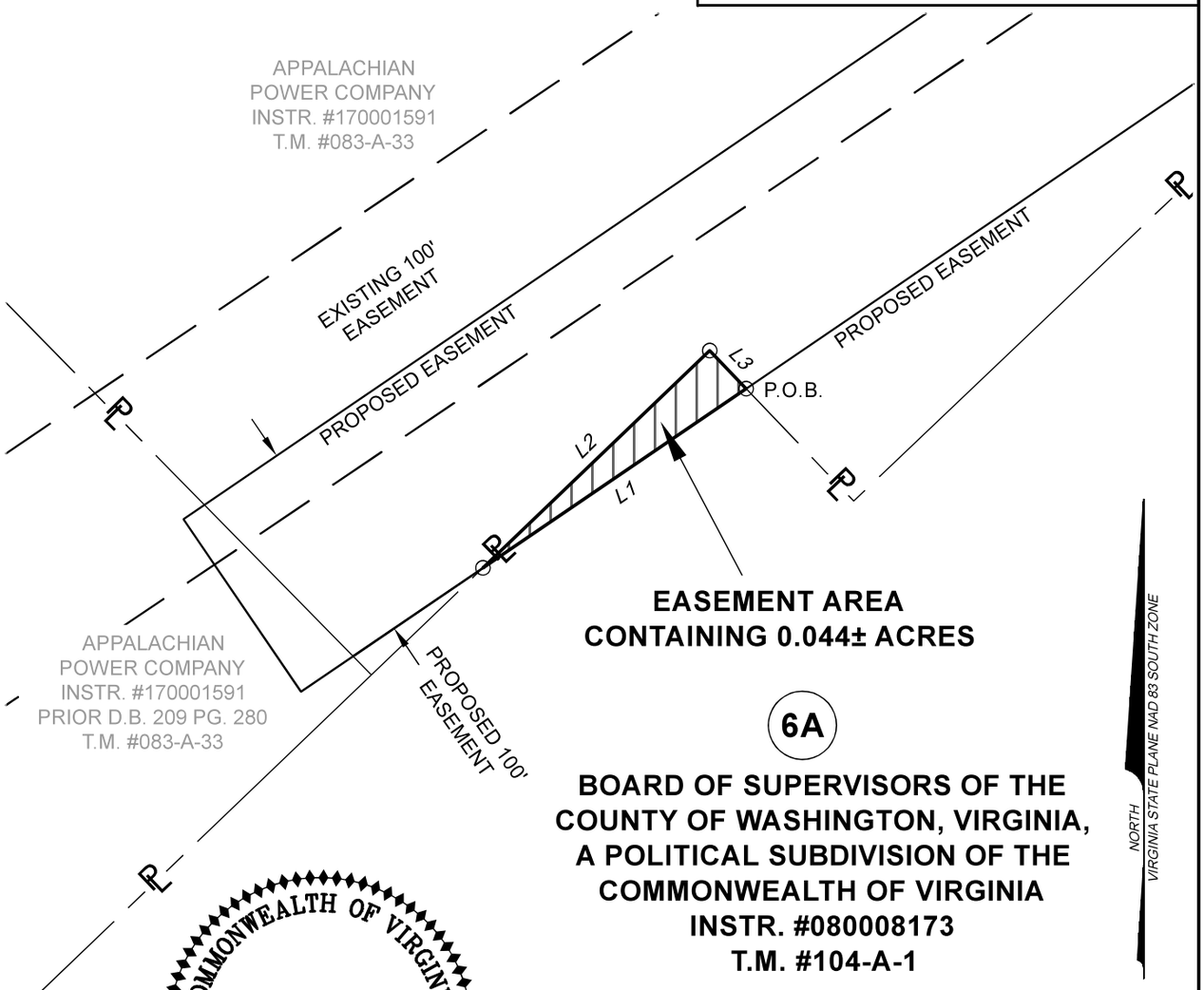
EXHIBIT "A"

1. THIS DRAWING WAS PREPARED FOR THE LIMITED USE OF APPALACHIAN POWER COMPANY EASEMENT PURPOSES ONLY AND IS NOT INTENDED TO REPRESENT A COMPLETE SURVEY OF THE PROPERTY.
2. LAND OWNERSHIP INFORMATION IS PROVIDED BY O. R. COLAN. NO ADDITIONAL VERIFICATION HAS BEEN PERFORMED BY HURT & PROFFITT, INC.
3. BEARINGS SHOWN HEREON ARE BASED ON THE VIRGINIA STATE PLANE COORDINATE SYSTEM, SOUTH ZONE (NAD 83).

LINE	BEARING	DISTANCE
L1	S 55°45'02" W	152.55'
L2	N 46°13'14" E	150.47'
L3	S 43°43'56" E	25.26'



VICINITY MAP N.T.S.



EASEMENT AREA
CONTAINING 0.044± ACRES

6A

BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF THE COUNTY OF WASHINGTON, VIRGINIA, A POLITICAL SUBDIVISION OF THE COMMONWEALTH OF VIRGINIA
INSTR. #080008173
T.M. #104-A-1

COMMONWEALTH OF VIRGINIA
M. BRADLEY TATE
Lic. No. 2794
LAND SURVEYOR

M. Bradley Tate
M. BRADLEY TATE, LS
PROFESSIONAL SURVEYOR NO. 2794

02-05-2026
DATE

0 80 160
GRAPHIC SCALE

LEGEND

P.O.B. POINT OF BEGINNING
P.O.R. POINT OF REFERENCE
℄ PROPERTY LINE (APPROXIMATE)
EASEMENT AREA
EXISTING R.O.W.

SURV PROJ. #: 20240247
LINE NAME: SALTVILLE - KINGSPORT
LINE NUMBER: TLN150:00062
EASEMENT NUMBER: 6A

REVISED:

FILE NO.
G.L. NO.

HURT & PROFFITT
INSPIRED / RESPONSIVE / TRUSTED

370 SOUTH 4TH STREET
WYTHEVILLE, VA 24382
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APPALACHIAN POWER COMPANY

EASEMENT ACROSS THE LANDS OF
BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF THE COUNTY OF WASHINGTON, VIRGINIA, A POLITICAL SUBDIVISION OF THE COMMONWEALTH OF VIRGINIA
CONTAINING 0.044 +/- ACRES

SITUATED IN THE STATE OF VIRGINIA, WASHINGTON COUNTY
HARRISON MAGISTERIAL DISTRICT

SCALE: 1"= 80'	DATE: 02/05/2026	FILE: GREEN-VOL	SHEET: 1 OF 1

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Line Name: Mayo River - Smith River
Line No.: TLN150:01305 **Easement No.:** 6A

EASEMENT PAYMENT SCHEDULE

THE UNDERSIGNED:

GRANTOR: Board of Supervisors of The County of Washington, Virginia, a political subdivision of the Commonwealth of Virginia
ADDRESS: 205 Academy Dr., Abingdon, VA 24210

HEREBY OFFER to accept amount as determined in accordance with the schedule below in full payment of the Easement and Right-of-Way for an electric transmission, distribution, and communication lines, being, in, on, over, under, through and across the land of the Undersigned situated in the Harrison Magisterial District, Tax Parcel Number 104-A-1, Washington County, State of Virginia under an easement dated _____, 2026 from the Undersigned to the Company, to wit:

PAYMENT SCHEDULE

Easement Acquisition Cost Description:	**Easement Paid**	**Considerations Paid**
New Easement Consideration Paid – 0.044 Acres +/- @ $67,200.00/ac =	$2,956.80	
		$
		$
Sub-Total	$2,956.80	$
Total Consideration includes Initial Consideration Paid	$2,956.80	

The amounts so determined are full payment for the Easement and Right of Way. Any construction damages will be paid separately unless noted above.

Accepted on _____, 2026

ORC Utility & Infrastructure Land Services, LLC Contract Agent for:

Appalachian Power Company

By: _____

Field Agent: Allan Bailey

Signed on _____, 2026

GRANTOR

By: _____

Print Name: _____
Its: Authorized Signer

For Office Use Only: Attach Required W-9

GL	PCBU	Project BPID	Work Order	Account	Dept.	CC	Act	Easement Payment
150	**TRANS**	**P18100016**	**4291094003**	**1070001**	**10425**	**942**	**691**	**$2,956.80**

AGENDA ITEM NO. 7.E

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BOARD OF SUPERVISORS AGENDA ITEM REPORT

DATE:	July 14, 2026
SUBMITTED BY:	Kendall Williams , Budget & Finance
ITEM TYPE:	Action Item
AGENDA SECTION:	CONSENT AGENDA
SUBJECT:	Emergency Services payment request --Presenter: Tammy Sturgill
SUGGESTED MOTION:	Motion to approve payment to Washington County Life Saving Crew out of the Emergency Services Operating Budget in the amount of $49,066.00.

BACKGROUND AND SUMMARY:

County Administrator and the Emergency Management Coordinator request approval for payment to Washington County Life Saving Crew for the repairs (transmission) to one ambulance ($17,111) and for the purchase of a new repeater ($31,955). Currently, the WCLSC provides backup services to the rest of the County and needs to have all ambulances in service. The new repeater was requested thru a grant, but was not approved. This new repeater will bring them up to date to tie into the new radio system.

The Emergency Service department ended the FY26 Fiscal Year with $443,640 left in the funds for Fire/EMS Motor Vehicles & Equipment that the Board of Supervisors set aside during a prior years carryover process. These funds will be carried over during the fall carryover process, until this time the Emergency Services FY27 operating funds can cover this expense.

ATTACHMENTS:

Washington County Life Saving Crew
Serving you since 1952

Subject: Emergency Funding Request for Transmission Replacement — Unit 54 ($17,110.78)

Dear Members of the Washington County Board of Supervisors,

On behalf of the Washington County Life Saving Crew, I respectfully request emergency funding in the amount of **$17,110.78** to replace the transmission in **Unit 54**, a 2014 Ram 4500 ambulance that is currently out of service.

Unit 54 recently experienced a complete failure of second gear. Following inspection, a certified mechanic determined that the transmission is beyond repair and must be fully replaced. The requested amount reflects the total estimated cost for parts, transmission fluid, shop supplies, and the specialized labor necessary to restore the ambulance to operational status.

This ambulance is a critical component of our emergency medical response fleet. Its continued absence from service reduces our available fleet capacity and may negatively affect response times for residents of Washington County. Prompt approval of this funding request will allow us to complete the necessary repairs and return Unit 54 to service as quickly as possible.

I respectfully request that this funding request be placed on the agenda for consideration at the next available meeting of the Washington County Board of Supervisors.

Thank you for your prompt consideration of this emergency funding request and for your continued support of frontline public safety services in Washington County. The formal itemized quote from the mechanic is attached for your review.

Sincerely,

Mike Mason
Captain
Washington County Life Saving Crew

Washington County Life Saving Crew
Serving you since 1952

Funding Request: Emergency Radio Repeater System Replacement
TO: Washington County Board of Supervisors
FROM: Washington County Life Saving Crew, Inc.
DATE: July 9, 2026
SUBJECT: Emergency Allocation Request for Critical Radio Communications Infrastructure

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1. Executive Summary
The **Washington County Life Saving Crew, Inc.** formally requests an emergency funding allocation of **$31,954.81** for the immediate purchase and installation of a new radio repeater system. Our current system has reached its end-of-life (EOL) status and is suffering from frequent, critical operational failures. Because our previous application to the Virginia **Rescue Squad Assistance Fund (RSAF)** grant was denied due to highly competitive state funding limitations, county intervention is now our only viable pathway to ensure uninterrupted emergency dispatch capabilities.

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2. Operational Failures & Public Safety Risks
Our agency relies entirely on the primary repeater to maintain continuous communications between dispatch and field units across our high-volume call territory. The existing unit is currently failing in ways that directly jeopardize community safety:

- **Severe Audio Degradation:** The repeater frequently emits heavy static and buzzing noises, entirely masking critical emergency transmissions.
- **Delayed Manual Resets:** When a failure occurs, a certified technician must physically travel to the top of **Clinch Mountain** to manually reset the system. This logistical challenge regularly leaves the system down for multiple days at a time.
- **Dangerous Off-Channel Overload:** During these multi-day outages, our crew is forced to utilize a secondary frequency to communicate with dispatch. Due to our high call volume, this completely ties up the backup channel, causing severe radio traffic congestion and dangerous confusion with emergency dispatch.
- **Unreliable Communication Alternatives:** While the repeater is offline, personnel are forced to rely heavily on personal cellphones to receive emergency alerts. Cellular networks are notoriously unreliable in the rural, mountainous pockets of Washington County, introducing a critical single point of failure during life-or-death situations.

Washington County Life Saving Crew
Serving you since 1952

3. Financial Breakdown
We have secured an exact, comprehensive project quote to completely resolve this infrastructure deficit:

Project Component	Cost
New Repeater System Hardware, Installation, & Programming	$31,954.81
TOTAL EMERGENCY FUNDING REQUEST	**$31,954.81**

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4. Community Impact and Board Accountability
Approving this request immediately eliminates a severe public safety liability. Investing these local funds into the Washington County Life Saving Crew, Inc. will:

1. **Restore Dispatch Integrity:** Ensure immediate, crystal-clear communications on our designated primary channel without bleeding into or congesting backup dispatch frequencies.
2. **Protect First Responders:** Remove the reliance on cellphones, giving our field crews a guaranteed, mission-critical radio lifeline that functions regardless of cellular coverage.
3. **Resolve Logistical Vulnerabilities:** Eliminate the dangerous operational downtime caused by having to send technicians up Clinch Mountain for emergency manual resets.

We urgently request to be placed on the agenda for the upcoming Board of Supervisors meeting to present this quote and answer any questions. Thank you for your unwavering commitment to Washington County's first responders and citizens.

Respectfully Submitted,

Michael D Mason

Mike Mason
Captain
Washington County Life Saving Crew, Inc.

AGENDA ITEM NO. 8.A

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BOARD OF SUPERVISORS AGENDA ITEM REPORT

DATE: July 14, 2026

SUBMITTED BY: Kendall Williams , Budget & Finance

ITEM TYPE: Action Item

AGENDA SECTION: GENERAL BUSINESS

SUBJECT: Supplemental Appropriation/Budget Transfer
---Presenter: Tammy Sturgill

SUGGESTED MOTION: Motion to approve items as presented.

