

12. MISCELLANEOUS

A. REQUEST FOR PROPOSALS - GENERAL ENGINEERING SERVICES

As directed last month, I published the solicitation notice for the General Engineering Services RFP in the Richmond Times Dispatch on Sunday, June 10. Based on response thus far, I anticipate receiving 15 to 20 proposals, which are due July 11. I'd like to set a meeting with Supervisor(s) Edwards and Updike soon thereafter to discuss the evaluation process as prescribed by the Virginia Public Procurement Act and distribute their copies.

B. VACo