BACKGROUND AND SUMMARY:

1) The Board of Supervisors is being requested to appropriate a portion (full reconciliation will be done during carryover process) of the DMV Commission funds to the Treasurer's Office. Normally, this would be done during the Carryover process, but since Mr. Parker is requesting to use those funds in July for the local employees bonuses, we request for this item to be approved early. Also, the Board of Supervisors is being requested to appropriate the bonus funds that will be provided from the State.

Expenditure				
DMV Commission Funds	$	295,000	001-012410-415891	
Revenue				
Beginning Fund Balance	$	295,000	001-001011-310103	
Expenditure				
Compensation- Other	$	156,875	001-091410-411790	
Revenue				
Comm Atty Comp Board	$	17,505	001-002301-312311	
Circuit Crt-Clerk Comp Board	$	12,545	001-002301-312371	
Comm of Revenue Comp Board	$	5,315	001-002301-312331	
Sheriff Comp Board	$	63,810	001-002301-312321	

Treasurer Comp Board	$	5,145.00	001-002301-312341	
Social Services State Rev	$	50,755	001-002406-312461	
General Registrar State Rev	$	1,800	001-002301-312361	

2) All State employees will be receiving a 2% bonus (based on their Comp Board Salary) during the month of July, Mr. Fred Parker, Treasurer has requested $295,000 from his DMV Commission funds to be used to fund the local employees (along with State Employees Local Portion of their Salary) this bonus as well. He respectfully ask for these funds to be used to pay for a 2% bonus of the employees 6/30/26 salary or $1,000 bonus which ever is more for all full time County employees and $500.00 to part time employees based on recommendations that Budget & Finance and Human Resources have drawn up on how this would be distributed and who would qualify.

Motion to approve the budget transfer totaling $295,000 between the following Budget Line-items:

012410-415891	DMV Commission	Decrease	$295,000
091410-411790	Compensation-Other	Increase	$295,000

(3) Motion to approve the resolution granting the approval to pay bonus during the month of July 2026. This bonus will be fully funded by either State Revenues or DMV Commission Funds.

ATTACHMENTS:

WASHINGTON COUNTY TREASURER'S OFFICE

FRED W. PARKER, TREASURER
ONE GOVERNMENT CENTER PLACE, SUITE B
ABINGDON, VIRGINIA 24210-8484

276-676-6272 276-466-2242

June 29, 2026

Washington County Board of Supervisors
Mr. Jason Berry, Administrator
1 Gov. Cnt. Pl., Ste A
Abingdon, VA 24210 – 8484

Re: DMV Transfer

Members of the Board and Mr. Berry,

The DMV Select office that we operate in the Treasurer's Office has become one of the biggest in the Commonwealth. That is good news for everyone, especially in terms of the commission the County and this office have received back since April 2004. Over the years, we now have accumulated a large balance and the County has received thousands in the General Fund.

I request that $295,000.00 be transferred from The Treasurer's DMV line item back to the Board of Supervisors. In addition, I respectfully ask for these funds be used to pay for a bonus for all full time County employees and our part time employees based on recommendations Audrey Wells and Kendall Williams have drawn up on how this would be distributed and who would qualify. (Attached)

Respectfully

Fred W. Parker
Treasurer

Copy: Personnel Committee

Suggested Guidelines

Full Time

- Must have a FT employment date of 6/30/26 or before
- Still be an active FT employee on the date of the bonus check

PART TIME

- Must have been a PT employee starting on or before 4/1/26 (Must have had worked hours by the 4/30/26 pay check)
- And had to of worked between 5/1 to 6/15 (Paid on 5/30, 6/15 and 6/30 check) and still a current employee.

Overall Estimate

$295,000-DMV Commissions

$156,875-State Revenues

COUNTY OF WASHINGTON, VIRGINIA

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BRANDON SNODGRASS
COUNTY ATTORNEY

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RESOLUTION 2026-21

APPROVAL FOR MONETARY BONUSES FOR WASHINGTON COUNTY OFFICERS AND EMPLOYEES

A RESOLUTION TO AUTHORIZE MONETARY BONUSES FOR THE EMPLOYEES AND OFFICERS OF WASHINGTON COUNTY, VIRGINIA

WHEREAS pursuant to The County's Code of Ordinances (Chapter 2; Article I; Section 2.2), the governing body of a locality may authorize the payment of monetary bonuses to its officers and employees by resolution; and

WHEREAS the Commonwealth of Virginia is providing a (2%) percent bonus to all state and Compensation Board employees, and

WHEREAS the Board of Supervisors of Washington County, Virginia, wishes to provide a bonus for two (2%) percent bonus based on the employees' June 30, 2026, salary or one thousand dollars ($1,000.00) which ever is greater for full-time employees, and five hundred dollars ($500.00) for part-time employees per written qualifications; and

WHEREAS the funding for the above bonuses will come from State Revenues and Fred Parker, Treasurer's DMV Commission funds.

WHEREAS this bonus shall be paid during the month of July 2026.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE WASHINGTON COUNTY VIRGINIA BOARD OF SUPERVISORS THAT:

1. **The County is hereby authorized to provide monetary bonuses to its Officers and employees.**
2. **Funding for such bonuses shall be subject to annual budget appropriations by the Board of Supervisors.**

DONE THIS THE 14TH DAY OF JULY 2026

MR. MCALL:

MR. PENNINGTON:

MR. HARGIS:

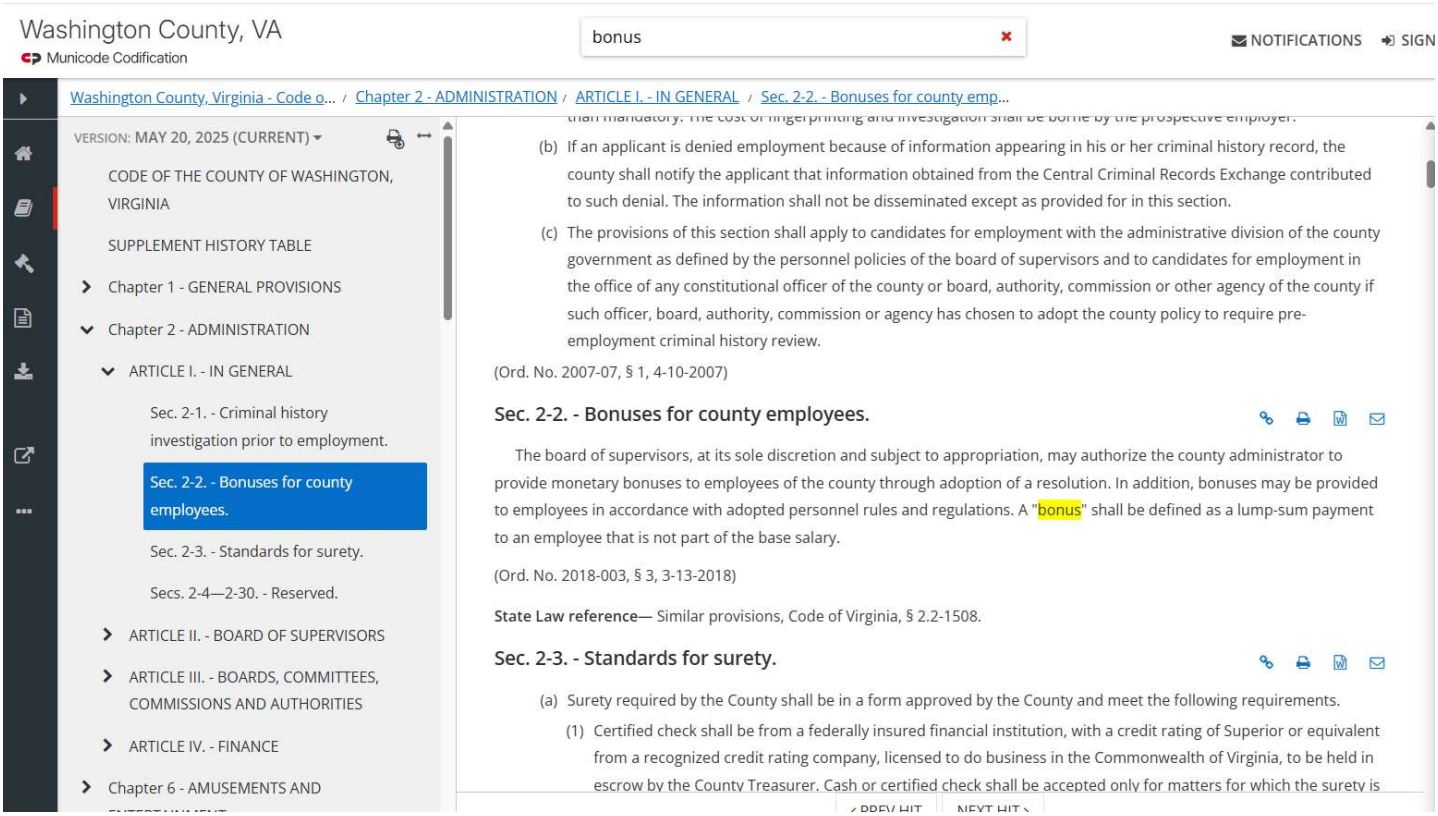
DR. BRANNON:

MR. MATLOCK:

MR. HERNANDEZ:

MR.BALL:

JASON N. BERRY
COUNTY ADMINISTRATOR


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than mandatory. The cost of fingerprinting and investigation shall be borne by the prospective employer.
(b) If an applicant is denied employment because of information appearing in his or her criminal history record, the county shall notify the applicant that information obtained from the Central Criminal Records Exchange contributed to such denial. The information shall not be disseminated except as provided for in this section.
(c) The provisions of this section shall apply to candidates for employment with the administrative division of the county government as defined by the personnel policies of the board of supervisors and to candidates for employment in the office of any constitutional officer of the county or board, authority, commission or other agency of the county if such officer, board, authority, commission or agency has chosen to adopt the county policy to require pre-employment criminal history review.
(Ord. No. 2007-07, § 1, 4-10-2007)
Sec. 2-2. - Bonuses for county employees.
The board of supervisors, at its sole discretion and subject to appropriation, may authorize the county administrator to provide monetary bonuses to employees of the county through adoption of a resolution. In addition, bonuses may be provided to employees in accordance with adopted personnel rules and regulations. A "bonus" shall be defined as a lump-sum payment to an employee that is not part of the base salary.
(Ord. No. 2018-003, § 3, 3-13-2018)
State Law reference— Similar provisions, Code of Virginia, § 2.2-1508.
Sec. 2-3. - Standards for surety.
(a) Surety required by the County shall be in a form approved by the County and meet the following requirements.
(1) Certified check shall be from a federally insured financial institution, with a credit rating of Superior or equivalent from a recognized credit rating company, licensed to do business in the Commonwealth of Virginia, to be held in escrow by the County Treasurer. Cash or certified check shall be accepted only for matters for which the surety is
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AGENDA ITEM NO. 8.B

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BOARD OF SUPERVISORS AGENDA ITEM REPORT

DATE:	July 14, 2026
SUBMITTED BY:	Alicia Roland , County Administrator
ITEM TYPE:	Action Item
AGENDA SECTION:	GENERAL BUSINESS
SUBJECT:	Resolution in Support of 2026 VDOT Smart Scale Funding Application
SUGGESTED MOTION:	If favorable, a motion to adopt Resolution 2026-22 would be in order.

BACKGROUND AND SUMMARY:

VDOT requires a resolution by the local governing body in support of the 2026 Smart Scale application for funding. Road projects for this round include:

- Route 75 at Green Springs Church Road Intersection Improvements
- US 11 at Watauga Road Turn Lanes

ATTACHMENTS:

COUNTY OF WASHINGTON, VIRGINIA

BOARD OF SUPERVISORS
DWAYNE A. BALL
CHAIRMAN
G-11 "WILSON" ELECTION DISTRICT
RANDY L. PENNINGTON
VICE-CHAIRMAN
B-11 "JEFFERSON" ELECTION DISTRICT
PHILLIP B. MCCALL
A-11 "HARRISON" ELECTION DISTRICT
CHARLIE S. HARGIS JR.
C-11 "MADISON" ELECTION DISTRICT
W. LEE BRANNON
D-11 "MONROE" ELECTION DISTRICT
DAVID MATLOCK
E-11 "TAYLOR" ELECTION DISTRICT
SAUL A. HERNANDEZ
F-11 "TYLER" ELECTION DISTRICT

RESOLUTION 2026-22

SUPPORT OF VIRGINIA DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION SMART SCALE FUNDING APPLICATIONS

COUNTY ADMINISTRATION
JASON N. BERRY
COUNTY ADMINISTRATOR
BRANDON SNODGRASS
COUNTY ATTORNEY
GOVERNMENT CENTER BUILDING
1 GOVERNMENT CENTER PLACE
SUITE A
ABINGDON, VIRGINIA 24210
276-525-1300 TELEPHONE
276-525-1309 TELEFACSIMILE
WWW.WASHCOVA.COM

WHEREAS, 2026 BRINGS ANOTHER OPPORTUNITY TO SUBMIT PRIORITIZED PROJECTS FOR VIRGINIA DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION'S SMART SCALE FUNDING; AND

WHEREAS, THE COUNTY ADMINISTRATOR HAS WORKED WITH VIRGINIA DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION STAFF TO IDENTIFY THE BEST POTENTIAL ROAD PROJECTS TO BE SUBMITTED FOR SMART SCALE FUNDING:

- ROUTE 75 AT GREEN SPRINGS CHURCH ROAD
- US 11 AT WATAUGA ROAD TURN LANES

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, THE WASHINGTON COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS FULLY ENDORSES THE COUNTY'S 2024 SMART SCALE APPLICATIONS REQUESTING FUNDING.

DONE THIS THE 14TH DAY OF JULY, 2026.

THE FOREGOING RESOLUTION WAS DULY ADOPTED BY THE FOLLOWING VOTE:

MR. MCCALL:

MR. PENNINGTON:

MR. HARGIS:

MR. BRANNON:

MR.: RUSH:

MR. HERNANDEZ:

MR. BALL:

JASON N. BERRY
COUNTY ADMINISTRATOR



PRELIMINARY

THESE PLANS ARE UNFINISHED AND UNAPPROVED AND ARE NOT TO BE USED FOR ANY TYPE OF CONSTRUCTION OR THE ACQUISITION OF RIGHT OF WAY

LEGEND

- EXISTING R/W
- PROPOSED R/W
- PROPOSED TEMPORARY CONSTRUCTION EASEMENT
- STREAM

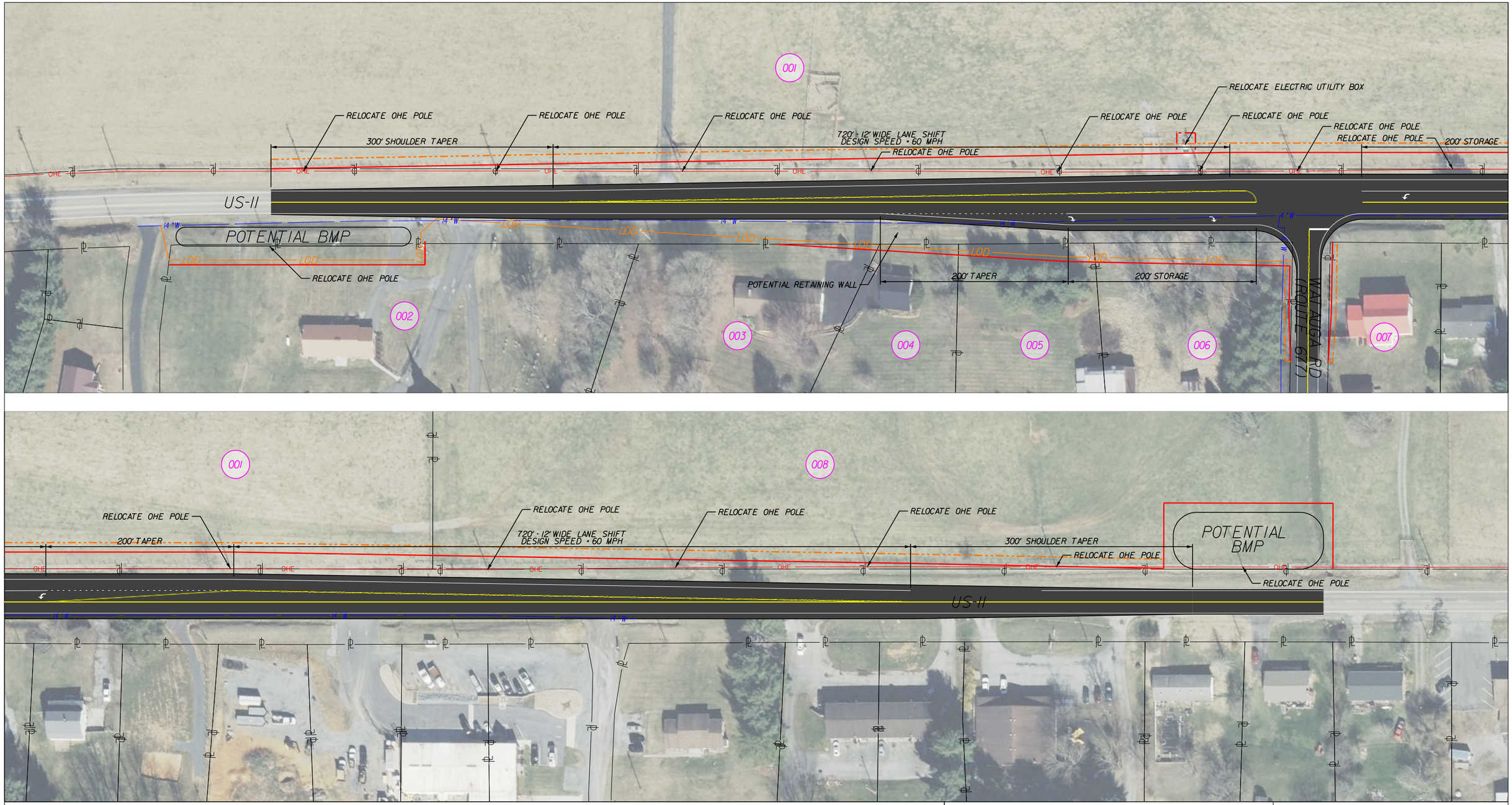
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VIRGINIA DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

ROAD NO.	COUNTY	VDOT DISTRICT
GREEN SPRINGS RD	WASHINGTON	BRISTOL

GREEN SPRINGS RD (ROUTE 75) & GREEN SPRINGS CHURCH RD (ROUTE 665)



MATCH LINE (SEE ABOVE)

MATCH LINE (SEE BELOW)

PRELIMINARY

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LEGEND

- EXISTING R/W
- PROPOSED R/W
- PROPOSED TEMPORARY CONSTRUCTION EASEMENT
- PROPOSED PERMANENT EASEMENT
- LOD — LIMITS OF DISTURBANCE

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VIRGINIA DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

ROAD NO.	COUNTY	VDOT DISTRICT
US-11	WASHINGTON	BRISTOL

US ROUTE 11 AND WATAUGA ROAD (ROUTE 677)

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AGENDA ITEM NO. 8.C

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BOARD OF SUPERVISORS AGENDA ITEM REPORT

DATE: July 14, 2026

SUBMITTED BY: Alicia Roland , County Attorney Office

ITEM TYPE: Action Item

AGENDA SECTION: GENERAL BUSINESS

SUBJECT: Performance Agreement for Stuart-Rush LLC
- Brandon Snodgrass

SUGGESTED MOTION: If the Board is in favor, a motion to approved the agreement would be in order.

BACKGROUND AND SUMMARY:

Attached is draft of the performance agreement with Stuart-Rush LLC.

ATTACHMENTS:

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For Discussion Purposes Only

AGREEMENT FOR ECONOMIC INCENTIVES TO ROYAL NY COMPANY HOLDINGS, LLC

This **AGREEMENT FOR ECONOMIC INCENTIVES TO ROYAL NY COMPANY HOLDINGS, LLC** ("Agreement") is made and entered this ____ day of _____, 2026, by and among the **COUNTY OF WASHINGTON, VIRGINIA** (the "County"), a political subdivision of the Commonwealth of Virginia, the **INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY OF WASHINGTON COUNTY, VIRGINIA** (the "Authority"), a political subdivision of the Commonwealth of Virginia, and **ROYAL NY COMPANY HOLDINGS, LLC D/B/A STUART RUSH**, (the "Company"), a Delaware limited liability company (Virginia SCC Entity ID No. 11946278).

WITNESSETH:

WHEREAS, subject to the terms and conditions of this Agreement the County and the Authority have each awarded the Company a grant of $250,000 (totaling $500,000, and collectively hereinafter the "Grant") for the purpose of inducing the Company to expand, equip, improve, and operate an industrial manufacturing facility in the County (the "Facility"), thereby making a significant Capital Investment, and creating and Maintaining a significant number of New Jobs, as such capitalized terms are hereinafter defined;

WHEREAS, the Authority is willing to provide its portion of the Grant funds to the Company, provided that the Company meets certain criteria relating to New Jobs;

WHEREAS, the County is willing to provide its portion of the Grant funds to the Authority with the expectation that the Authority will provide the funds to or for the use of the Company, provided that the Company meets certain criteria relating to Capital Investment;

WHEREAS, the County, the Authority, and the Company desire to set forth their understanding and agreement as to the payout of the Grant, the use of the Grant proceeds, and the obligations of the Company regarding Capital Investment and New Jobs;

WHEREAS, the expansion, equipping, and improvement of the Facility will entail a capital expenditure by or on behalf of the Company of $3,000,000.00, of which $1,000,000 will be invested in taxable machinery and tools, and $2,000,000.00 will be invested in the expansion and up-fit of the building(s) for the Facility;

WHEREAS, the expansion, equipping, and improvement of the Facility will further entail the creation and Maintenance of at least 15 New Jobs at the Facility;

WHEREAS, the Board of Supervisors of the County ("Board") is empowered pursuant to Virginia Code §§ 15.2-953 and 15.2-1205 to make appropriations of money to the Authority for the promotion of economic development and to give, lend, or advance to the Authority, in any

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manner that it deems proper, funds or other County property, not otherwise specifically allocated or obligated;

WHEREAS, the Authority is empowered pursuant to Virginia Code § 15.2-4900, *et seq*., to make grants to any business in furtherance of the Authority's purposes, which include the promotion of economic development, provided that such grants shall be made only from revenues of the Authority which have not been pledged or assigned for the payment of any of the Authority's bonds, to enter into such contracts, instruments, and agreements as may be expedient for the exercise of its powers for the benefit of the inhabitants of the Commonwealth, and to accept monies from the County in furtherance of the purposes for which the Authority was created in accordance with Virginia Code §15.2-4905(13); and

WHEREAS, by action taken in open meetings on _____, ___, 2026, and _____, ___, 2026, respectively, the Board and the Board of Directors of the Authority approved this Agreement in furtherance of the purposes as stated herein; and

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the foregoing, the mutual premises, benefits, promises and undertakings of the parties to this Agreement, and other good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which are hereby acknowledged, the parties covenant and agree as follows.

Section 1. Definitions.

For the purposes of this Agreement, the following terms shall have the following definitions:

"Capital Investment" means a capital expenditure by or on behalf of the Company in taxable real property, taxable tangible personal property, or both, at the Facility. The purchase or lease of machinery and tools or furniture, fixtures, and business personal property, including under an operating lease, and expected building expansion, improvement, and up-fit by or on behalf of the Company will qualify as Capital Investment. The Capital Investment must be in addition to the capital improvements at the Facility as of March 31, 2026.

"Capital Investment Target" means that the Company has made or caused to be made and retained Capital Investments of at least $3,000,000.00.

"Maintain" means that the New Jobs will continue without interruption from the date of creation for four (4) consecutive quarters through the date that the level of achievement of the New Jobs Target is being tested, including the Performance Date. For purposes of this definition, "Maintain" refers to the Company's sustaining the aggregate number of New Jobs at the Facility, and the ordinary-course turnover and backfilling of individual positions shall not be treated as an interruption so long as the aggregate level of New Jobs is sustained.

"New Job" means new permanent full-time employment of an indefinite duration at the Facility for which the standard fringe benefits are provided by the Company for the employee,

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and for which the Company pays an average annual wage for New Jobs of at least $65,000.00. Average annual wage means the average annual salary of New Job full-time positions at the Facility determined by dividing New Job total payroll (of a type included in W-2 compensation) provided to full-time positions at the Facility by the number of New Job full-time positions at the Facility. Each New Job must require a minimum of either (i) 35 hours of an employee's time per week for the entire normal year of the Company's operations, which "normal year" must consist of at least 48 weeks, or (ii) 1,680 hours per year. Seasonal or temporary positions, positions created when a job function is shifted from an existing Company location in the Commonwealth, and positions with construction contractors, vendors, suppliers and similar multiplier or spin-off jobs shall not qualify as New Jobs. The New Jobs must be in addition to the existing jobs at the Facility as of March 31, 2026.

"New Jobs Target" means that the Company has created and Maintained at least 15 New Jobs.

"Performance Date" means March 31, 2029.

"Performance Report" means a report to be filed by the Company in accordance with Section 5. The "Final Performance Report" is to be filed within 90 days after the Performance Date. As noted in Section 5, the County and the Authority may each request a Performance Report at other dates prior to the Performance Date.

"Targets" means the Capital Investment Target and the New Jobs Target, all to be achieved as of the Performance Date.

"Virginia Code" means the Code of Virginia of 1950, as amended.

Section 2. <u>Targets</u>

(a) *Targets*: The Company will acquire, expand, equip, improve, and operate the Facility, and achieve the Targets.

(b) *Encouragement to Offer New Jobs to Residents of the Commonwealth*: The County, and the Authority hereby strongly encourage the Company to ensure that at least 30% of the New Jobs are offered to "Residents" of the Commonwealth, as defined in Virginia Code § 58.1-302. In pertinent part, that definition includes natural persons domiciled in Virginia or natural persons who, for an aggregate of more than 183 days of the year, maintained a place of abode within the Commonwealth, whether domiciled in the Commonwealth or not.

(c) *Compliance with Environmental Laws*: The Company covenants to (i) comply in all material respects with any and all applicable federal, state and local laws and regulations relating to the protection of human health and safety, the environment or hazardous or toxic substances or wastes, pollutants or contaminants ("Environmental Laws") with respect to its operations at the Facility, (ii) receive all material permits, licenses or other approvals required of the Company under applicable Environmental Laws to conduct its business at the Facility, and

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(iii) remain in compliance with all material terms and conditions of any such permit, license or approval. If the Company fails to comply with this covenant and fails to rectify the noncompliance within 30 days of notice from the County or the Authority, the County and the Authority shall have the option to terminate this Agreement in accordance with Section 7.

(d) *Payment of Taxes:* The Company covenants to pay all taxes assessed by the County for real and personal property on or before the due date of the respective tax.

Section 3. <u>Disbursement of Grant</u>.

(a) *General Provisions:* The disbursement of the Grant proceeds to the Company will serve as an inducement to the Company to achieve the Targets.

The Grant is to be allocated as 50% ($250,000) for the Company's Capital Investment Target ("Capital Investment Grant"), and 50% ($250,000) for the Company's New Jobs Target ("New Jobs Grant").

The minimum requirements the Capital Investment Grant ("Minimum Target") are as follows: the Company shall (1) make or cause to be made and retained a Capital Investment of at least $2,000,000 and (2) create and Maintain at least 15 New Jobs.

(b) *Disbursement of the Grant:* Within 90 days after the Performance Date, the Company will deliver the Final Performance Report. Through this report, the Company will provide notice and evidence satisfactory to the County and the Authority of the amount of Capital Investments made or caused to be made and retained, and the number of New Jobs created and Maintained, by the Company as of the Performance Date. The Final Performance Report will be subject to verification by the County and the Authority.

Upon such verification, the amount of the Grant proceeds to be disbursed to the Company, if any, shall be determined as follows:

(i) *If Minimum Requirement Not Met:* If, as of the Performance Date, the Company has not achieved the Minimum Requirements, the Company will not receive any of the proceeds of the Grant relating to the Capital Investment Target.

(i) *If Targets Met:* If, as of the Performance Date, the Company has achieved the Capital Investment Target and the New Jobs Target, the Company will receive all $500,000 of the proceeds of the Grant.

(ii) *If Minimum Target Met, but Capital Investment Target Not Met in Full:* If, as of the Performance Date, the Company has achieved the Minimum Target, but has not achieved the full Capital Investment Target, the Company will qualify for a reduced disbursement of the Capital Investment Grant, reflecting a proportional amount of the Target for which there is a shortfall. For example, if as of the Performance Date, only $2,000,000 of the Capital Investment has been attained (reflecting achievement of 66% of

the Capital Investment Target), the Company will receive $165,000 (reflecting 66% of the $250,000 of the Capital Investment Grant.

(iii) *If News Jobs Target not Met*: If, as of the Performance Date, the Company has not met the New Jobs Target, the Company will not be eligible to receive any portion of the New Jobs Grant.

(iv) *If a Target is Fully Achieved Prior to the Performance Date:* If the Company fully achieves either of the Targets before the Performance Date it shall file a Report as to that Target. If, upon review such Final Report, the County or the Authority determines that the Company has achieved the Target in full, the Company shall be entitled to that portion of the Grant relating to the achieved Target.

(c) *Timing of Grant Disbursement(s)*:

(i) Within 30 days of the commencement of the County's fiscal year following verification of the Final Performance Report or any Report indicating Company has achieved the New Jobs Target and the Capital Investment Target, if any amount of Capital Investment Grant proceeds is available for disbursement to the Company, as determined in accordance with the foregoing calculations, the County will disburse such available Capital Investment Grant proceeds to the Authority. Within 30 days of its receipt of such available Capital Investment Grant proceeds from the County, the Authority will disburse such available Capital Investment Grant proceeds to Company. For the purpose of clarification, the County's fiscal year commences on July 1.

(ii) Within 30 days after verification of the Final Performance Report or any Report indicating Company has achieved the New Jobs Target, if any amount of New Jobs Grant proceeds is available for disbursement to the Company, as determined in accordance with the foregoing calculations, the Authority will disburse such available New Job Grant proceeds to the Company, as determined in accordance with foregoing calculations.

If any amount of Grant proceeds has not been earned by the Company, the amount not disbursed will be retained by the County and the Authority.

Section 4. <u>Third-Party Disclosure Authorization</u>.

During the term of this Agreement and thereafter as may be necessary for County and Authority to verify compliance with this Agreement, Company authorizes Wellspring Foundation of Southwest Virginia ("Wellspring") to disclose to Authority and County whether Company is current on its debt obligation to Wellspring.

Section 5. <u>Company Reporting</u>.

(a) *Performance Reporting:* The Company shall provide, at the Company's expense, in the form attached hereto as Exhibit A, detailed Performance Reports satisfactory to the County

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and the Authority of the Company's progress on the Targets. The Performance Reports are due by each July 1, commencing July 1, 2027, reflecting the Company's progress toward the Targets. Further, the Company shall provide such Performance Reports at such other times as the County and the Authority may require.

(b) *Performance Report:* The Company shall provide, at the Company's expense, in the form attached hereto as Exhibit B, a detailed Final Performance Report satisfactory to the County and the Authority of the Company's achievement of the Targets as of the Performance Date. This Final Performance Report shall be filed within 90 days after the Performance Date.

Should the Company be unable to file the Final Performance Report within the 90-day timeframe, the Company may request a 60-day delay in filing the Final Performance Report. Should the Company not file the Final Performance Report within the 90-day window nor request a filing delay, or if the Company requests a filing delay but does not file the Final Performance Report prior to the new filing deadline, the County and the Authority will withhold any Grant payment that might otherwise be due, and all rights of the Company under this Agreement will automatically terminate.

Section 6. Verification of Targets.

(a) *Verification of Capital Investment*: The Company hereby authorizes the County, including the County's Commissioner of the Revenue and Treasurer, to release to the County and the Authority the Company's real estate tax, business personal property tax and machinery and tools tax information. Such information shall be marked and considered confidential and proprietary and shall be used by the County and the Authority solely for verifying satisfaction of the Capital Investment Target. If the County, the Office of the Commissioner of the Revenue or the Office of the Treasurer, or the Authority should require additional documentation or consents from the Company to access such information, the Company shall promptly provide, at the Company's expense, such additional documentation or consents as the County or the Authority may request.

(b) *Verification of New Jobs and Wages*: The Company must submit a copy of its four most recent Employer's Quarterly Tax Reports (Form FC-20) with the Virginia Employment Commission with the Final Performance Report. The forms shall be marked and considered confidential and proprietary and shall be used by the County and the Authority solely for verifying satisfaction of the New Jobs Target.

The Company agrees that it will report to the Virginia Employment Commission with respect to its employees at a facility-level, rather than at the company-level.

(c) *Additional Documentation:* In addition to the verification data described above, the County or the Authority may each reasonably require such other documentation or audits as may be reasonably necessary to properly verify the Capital Investment or New Jobs.

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Section 7. **Possible Termination of this Agreement.** If the County or the Authority shall determine at any time prior to the Performance Date that the Company is unable or unwilling to meet and Maintain its Targets by and through the Performance Date, and if the County or the Authority shall have promptly notified the Company of such determination, this Agreement will be terminated, and no further disbursements of the Grant proceeds will be made to the Company. Such a determination will be based on such circumstances as any filing by, against or on behalf of the Company under the U.S. Bankruptcy Code, the failure of the Company to meet any of its material, undisputed and matured financial obligations to any third party related to the Facility that remains uncured for thirty (30) days after written notice from the County or the Authority, the liquidation of the Company, an abandonment of the Facility by the Company, a failure to comply with the any of the covenants provided in Sections 2(c) and 2(d) of this Agreement, or other similar significant event that demonstrates that the Company will be unable or is unwilling to satisfy the Targets for the Grant in conformity with the terms of this Agreement.

Section 8. **Notices.** Formal notices and communications between the parties shall be given either by (i) personal service, (ii) delivery by a reputable document delivery service that provides a receipt showing date and time of delivery, or (iii) mailing utilizing a certified or first class mail postage prepaid service of the United States Postal Service that provides a receipt showing date and time of delivery. Notices and communications personally delivered or delivered by document delivery service shall be deemed effective upon receipt. Notices and communications mailed shall be deemed effective on the second business day following deposit in the United States mail. Such written notices and communications shall be addressed to:

if to the Company, to:
Royal NY Company Holdings, LLC
22364 Jeb Stuart Highway
Damascus VA 24236
Email: _____
Attention: Lance Lacombe, COO

with a copy to:
_____
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if to the County, to:

County of Washington, Virginia
Alicia Roland
1 Government Center Place, Suite A,
Abingdon, VA 24210
Email: aroland@washcova.com

with a copy to:

Brandon Snodgrass, County Attorney
1 Government Center Place, Suite A,
Abingdon, VA 24210
Email: bsnodgrass@washcova.com

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if to the Authority, to:

Industrial Development Authority of
Washington County, Virginia
County Administration Building
1 Government Center Place, Suite D
Abingdon Virginia, 24210
Email: neta.farmer@outlook.com
Attention: Chairman

with a copy to:

Thomas Dene
Dene & Dene, P.C.
138 Court Street, NE
Abingdon, VA 24210
Email: dene.dene.pc@gmail.com

Each party may change the address for service of notice upon it by a notice in writing to the other parties hereto.

Section 9. Miscellaneous.

(a) *Entire Agreement; Amendments*: This Agreement constitutes the entire agreement among the parties hereto as to the Grant and may not be amended or modified, except in writing, signed by each of the parties hereto. This Agreement shall be binding upon and inure to the benefit of the parties hereto and their respective successors and assigns. The Company may not assign its rights and obligations under this Agreement without the prior written consent of the County and the Authority, which consent may be withheld for any reason.

(b) *Governing Law; Venue*: This Agreement is made, and is intended to be performed, in the Commonwealth and shall be construed and enforced by the laws of the Commonwealth. Jurisdiction and venue for any litigation arising out of or involving this Agreement shall lie in the Circuit Court of Washington County, and such litigation shall be brought only in such court.

(c) *Counterparts*: This Agreement may be executed in one or more counterparts, each of which shall be an original, and all of which together shall be one and the same instrument.

(d) *Severability*: If any provision of this Agreement is determined to be unenforceable, invalid or illegal, then the enforceability, validity and legality of the remaining provisions will not in any way be affected or impaired, and such provision will be deemed to be restated to reflect the original intentions of the parties as nearly as possible in accordance with applicable law.

(e) *Attorney's Fees:* Attorney's fees shall be paid by the party incurring such fees.

(f) *Force Majeure:* Notwithstanding the foregoing provisions of this Agreement, if the Company does not achieve a Target or take any action required under this Agreement because of an "Event of Force Majeure" (as defined below), the time for achieving the applicable Target or taking such action will be extended day-for-day by the delay in meeting the applicable Target or taking such action caused by the Event of Force Majeure. "Event of Force Majeure" means

without limitation, any of the following: acts of God; strikes, lockouts or other industrial disturbances; act of public enemies; orders of any kind of the government of the United States of America or of the Commonwealth or any of their respective departments, agencies, political subdivisions or officials, or any civil or military authority; insurrections; riots; epidemics; pandemics; landslides; lightning; earthquakes; fires; hurricanes; tornadoes; storms; floods; washouts; droughts; arrests; restraint of government and people; civil disturbances; explosions; breakage or accident to machinery, transmission pipes or canals not caused by the Company; partial or entire failure of utilities; or any other cause or event not reasonably within the control of the Company.

(g) *Moral Obligation Clause:* The County and Authority's obligations to appropriate funds pursuant to this Agreement are moral obligations subject to the limitations of the constitution and law of the Commonwealth of Virginia, subject to annual appropriation by the County, by and through the Board, and non-appropriation shall not constitute grounds for recovery against the County or Authority.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties hereto have executed this Performance Agreement as of the date first written above.

COUNTY OF WASHINGTON, VIRGINIA

By _____
Dwayne Ball
Chair of Board of Supervisors

Date: _____

INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY OF WASHINGTON COUNTY, VIRGINIA

By _____
Daniel W. Smith
Chair of Board of Directors

Date: _____

ROYAL NY COMPANY HOLDINGS, LLC

By _____
Its: _____

Date: _____

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Exhibit A: Performance Report Form
Exhibit B: Final Performance Report Form

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Exhibit A

PERFORMANCE REPORT
Agreement for Economic Incentives Royal NY Company Holdings, LLC

PROJECT SUMMARY:

Project	
Location	
Amount of Grant	
Performance Reporting Period	
Performance Date	

PROJECT PERFORMANCE:

Performance Measurement	Target	As of _____	% Complete
New Jobs (over ___ baseline)[1]			
Confidence level target will be reached by Performance Date shown above (check one)	High ☐	Moderate ☒	Low ☐
Capital Investment (provide breakdown below)			
Confidence level target will be reached by Performance Date shown above (check one)	High ☐	Moderate ☐	Low ☐
Average Annual Wage			N/A
Confidence level target will be reached by Performance Date shown above (check one)	High ☐	Moderate ☐	Low ☐
Standard Fringe Benefits (check one)	Yes ☐	No ☐	N/A

[1]Data will be verified using Virginia Employment Commission records. Attach the company's four most recent Quarterly Tax Reports (Form FC-20) filed with the Virginia Employment Commission.

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Capital Investment Breakdown	Amount
Land	$
Land Improvements	
New Construction or Expansion	
Renovation or Building Up-fit	
Production Machinery and Tools	
Furniture, Fixtures and Equipment	
Other	
Total	**$**

COMMENTS:

Discuss project status, including the current level of new jobs and capital investment, progress on targets, changes or likely changes in the project's nature that may impact achievement of targets, and other information relevant to project performance. If the project is not on track to meet targets, please provide an explanation.

TO BE CERTIFIED BY AN OFFICER OF THE COMPANY:

I certify that I have examined this report and to the best of my knowledge and belief, it is true, correct, and complete.

Company: _____

Submitted By: _____
Signature of Official

Name: _____
Print Name

Title: _____

Date: _____

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Exhibit B

FINAL PERFORMANCE REPORT
Agreement for Economic Incentives to Royal NY Company Holdings, LLC

PROJECT SUMMARY:

Project	
Location	
Amount of Grant	
Performance Date	

PROJECT PERFORMANCE:

Performance Measurement	Target	As of _____, 20__	% Complete
New Jobs (over __ baseline)[1]			
Capital Investment (provide breakdown below)[2]			
Average Annual Wage			N/A
Standard Fringe Benefits			

[1] Attach the company's four most recent Quarterly Tax Reports (Form FC-20) filed with the Virginia Employment Commission.
[2] Data will be verified using records from the Commissioner of the Revenue and invoices.

Capital Investment Breakdown	Amount
Land	$
Land Improvements	
New Construction or Expansion	
Renovation or Building Up-fit	
Production Machinery and Tools	
Furniture, Fixtures and Equipment	
Other	
Total	**$**

DRAFT

COMMENTS:

Discuss Project status or the importance of the Project to the County and region.

TO BE CERTIFIED BY AN OFFICER OF THE COMPANY:

I certify that I have examined this report and to the best of my knowledge and belief, it is true, correct, and complete.

Company: _____

Submitted By: _____
Signature of Official

Name: _____
Print Name

Title: _____

Date: _____

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AGENDA ITEM NO. 8.D

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BOARD OF SUPERVISORS AGENDA ITEM REPORT

DATE:	July 14, 2026
SUBMITTED BY:	Alicia Roland , County Administrator
ITEM TYPE:	Action Item
AGENDA SECTION:	GENERAL BUSINESS
SUBJECT:	Appointment to the Board of Social Services for the Jefferson District.
SUGGESTED MOTION:	If favorable a motion to appoint Mary Pearce-Hinchey to the Board of Social Services for a four-year term, beginning July 1, 2026 and expiring June 30, 2030.

BACKGROUND AND SUMMARY:

Supervisor Randy Pennington request the appointment of Mary Pearce-Hinchey to the Board of Social Services.

ATTACHMENTS:

AGENDA ITEM NO. 8.E

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BOARD OF SUPERVISORS AGENDA ITEM REPORT

DATE:	July 14, 2026
SUBMITTED BY:	Heather Damron , County Attorney Office
ITEM TYPE:	Action Item
AGENDA SECTION:	GENERAL BUSINESS
SUBJECT:	Temporary Construction Easement Release for Washington County Board and Thompson and Litton for Creeper Trail improvements.
SUGGESTED MOTION:	Recommend approval to allow Thompson and Litton a temporary construction easement release to allow improvements for Creeper Trail.

BACKGROUND AND SUMMARY:

Recommend approval for Temporary Construction Easement Release to allow Thompson and Litton to complete Creeper Trail improvements.

ATTACHMENTS:

TEMPORARY CONSTRUCTION EASEMENT RELEASE FOR WASHINGTON COUNTY, VIRGINIA BOARD OF SUPERVISORS AND THOMPSON AND LITTON

Washington County Board of Supervisors and **County: Washington County, VA**

Thompson and Litton

Date:_____

Thompson and Litton and/or agents are hereby granted a temporary construction easement to access the property located at on the map hereto as Exhibit A until competition of work.
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It is mutually understood and agreed upon that we, our heirs, assigns and successors will make no future claim to Thompson and Litton or successors, for any compensation of damages in connection with the above.

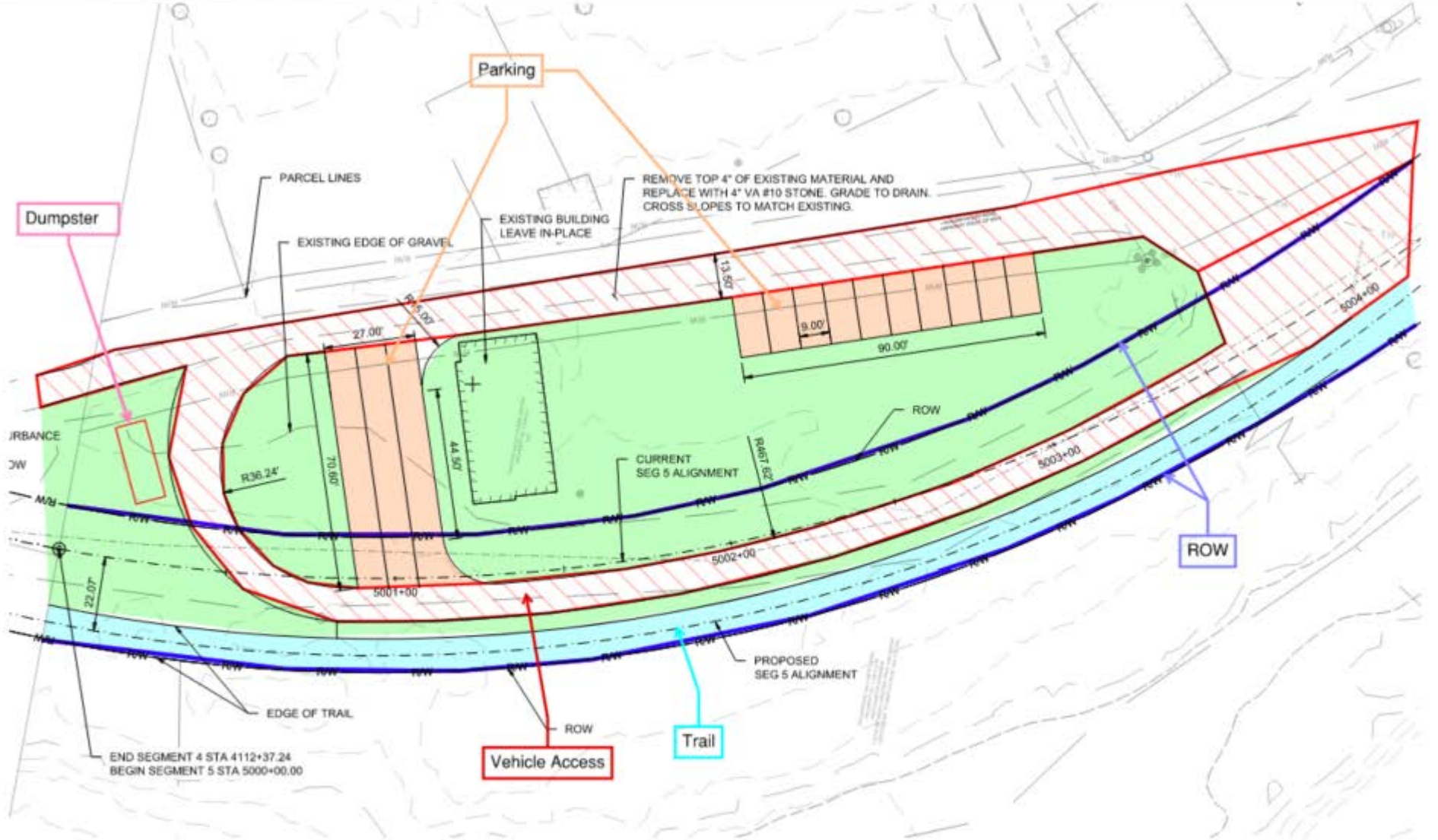
Purpose of Easement: Thompson and Litton will be responsible for improvements to existing trailheads along the Virginia Creeper Trail as part of an ongoing reconstruction project.

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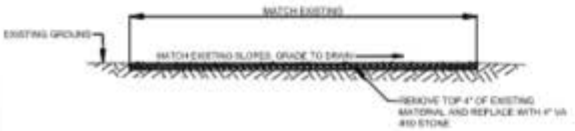
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Property Owner(s)
Washington County Board of Supervisors
1 Government Center Place, Suite A
Abingdon, VA 24210

County Representative Printed Name	**Signature**	**Date**
_____	_____	_____
Thompson and Litton Representative Printed Name	**Signature**	**Date**
_____	_____	_____



ATC 1 - TAYLOR'S VALLEY PARKING LOT



TAYLOR'S VALLEY PARKING LOT SECTION

Exhibit A

0 30 60
GRAPHIC SCALE
1" = 30'

USDA Forest Service
United States Department of Agriculture
Forest Service

REGION 8
USFS SOUTHERN REGION

VIRGINIA
CREEPER BRIDGE
AND TRAIL
RECONSTRUCTION

ISSUE RECORD	
NO.	DATE
DESCRIPTION	
Rev A	4/29/2026
100% CIVIL ROADWAY/TRAIL	
Rev B	5/13/2026
100% CIVIL/TRAIL RESUBMISSION	

Kiewit

DRAWING TITLE

SEGMENT 5
TAYLOR'S VALLEY
TRAIL HEAD
PARKING LOT

DATE	6/10/2026
ARCHIVE NO.	
DESIGNER	T. ADAMS
DRAWN	C.CLARKE
CHECKED	R.OWENS
PROJECT NO.	12445126C0031 SEG5
DWG SHEET NO.	S5-211

AGENDA ITEM NO. 9.A

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BOARD OF SUPERVISORS AGENDA ITEM REPORT

DATE: July 14, 2026

SUBMITTED BY: Alicia Roland , County Administrator

ITEM TYPE: Information Item

AGENDA SECTION: BOARD MEMBER REPORTS

SUBJECT: Board Member Reports

SUGGESTED MOTION:

BACKGROUND AND SUMMARY:

Rules Governing Board Member Reports:

The following is excerpted from the By-Laws of the Washington County Board of Supervisors, Article 7., Agendas for Board of Supervisors Meetings, and Article 8., Conduct of Meetings of the Board of Supervisors:

Article 7. Agendas for Board of Supervisors Meetings.

7.5. The Board shall take no Action of Record on any matter that is not on the Meeting Agenda unless amendment of the Meeting Agenda is requested at the time of Approval of the Agenda. Amendment of the Meeting Agenda requires a majority vote in favor. Upon Approval of the Agenda, no further amendments may be made except as provided for in paragraph 7.4. Any action to be taken as a result of Closed Meeting is exempt from the provisions of this paragraph. Actions shall not be taken in response to a “Special Presentation” item on the Agenda unless, by consensus, the Board determines to proceed with consideration of an action in response to a “Special Presentation.”

Article 8. Conduct of Meetings of the Board of Supervisors.

8.6.13. Board Member Reports shall facilitate the presentation of comments, reports and proposed Items of Business not otherwise part of the Meeting Agenda by individual Board members in round table fashion. Matters may be presented for information, discussion and consensus agreement of the Board, and/or scheduled for further consideration as an Item of Business at a future meeting of the Board. When speaking during Board Member Reports, Board members shall be limited to five (5) minutes, at which time the Chairman may at his discretion suspend further presentation from the Board member and request action by consensus agreement of Board members present at the Table to permit additional time to conclude the presentation. No Board member shall yield time or place under Board Member Reports to any other Board member or other person. No member of the Board shall have any other position reserved for them on the Meeting Agenda other than under Board Member Reports.

ATTACHMENTS:

AGENDA ITEM NO. 10.A

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BOARD OF SUPERVISORS AGENDA ITEM REPORT

DATE: July 14, 2026

SUBMITTED BY: Alicia Roland , County Administrator

ITEM TYPE: Information Item

AGENDA SECTION: BOARD INFORMATION AND REMINDERS

SUBJECT: BOARD INFORMATION AND REMINDERS

SUGGESTED MOTION: Board Information and Reminders

BACKGROUND AND SUMMARY:

Board Information:

1. Expiring Appointments
2. VACo County Connections Newsletter

ATTACHMENTS:

EXPIRING APPOINTMENTS TO BOARDS, AUTHORITIES AND COMMISSIONS

Planning Commission

Appointee		*Current Term Expires*
Christina Rehfus	F-21 Tyler	June 30, 2024

Industrial Development Authority

Appointee		*Current Term Expires*
Dale Cook	F-21 Tyler	November 13, 2026
Randall Blevins	C-21 Madison	November 13, 2026

Park Authority

Appointee		*Current Term Expires*
Jennifer Blankenship	A-21 Harrison	June 30, 2026
Benjamin Casteel	C-21 Madison	June 30, 2026
Michael Wright	E-21 Taylor	June 30, 2026

Virginia Highlands Airport Authority

Appointee		*Current Term Expires*
John White	C-21 Madison	June 30, 2026

SW VA Cultural Heritage Foundation

Appointee	*Current Term Expires*
Mary Anne Holbrook	June 30, 2025

COUNTY CONNECTIONS
The Newsletter of the Virginia Association of Counties
Wednesday, June 24, 2026

General Assembly Passes Budget, Awaits Governor's Amendments



The General Assembly approved a new biennium budget on Monday, June 22, after budget conferees released a compromise conference report on the evening of June 19. The Governor now has an opportunity to review and act on the budget as passed by the legislature in advance of the end of the state fiscal year on June 30. Media reports indicate that the Governor plans to offer amendments, and the General Assembly plans to return on June 29 to consider her proposed revisions.

A preliminary overview of key items in the conference report of importance to local government follows below. VACo will be providing a more detailed analysis soon.

Tax Policy Items

- **Data centers:** The conference report includes a new electricity consumption tax on data center operators at the rate of $0.011/kWh for all electricity consumed at each data center per month. The tax would be imposed beginning on and after July 1, 2026, but before July 1, 2028. A maximum of $600 million raised by the tax per year would be deposited to the state General Fund, with amounts raised in excess of this amount to be refunded to each data center operator on a pro rata basis. (Item 3-5.24 #1c)

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» The Joint Subcommittee on Tax Policy is directed to study the data center sales and use tax exemption and other data center impacts during the 2026 interim, to include examining the impact of the existing exemption and any potential future exemption or incentives, approaches taken in other states related to the data center industry, the estimated direct and indirect economic benefits of data center investment in Virginia, impacts on the environment and quality of life related to data center location and siting, and recommended mechanisms to provide direct revenue to the state from the data center industry. Recommendations are due by December 15, 2026. (**Item 1 #7c**)

- **Mandatory property tax exemptions for disabled veterans:** Directs the Department of Taxation to convene a work group to review the cost of mandatory property tax exemptions for disabled veterans and their spouses and the impact of these exemptions on localities. A report is due by November 15, 2026. VACo worked with advocacy partners to propose similar language during the General Assembly session. (**Item 260 #1c**)

- **Standard deduction:** Increases the standard deduction from $8,750 for single filers and $17,500 joint filers to $9,200 for single filers and $18,400 for joint filers for tax year 2027, and again to $9,300 for single filers and $18,600 for joint filers for tax years 2028 and 2029. (**Item 4-14 #1c**)

Compensation – SOQ Instructional and Support Positions

- Funds the state share of a 4 percent salary increase for SOQ-recognized instructional and support positions in each year of the biennium (instead of the 2 percent increase proposed in the introduced budget). Retains the language in the introduced budget providing that the state share would be prorated for school divisions that provide less than an average 4 percent salary increase. School divisions providing an average increase in excess of 4 percent in the first year of the biennium would be allowed to credit the excess portion of the increase toward the second year. The state funds must be matched based on the Local Composite Index. (**Item 125 #2c**)

Compensation – State Employees and State-Supported Local Employees

- Funds a 3.5 percent salary increase for state employees and state-supported local employees in each year of the biennium (instead of the 2 percent increase proposed in the introduced budget). For state-supported local employees, the salary increases take effect August 1, 2026, and July 1, 2027. (**Item 469 #7c**)

School Capital

- Expands the authority to impose an additional 1 percent local option sales and use tax for school capital via voter referendum to all cities and counties, a long-sought priority for VACo. Counties interested in exercising this authority in 2026 should immediately review the timeline incorporated in the budget amendment in planning for a potential November referendum. Includes additional language authorizing any county or city in Planning District 8 to impose a 1 percent voter-approved local option sales and use tax for public transportation purposes. Includes language stipulating certain local funding contributions to the Washington Metropolitan Area Transit Authority (WMATA). (**Item 4-14 #2c**)

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- Funds rebenchmarking of the Standards of Quality and other routine and technical updates to school funding as proposed in the introduced budget.
- Provides $1 million in FY 2027 and $250,000 in FY 2028 to support the Joint Subcommittee on Elementary and Secondary Education Funding, and directs the Superintendent of Public Instruction to issue a Request for Proposals for a contractor to support the development of a new funding formula. (**Item 123 #4c**)
- Provides $74.4 million in FY 2027 and $74 million in FY 2028 to increase the add-on percentages applied to basic aid for special education students. (**Item 125 #5c**)
- Provides an additional $60 million in FY 2027 for infrastructure and operations per pupil funding. (**Item 125 #6c**)
- Provides $14.5 million in FY 2027 and $14.4 million in FY 2028 to increase the maximum At-Risk Add-On to 48.85 percent each year, and expands the allowable use of the funds to include initiatives to support both the physical and mental health of students in public schools, such as the hiring of nurses. (**Item 125 #13c** and **Item 125 #9c**)

Early Childhood

- Retains the introduced budget's proposal to fund an additional 6,745 slots per year in the Child Care Subsidy Program by redirecting $71 million in FY 2027 and $66.6 million in FY 2028 from assumed nonparticipation rates for the Virginia Preschool Initiative.
- Provides $25 million in FY 2027 to fund the newly-created Employee Child Care Assistance Pilot Program, which provides matching funds to incentivize employers to contribute to employee child care costs. (**Item 126 #2c**)

Children's Services Act

- Retains language in the introduced budget capping growth in state reimbursement to localities for private day special education services, which VACo had sought to remove. As an alternative approach, the conference report includes an additional $10 million in FY 2027 for reimbursements to school divisions through the Students with Intensive Support Needs Application, as well as language directing the Department of Education to expand the disability categories eligible for payments through this program, with consideration given to students with complex behavioral needs who otherwise would be referred to private day school placements. VACo strongly supports this additional funding and language. The conference report also includes language VACo supports directing the Department of Education to make recommendations on removing barriers to using funds and improving the application process, as well as directing the Department of Education to issue guidance on the use of funds to support students transitioning back to public school from private placements. (**Item 125 #1c**, **Item 118 #1c**)
- Retains the introduced budget's reduction in the state match for community-based services funded through CSA to reflect an average state match of 71 percent. VACo had sought to reverse this action.

Natural Resources

- Deposits $329.5 million in FY 2027 to the Water Quality Improvement Fund for matching grants for eligible wastewater treatment plant improvement projects. (**Item 368 #2c**)

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- Retains the introduced budget's $43.5 million in FY 2027 for the Stormwater Local Assistance Fund.
- Provides $100 million in FY 2027 to enhance environmental monitoring in the Commonwealth. Directs the Director of the Department of Environmental Quality to review and evaluate state environmental monitoring activities and determine where improvements can be made or are necessary. The Department of Environmental Quality may request funding from this appropriation to address critical gaps in environmental monitoring as identified in the comprehensive study. (**Item 471 #2c**)
- Provides $750,000 per year for regional water supply planning activities to assist with the statutory mandate to submit regional water supply plans by October 2029. (**Item 366 #4c**)

Transportation

- Directs the Secretary of Transportation to evaluate options for accelerating large-scale improvements to the Interstate 81 corridor. (**Item 420 #4c**)
- Provides $19 million in FY 2027 for one-time transit capital investments. (**Item 433 #2c**)
- Includes $153 million in FY 2027 for the state share of additional operating assistance for the Washington Metropolitan Area Transit Authority (WMATA) throughout the biennium. Requires WMATA to produce a 20-year, conceptual capital plan every five years beginning June 30, 2027, a funding/financial plan for major projects, and an annual report on the performance of WMATA and its capital program. Requires the Department of Rail and Public Transportation to study WMATA cost savings and cost efficiency efforts and submit a report to the General Assembly by October 15, 2026. (**Item 433 #6c** and **Item 433 #7c**)
- Directs the Department of Rail and Public Transportation to evaluate the feasibility of consolidating several local Northern Virginia bus systems into a single, unified regional bus system. (**Item 433 #5c**)
- Directs the Virginia Department of Transportation, in collaboration with the Secretaries of Transportation and Commerce and Trade, to engage with stakeholders and recommend to the Commonwealth Transportation Board a priority project or projects to advance using the $90 million allocated for U.S. Route 220 from the Priority Transportation Fund. (**Item 438 #1c**)
- Provides $7 million in FY 2027 for the Route 460 Phase IIA Finish Grade Project. (**Item 438 #2c**)

Other Items

- Establishes a retail cannabis market, with provisions setting out tax rates, licensure requirements, and product testing and packaging requirements, among other provisions. (**Item 4-14 #4c**)
- Deposits $350 million in FY 2027 as a Medicaid reserve contingency in the event of higher-than-expected costs in the program. (**Item 471 #1c**)
- Deposits $225 million in FY 2027 to a new Federal Uncertainty Contingency Fund that may be used to address unanticipated reductions in federal funding affecting state programs and services. (**Item 471 #3c**)

VACo Contact: VACo Legislative Team

VA250

Celebrating Virginia's History: Beaverdam Depot



One of Virginia's earliest surviving railroad stations, the Beaverdam Depot in Hanover County was built in 1866 to replace a makeshift depot destroyed by Union forces on May 9, 1864. This makeshift depot replaced an 1862 depot destroyed in a Union raid of February 1864. The original ca. 1840 depot was likewise destroyed in a Union raid on Beaverdam on July 20, 1862. The present depot was one of several rebuilt by the Virginia Central Railroad on the sites of depots lost to war. Not long after completion of this brick facility, the Virginia Central Railroad Co. was purchased by the Chesapeake and Ohio Railway, which emerged in the 1880s as one of the state's dominant lines. Although no longer in use, Beaverdam's depot is remarkably well preserved. Both of its waiting rooms have beaded-board walls and ceilings. The office retains shelving and switching mechanisms. The long, low Beaverdam Depot structure also has baggage and freight rooms.

SOURCE: [VA250.org](VA250.org)



VACo 2026 REGIONAL MEETINGS

- **REGION 2** | May 27 | York County
- **REGIONS 6&7** | June 17 | Greene County
- **REGION 1** | June 22 | New Kent County
- **REGION 10** | July 9 | Henry County
- **REGION 8** | July 15 | Fairfax County
- **REGION 4** | July 28 | Greensville County
- **REGION 3** | August 18 | Chesterfield County
- **REGION 9** | August | Alleghany County
- **REGIONS 11&12** | September | Montgomery County
- **REGIONS 12&13** | September | Russell County
- **REGION 5** | TBA

Premier Partner Spotlight - Savi



Federal Student Loan Changes on July 1, 2026 - Student Loan Relief Available Through National association of Counties Program

As competition for talent continues to intensify, employee benefits that provide meaningful financial support can play an important role in both recruitment and retention. Through VACo's partnership with the National Association of Counties (NACo), Virginia counties have access to **Savi**, a comprehensive student loan assistance program designed to help employees navigate federal student loan repayment and forgiveness opportunities.

VACo Executive Director Dean Lynch **interviews** Tony Raffa of Savi, who outlines all the details of this program. Providing access to **Savi** offers counties a valuable tool to support employees while strengthening workforce recruitment and retention efforts. To date, **Savi** has identified approximately $34 million in projected student loan savings for participating Virginia employees, helping borrowers reduce debt, lower monthly payments, and pursue loan forgiveness opportunities.

Watch the Video

VACo Contact: Karie Walker, CAE

Meet Chesterfield's Next County Administrator: Dr. Kevin A. Catlin



The Chesterfield Board of Supervisors has selected Dr. Kevin A. Catlin as Chesterfield's next county administrator.

"This board is excited to work alongside our new county administrator, and we are confident in his ability to ensure Chesterfield remains a first-choice community to live, learn, work, and play," said Dr. Mark Miller, chair of the Board of Supervisors (Midlothian District). "We'd like to officially welcome you to Chesterfield County, Dr. Catlin."

Catlin currently serves as the county administrator and controller of Kalamazoo County, Michigan.

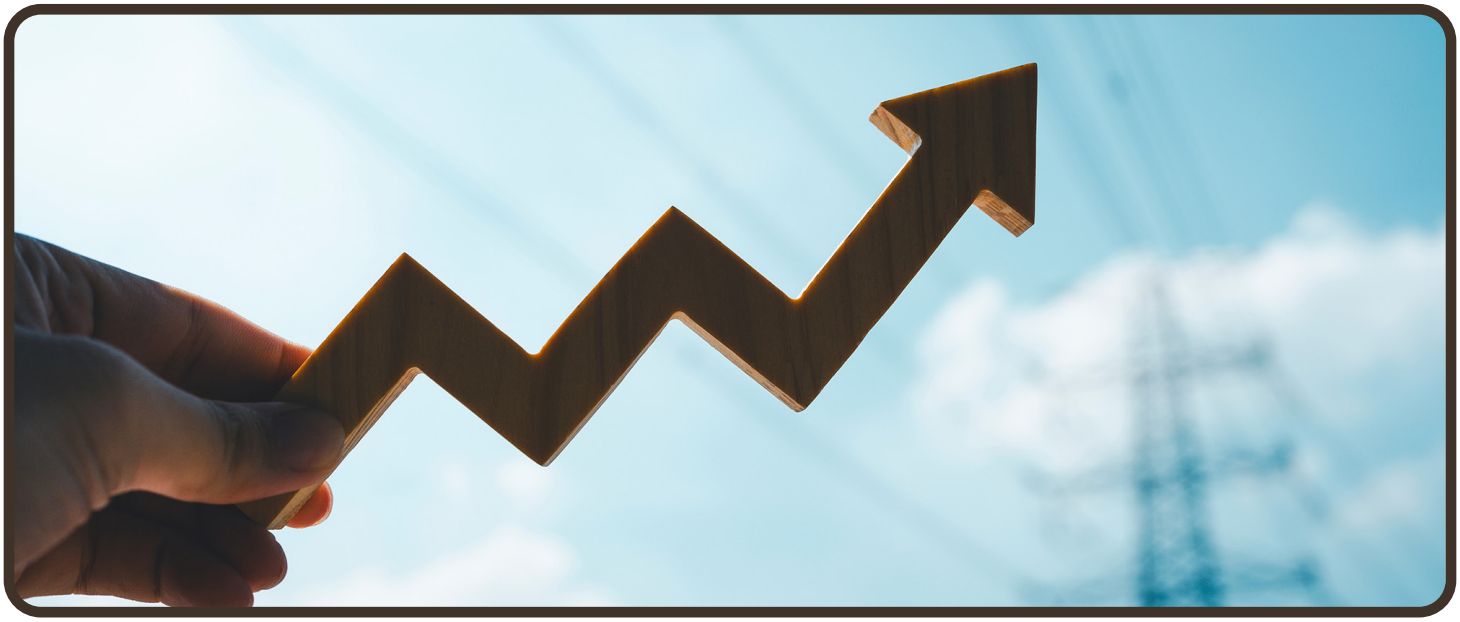
"It is truly an honor to stand here before you as Chesterfield County's new county administrator," said Catlin. "I am humbled by your trust and deeply appreciate the opportunity to serve."

Catlin, who was chosen following a nationwide recruitment, officially begins his new role with Chesterfield on August 24. He succeeds Dr. Joe Casey, who is retiring July 1 after a decade as county administrator.

The Board of Supervisors is expected to appoint Matt Harris, deputy county administrator for finance and administration, to serve as interim county administrator effective July 1.

SOURCE: **Chesterfield County**

Localities in Dominion Energy Territory to Experience an Overall Rate Increase of 24.9% on July 1, 2026



The negotiation team for the Virginia Energy Purchasing Governmental Association (VEPGA) has agreed in principle to a contract from July 1, 2026, to June 30, 2028, with Dominion Energy for the purchase of electricity on behalf of its local governments (counties, cities, towns, school divisions and service authorities). VEPGA is a joint powers association created in 2002 pursuant to authority provided in the Virginia Code and negotiates multi-year electricity contracts with Dominion Energy. As reported to VEPGA members on June 16.

VEPGA will have a 24.9% overall increase in the upcoming contract year, effective July 1, 2026. Impacts by rate schedule are detailed in this spreadsheet as increases vary by rate class to align with the cost of service. *It is important to note that the overall impact on a particular member will vary depending on their individual rate schedules. Members can also expect at least another 12% increase effective July 1, 2027. The minimum 12% increase in 2027 is likely optimistic and only considers costs known during the negotiation process. This increase assumes no further increases in fuel costs or riders, such as RGGI, and does not consider any other potential impacts at this time. The multi-year, stepped increase was a strategy to reduce rate shock in the first year of the new contract and align with the VEPGA board's direction to the negotiation team.*

Lastly, the VEPGA negotiation team also made progress with non-revenue contract items. VEPGA will be issuing a memo about the contract updates to VEPGA members in July.

If you have any questions or need additional information, please contact VEPGA Secretary/Treasurer Sandy Harrington at ***sharrington@vml.org****.*

To learn more about VEPGA go to **www.vepga.org** and listen to **episode 25** (Purchasing Electricity for Local Governments from Dominion Energy) of the **VACo Energy Landscape of Virginia podcast**.

VACo Contact: Joe Lerch, AICP

Time-Sensitive Action Item: School Capital Referendum Authority Included in State Budget

The General Assembly has approved **language** expanding authority for all Virginia counties and cities to impose an additional 1 percent local option sales and use tax for school capital projects, subject to voter approval through a local referendum. This authority has been a longstanding VACo legislative priority and provides localities with a significant new tool to address school construction and renovation needs. This language also includes separate authority for localities within Planning District 8 to impose a voter-approved 1 percent local option sales and use tax for public transportation purposes, along with language addressing certain local funding contributions to the Washington Metropolitan Area Transit Authority (WMATA).

Counties interested in pursuing a referendum in November 2026 should immediately review the timeline and procedural requirements contained in the budget language, as statutory deadlines for placing a measure on the ballot may require action in the coming weeks. VACo will provide additional guidance as implementation details become available. Please note that this provision remains subject to final budget action by Governor Spanberger.

VACo thanks its members, advocacy partners, and the General Assembly for their multi-year efforts to advance this longstanding VACo legislative priority.

VACo Contact: Jeremy R. Bennett

Virginia Department of Fire Programs Highlights New Law Encouraging 42-Hour Work Week for Paid Firefighters



The Virginia Department of Fire Programs (**VDFP**) is encouraging local fire departments and local government leaders to review recently enacted legislation aimed at promoting firefighter wellness, workforce sustainability, and operational readiness.

During the 2026 General Assembly Session, lawmakers passed **HB 1333 (Feggans)**, which amended **§ 9.1-702 of the Code of Virginia** relating to hours of work for paid firefighters. The legislation encourages employers to implement work schedules that do not require a paid firefighter's normally scheduled shifts to exceed an average of 42 hours per workweek.

In a June 12 **memorandum** to Virginia fire chiefs, VDFP Executive Director Brad Creasy noted that decisions regarding staffing, scheduling, and budgeting remain local decisions that must account for community expectations, operational demands, recruitment and retention challenges, and budgetary considerations. The Department emphasized that staffing models vary significantly across Virginia's localities and acknowledged that local governments are best positioned to determine what works for their communities.

While recognizing local authority, VDFP stated that it supports continued discussion and evaluation of staffing practices that prioritize firefighter wellness, operational readiness, and the long-term sustainability of the fire service. The Department encourages localities and fire departments with paid personnel to explore implementation of the 42-hour work week model as part of those discussions.

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According to the memorandum, similar discussions are occurring nationally as states and local jurisdictions evaluate firefighter scheduling practices. VDFP cited efforts in other states to reduce fatigue, improve work-life balance, support recruitment and retention, and promote workforce sustainability among career firefighters.

The Department reiterated its commitment to working collaboratively with local governments, fire chiefs, and other stakeholders as communities evaluate staffing and scheduling models that best support local operational and service needs. VDFP also expressed appreciation for the General Assembly, local governments, and members of the fire service community who continue to engage in discussions on the future of Virginia's fire and emergency services workforce.

VACo encourages county administrators, fire chiefs, and local government officials to review the memorandum and discuss any potential operational, workforce, and budgetary implications with their local fire and rescue leadership teams as they evaluate options for meeting community needs.

VACo Contact: Jeremy R. Bennett



Localities Nationwide Sue Over Fire Apparatus Pricing



The rising price for fire apparatus and replacement and repair parts, coupled with long delivery delays of necessary and life-saving equipment, have impacted fire departments **nationwide**. Now, lawsuits have been filed to address possible anti-competitive pricing practices by firetruck manufacturers and the Fire Apparatus Manufacturers' Association (FAMA).

Dozens of localities across the country have filed individual complaints and class action lawsuits in federal courts against REV Group, Oshkosh Corporation, Pierce Manufacturing, and Rosenbauer America LLC. REV Group and Oshkosh manufacture equipment under various brand names. The complaints generally allege that due to artificially inflated prices and widespread production backlogs, communities across the country are being forced to keep aging equipment on their front lines long after recommended retirement dates, leaving communities and citizens compromised.

In April of this year, many of the cases were transferred for coordination and consolidation in federal court in Wisconsin. The lawsuits seek monetary damages and injunctive relief to restore competition in the market. If your county has purchased new fire equipment or parts in the last 10 years, you may wish to consider meeting with your legal counsel to review the options.

As previously **reported**, Virginia localities struggle to fully fund fire and rescue services across the state, especially in rural areas with declining populations. VACo urges the General Assembly to provide additional resources that would assist local governments with the recruitment, retention, training, and support of first responders such as law enforcement, fire and EMS personnel, and 9-1-1 dispatchers. VACo will continue to introduce and support **legislative efforts** that seek to achieve these goals and provide updates as the session progresses.

VACo Contacts: **Julie Whitlock, Esq.** and **Jeremy R. Bennett**

VDOT Proposes Changes to Revenue Sharing Program Funding Process

At the June 16 meeting of the Commonwealth Transportation Board (CTB), staff from the Virginia Department of Transportation proposed significant changes to how it funds projects through the Revenue Sharing Program.

A formal resolution for the CTB to consider adopting the changes is expected in September. If adopted, the new process would take effect in the spring 2027 application cycle.

Current Revenue Sharing Program

The Revenue Sharing Program provides funding to localities for the construction and/or improvement of highway systems that are smaller and more locally focused. The Program offers a 50/50 state/local match and localities can receive up to $10 million per locality per application cycle. $200 million in total is available each round. Projects are ranked in priority tiers:

- **Priority 1** — Projects that have previously received Revenue Sharing funding
- **Priority 2** — Construction projects that address a need identified in the Statewide Transportation Plan or that will be accelerated in a locality's capital plan
- **Priority 3** — Deficient pavement resurfacing or bridge rehabilitation projects
- **Priority 4** — All other eligible projects

Under the current process, Priority 1 requests are fully funded first. Priority 2 requests follow a two-step approach: all cumulative locality requests up to $1 million are funded, then requests from $1 million up to $10 million are funded. Priority 3 and Priority 4 projects have historically gone unfunded entirely.

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What VDOT Is Proposing

The goal of the proposed revision is to **fully fund applications to the maximum extent possible**, rather than spreading partial allocations across many projects.
Priority 1 projects would remain the same with existing revenue sharing projects that were awarded funds in previous years receiving fully funded awards.
The proposed Priority 2 funding sequence would be very different. Priority 2 would be for projects that meet a VTRANS or locality CIP need and be awarded in this order:

- **Step A** — Fully fund all cumulative locality requests up to $1 million
- **Step B** — Fully fund all requests that were only partially funded under Step A
- **Step C** — Fully fund all requests for projects already in the Six-Year Improvement Program (SYIP)
- **Step D** — Fully fund all requests for projects identified as the preferred alternative in a local or regional study
- **Step E** — Fully fund all remaining requests

If funds are depleted before completing any category, the Board retains discretion to pro-rate the remaining allocation.

How Proposed Changes Would Have Impacted FY27 Project Selections

VDOT modeled the proposed approach against the FY27 funding cycle to show the practical difference. Under the current process, 33 Priority 2 projects were fully funded and 49 were partially funded. Under the proposed approach, 68 would have been fully funded, only 8 partially funded, and 6 would have received no funding with the same total dollar amount allocated ($239.3 million).

Essentially, slightly less projects would be funded overall, but far more of them would be fully funded or put in a position to move forward.

Reasons for Proposed Change

The data presented to the CTB showed that for each funding cycle, a large share of Priority 2 projects receive only partial funding. Issues arise when these partially funded projects tend to stall which increases project cost in the long run, further diluting an already shrinking (through inflation) pot of funds.

In the FY27 cycle, 49 of 82 Priority 2 projects were only partially funded, with VDOT covering $118.2 million of the $135.6 million requested. Similar patterns played out in FY23 and FY25.

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When projects are partially funded, localities generally can't advance them until additional Revenue Sharing dollars are provided in a future cycle or they cancel the projects altogether.

VDOT also identified a related issue: local funds committed in applications are routinely replaced in future rounds with Revenue Sharing funds, effectively deferring the local match rather than accelerating investment.

Over the past three fiscal years, cancelled projects and surplus funds from completed projects have returned nearly $76.5 million to the program including $47.6 million from cancellations alone.

Why This Matters for Counties
VDOT outlined four key benefits of the revision.

- Localities would know at the time of application exactly how much local funding they're committing.
- Fully funded projects can advance sooner, preserving the buying power of the investment.
- The new process places greater emphasis on projects already in the SYIP and those with a preferred alternative identified through a study.
- Localities that have multiple Priority 2 projects fully funded in a cycle will generate fewer Priority 1 carryover projects in subsequent rounds, freeing up more capacity for new applications.

What's Next

VDOT began stakeholder engagement following the June workshop. A July CTB presentation will focus on Revenue Sharing project delivery expectations that are to work in tandem with the proposed funding changes, which VACo will report on in July. The CTB will consider a resolution to formally adopt the policy changes in September.

Please reach out to VACo to share comments or concerns regarding these proposed changes. The Revenue Sharing Program is one of the most popular funding programs available to localities and if these proposes changes negatively impact your locality, please contact VACo staff.

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Public Comment Sought on Two Children's Services Act Policies

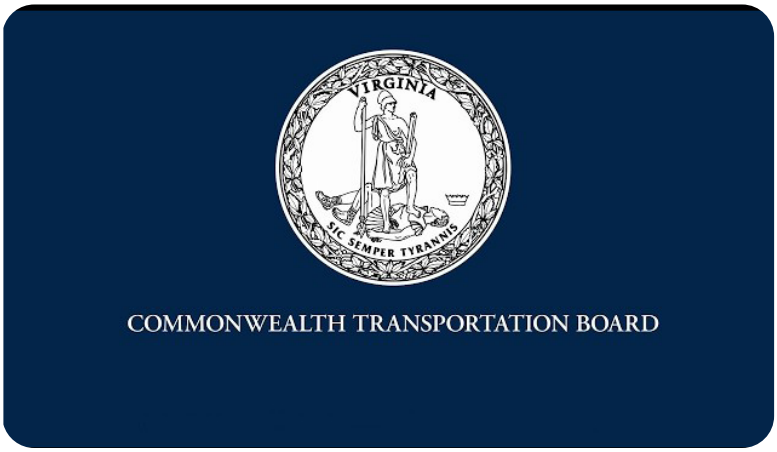
At its June 11 meeting, the State Executive Council for Children's Services (SEC), the oversight body for the Children's Services Act, approved circulating two policies for an initial period of public comment, which will conclude on July 30. Comments may be submitted through the **Public Policy Comment Forum**, via email to **csa.office@csa.virginia.gov**, or via US Mail (1604 Santa Rosa Road, Suite 137, Richmond, VA 23229).

Policy 4.5.1 – Protected Funds sets out guidance regarding the allocation and utilization of protected funds, which are funds that are provided to localities to serve youth in the "non-mandated" population for CSA. These youth meet the eligibility criteria for CSA by having certain emotional or behavioral health needs that meet statutory criteria, but do not fall into the populations for whom services are mandated (children with an Individualized Education Program that requires placement for special education purposes in approved private school educational programs, children receiving transitional educational services to support their return to public school from a private placement, and children receiving certain foster care services). The text of the proposed policy may be found at **this link**, and the Notice of Intent to Develop Policy may be found at **this link**.

Policy 4.6 – Denial of Funds provides guidance to local CSA programs on the denial of funds pursuant to applicable statutes. The text of the proposed revisions to the policy may be found at **this link**, and the Notice of Intent to Develop Policy may be found at **this link**.
If members submit public comments on either policy, VACo would greatly appreciate receiving a copy, which may be directed to Katie Boyle (**kboyle@vaco.org**).

VACo Contact: Katie Boyle

Commonwealth Transportation Board Finalizes FY27 Agency Budgets & Six-Year Financial Plan



The Commonwealth Transportation Board (CTB) reviewed and approved the final FY 2027–2032 Commonwealth Transportation Fund (CTF) Six-Year Financial Plan and took up the FY 2027 budgets for the CTF, VDOT and DRPT.

The Six-Year Financial Plan

The Six-Year Financial Plan is the master funding document for all of Virginia's transportation modes including highways, rail, transit, ports, aviation, DMV, and space flight for FY 2027 through FY 2032. The final plan allocates $60.0 billion from all revenue sources over that period, up $1.6 billion from the previous FY 2026–2031 plan.

Key allocations within the six-year plan include:

- **$18.7 billion** for Maintenance and Operations
- **$17.8 billion** for Construction (of which approximately $3.6 billion represents local and regional contributions)
- **$6.6 billion** transferred to the three regional transportation entities
- **$1.5 billion** in bonded debt (Route 58 Corridor Bonds, I-81 Financing, GARVEE Bonds, and Special Structures Debt)
- **$1.1 billion** in dedicated revenue for the WMATA Capital Fund
- **$607.1 million** in dedicated fuel tax revenue for I-81 Corridor Improvements

CTF Revenue Outlook

State-only revenues flowing into the CTF are projected to grow from $5.4 billion in FY 2027 to $6.1 billion in FY 2032 which amounts to $34.6 billion over six years. The three largest sources include:

- **Statewide Motor Fuels Tax:** $10.65 billion over six years, growing from $1.64 billion to $1.88 billion
- **Retail Sales and Use Tax:** $9.61 billion, growing from $1.49 billion to $1.72 billion
- **Motor Vehicle Sales and Use Tax:** $8.21 billion, relatively flat at roughly $1.36–$1.38 billion annually

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Other notable sources include the State Insurance Premium Tax ($1.73 billion), Registration Fees ($1.42 billion), and the Highway Use Fee ($927.7 million) which is the fastest-growing line item, more than doubling over the six-year plan as electric vehicle and fuel-efficient vehicle adoption increases.

Total revenues across the six-year period, which include state, federal, local/regional participation, and financing sources reach **$52.5 billion in operating revenues and financing**, with a grand total of **$60.0 billion** including pass-through transfers to regional entities.

State Budget and Federal Funding Questions

As of the June 16 meeting, the General Assembly had not yet adopted a final state budget and that uncertainty runs through everything. VDOT flagged that final budget adoption could require changes to both the CTF and VDOT budgets.

The federal picture is also worth watching. Federal fund categories were updated based on revised FHWA and FTA formulas, and $56 million in FY26 Congressionally Directed Spending earmarks were included. Further federal changes, such as the federal surface transportation reauthorization bill, could require corrections.

FY 2027 CTF, VDOT and DRPT Budgets Adopted

The CTB also acted to approve the FY 27 budget for the CTF, VDOT and DRPT. For FY 2027, the CTF budget totals $10.23 billion which is a 5.3% increase over the FY 2026 budget.

Highway construction accounts for 35.5% of the budget, while maintenance and operations represent 22.5%. Rail and Public Transportation accounts for almost 10% of the budget.

A key concern for counties is the projected $653.7 million deficit in the Highway Maintenance and Operating Fund (HMOF). To close the gap, VDOT plans to use $287 million in federal funds and transfer $366.7 million from the Construction Fund. This ongoing reliance on construction dollars to support maintenance reduces funding available for future transportation projects.

The FY 2027 VDOT budget totals $9.0 billion, an increase of $567.6 million from FY 2026. Highway construction funding rises by $848.9 million, while highway maintenance funding declines by $247.6 million. Financial assistance to localities remains relatively stable overall. The FY 27 DRPT budget includes investments of $1.169 billion in state, federal, and local resources towards improving public transportation and rail across the Commonwealth. Broken down by category this amounts to:

- **Transit =** $930.8 M
- **Rail =** $37.7 M
- **DRPT Administration =** $19.9 M
- **VPRA (pass through) =** $181.1 M

VACo Contact: James Hutzler

Workgroup on Financial Sustainability of Virginia Alcohol Safety Action Program Holds First Meeting



A workgroup that has been directed to review the sustainability of the structure and finances of the Virginia Alcohol Safety Action Program (VASAP) held its first meeting on May 27. Issues the workgroup has been directed to examine include factors affecting financial sustainability of the program, including fees and other funding sources for the program; factors affecting the operational stability of the system of local alcohol safety action programs (ASAPs); and the role and responsibility of the state-level VASAP Commission in ensuring the success of local programs.

The bills establishing the workgroup, **HB 862 (Cousins)** and **SB 391 (Stuart)**, were introduced at the recommendation of the Commission on VASAP, a legislative branch commission, and stemmed from a small working group of Commission members that met last fall and did not include local government representation. VASAP's funding structure has been stressed for some time, leading to program consolidations in some areas. The state established the program in the 1970s; the program is supported by fees paid by individuals referred by the courts to the program, as well as local contributions in some localities, but the fees have not increased in years and judges at times waive fees for individuals they deem unable to pay. The bills as introduced sought to address these longstanding challenges by requiring localities to provide financial support for local alcohol safety action programs and requiring

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each local alcohol safety action program to have a locality serve as its fiscal agent -- broad changes to the program that were not previously discussed with local governments. The bills also codified some regulations, reorganized certain Code sections, and set out responsibilities for local policy boards that supervise local alcohol safety action programs.

After a series of amendments, the requirement for a local ASAP to designate a fiscal agent locality and the requirement for localities to make financial contributions to local ASAPs were delayed until January 1, 2028, to allow time for the workgroup to examine broader questions about the structure and funding of the program.

VASAP has retained a consulting firm to conduct the study. At the initial meeting, stakeholders discussed areas of inquiry and potential options to explore. Several questions submitted by VACo for the consultants to pursue included:

- how much funding would be required to stabilize the VASAP system
- to what degree each local ASAP's expenses are covered by fee revenue
- the process for local ASAPs to receive supplemental funds through VASAP and how often local ASAPs have needed these infusions of funds
- the effect of state actions to sweep balances from the program on the program's stability
- the administrative fee charged by those localities currently serving as fiscal agents to compensate them for their work and how those fees have been determined
- how local ASAPs track success over time

Since the workgroup provides a forum to better understand pressures facing local ASAPs and to explore solutions without the time pressure of the compressed legislative session, VACo has encouraged the group to consider creative approaches to revenue options beyond what was contained in the 2026 legislation, in order to find solutions that will provide stable, predictable sources of funding for the ASAPs without placing a burden on the taxpayer and without requiring each ASAP to negotiate with each local government each year. Alternative ideas that could be explored include establishing a non-General Fund source of revenue that could be directly distributed to ASAPs; updating the fee structure to set fees at rates that more realistically address the costs to provide service for clients who are able to pay; or a state General Fund appropriation.

The workgroup's next meeting is scheduled for June 24; a report is due by October 1.

VACo Contact: Katie Boyle

Webinar on Implementation of New State Laws on Solar and Battery Storage Available to Local Governments

One May 13, 2026, Sands Anderson PC, in partnership with the Berkley Group and VACo offered a webinar on Practical Law for Civic Leaders regarding Solar and Battery Storage in Virginia. The purpose of the webinar is to inform Virginia localities on the following legislation signed into law and effective July 1, 2026:

HB 711 (Herring) / **SB 347 (VanValkenburg)** require that, unless otherwise permitted "by right," a locality shall require and review any "special exception" (aka special use permit) for any application of a solar project one megawatt or more in generating capacity in all zoning districts classified as agricultural, commercial, industrial and institutional. The legislation then mandates specific criteria to be applied to such applications and requires that they be adopted in local zoning ordinances. While there is no mandate to approve such applications, the legislation does require localities to review all such applications, regardless of whether the location of the proposed facility is contrary to local comprehensive plans and land use ordinances, and … *furnish the State Corporation Commission a record of special exception decisions reached pursuant to this section not more than 60 days after such decision is made. The record shall include (i) the reason for any adverse decision, (ii) any finding of nonconformity with the local comprehensive plan, and (iii) the date of the last revision to the comprehensive plan.*

HB 891 (Shin) / **SB 443 (McPike)** make utility-scale Battery Energy Storage Systems (BESS) a by-right use on any parcel that has previously been approved for utility-scale solar and that is subject to an approved special use permit, or any other similar approval issued for a solar facility. The legislation specifies that the by-right battery facility may not exceed 100 percent of the nameplate generating capacity of the associated solar facility.

In addition to taking away local decision-making, the new law specifies that the addition of the battery energy storage project shall not alter, reduce, or otherwise affect any (1) payment obligations, financial commitments, or other terms contained in the existing special exception associated with the siting agreement for the approved solar project or (2) the state-mandated local tax exemption from which the approved solar project benefits.

To download a recording of the session **click here.**

To access a copy of the slideshow and the legislation **click here**.

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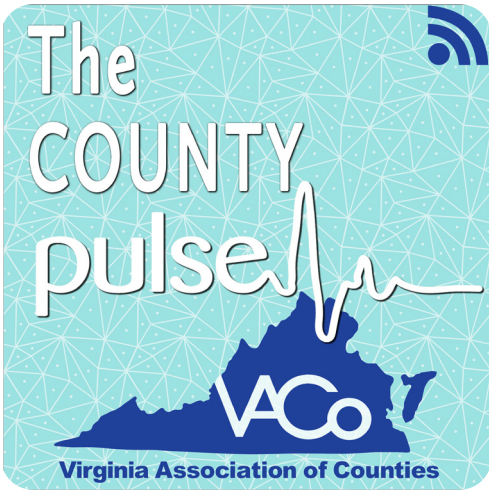
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Where to find out more about topics covered in this episode

- **Dark Sky International | Protecting the night skies for present and future generations**
- **Virginia Chapter of Dark Sky International**
- **Virginia State Parks' International Dark Sky Parks**
- **Home - Chapel Hill Astronomical and Observing Society**
- **The New World Atlas of Artificial Sky Brightness | CIRES**
- **Rappahannock County Park**
- **Rappahannock League for Environmental Protection**
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Virginia Transit and Rail Update Webinar RSVP

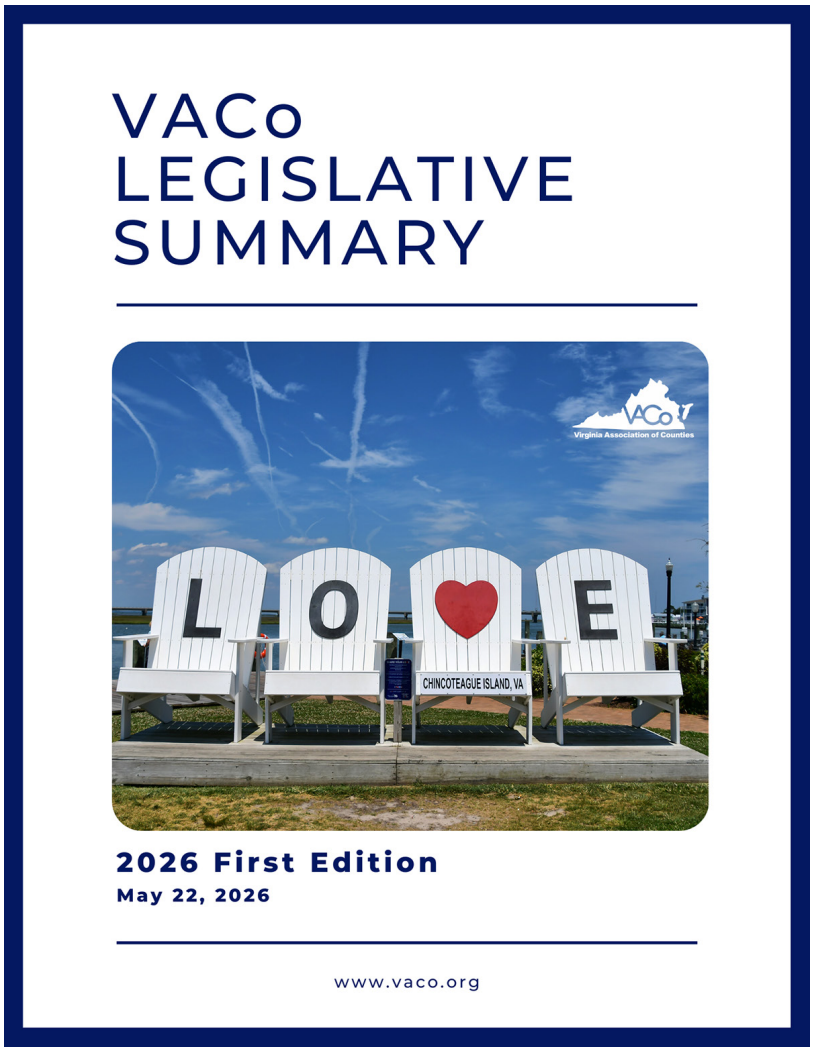
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VACo will host an upcoming webinar, "Virginia Transit & Rail Update Funding, Policy, and What's Ahead," which will focus on transit, rail and other updates within the Department of Rail and Public Transportation (DRPT).

We are pleased to announce that Mariia Zimmerman, Director of Rail and Public Transportation, will join us to provide updates and talk through some initiatives and priorities for her and her agency moving forward. She will also be available to answer questions from county leaders. All county staff and elected officials are encouraged to attend.

To register, please click the link below. See you there!

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VACo Releases 2026 Legislative Summary (First Edition)

The **Legislative Summary** details the actions of the 2026 General Assembly. It also includes information on legislation of interest to counties.

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- 10:00 – 11:45 AM — Session 1 — Aviation Panel
- 11:45 AM — Networking Break
- 12:00 – 1:00 PM — Lunch Plenary — Virginia Resources Authority
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- 1:30 – 3:00 PM — Session 2 — Housing Panel

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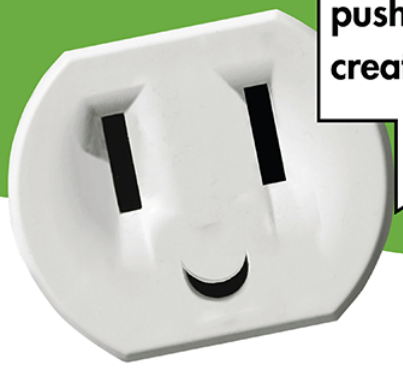
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Know Who You Are

Because you are VAcorp itself, we think it is critical that you understand exactly what VAcorp is and why it exists. Many simply think of us as their "insurance carrier" – writing customized coverages and handling claims when they occur – but we are so much more!

Our History

The Birth of Risk Pools

VAcorp is not an insurance company, but rather a Risk Pool.

Unstable economic conditions in the mid-1980s led to a commercial insurance crisis with ballooning premiums and widespread policy cancellations. As a result, Risk Pools began to form as an alternative to volatile traditional carriers, allowing Pool members to exert more control over their coverages and costs. Today, almost all public sector entities throughout the country get their coverage from Risk Pools rather than from commercial insurance companies.

VAcorp's Origin

VAcorp was founded by a handful of Virginia counties in 1993. The ultimate goals of the program were to provide **cost stability,** the most **comprehensive coverages** possible, and **custom services** tailored specifically to the unique needs of our members. While we are pleased by how well our prices compare against the competition, our goal was never to guarantee the lowest cost. Instead, we promised to avoid the wild price swings that we've seen in other providers and provide stable pricing year after year, and that is exactly what we have delivered. VAcorp rates are actually **lower today in 2024 than they were in 1993!**

VAcorp's Growth

Today, VAcorp is the **largest self-insurance risk pool** for public sector entities in the Commonwealth with a membership retention rate of better than 98%. Over the years, we have expanded beyond counties to include municipalities, school divisions, authorities, volunteer fire & rescue companies, state agencies, and non-profits funded by taxpayer dollars. **Over 560 members** have joined VAcorp, including 8 of the 10 largest counties, 8 of the 10 largest cities, and 8 of the 10 largest school divisions. We believe that the extraordinary success of the program can be attributed to our unwavering commitment to our founding principles.

VAcorp Exists to Serve You

VAcorp was created solely to serve Virginia's public sector entities, and from day one until now, we have never lost sight of that purpose. Because we answer only to our members, every decision is designed to benefit the group over the long haul.

VAcorp advocates for local government through a myriad of partnerships with affiliated associations including: VACo, VSBA, VLGMA, VASS, VFGOA, VASBO, LGA, Regional Jail Association, PDC, etc. While there is a cost associated with these partnerships, they add value to the group by aiding in our ability to lobby the General Assembly on behalf of our members.

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Take a look at a few of VAcorp's milestones over the years:

- **1993** - VAcorp is established with 12 founding members and less than $700,000 in annual contribution.
- **1998** - VAcorp terminates service contract with claims administration vendor and hires staff to promote more control and efficiency.
- **1999** - VAcorp offers coverage to K-12 Public Schools across the Commonwealth.
- **2001** – VAcorp begins offering Public Officials Liability coverage in response to VArisk offering limited coverage.
- **2004** – VAcorp begins providing Environmental Liability coverage to all members at no additional cost. Even in 2024, VAcorp is the only provider offering this coverage with a low $25,000 deductible. Other providers offer this coverage with a $250,000 deductible.
- **2008** – VAcorp responded to the great recession by freezing rates and providing financial relief with over $8,000,000 in dividends to members.
- **2011** – VAcorp introduces Line of Duty Act (LODA) coverage, creates the only LODA trust in the state, and absorbs existing LODA losses in response to the state pushing this cost to the local level. VAcorp paid all of its members' 2010 past liability for over $1,000,000.
- **2013** – VAcorp merges with the VSBA Self-Insurance Group and assumes their liabilities to prevent School Boards from being assessed. This action saves Local Governments in excess of $5,000,000.
- **2013** – VAcorp becomes the first to offer Cyber Risk coverage in Virginia offering the broadest coverage available to local governments anywhere in the US.
- **2016** – VAcorp offers Student Accident and Catastrophic Accident coverage in order to fill VHSL coverage gaps.
- **2020** – VAcorp provides over $5,000,000 in rate credits during the COVID pandemic to assist members.
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FACILITIES & PROGRAMS ASSISTANT | Fluvanna County | Posted June 9

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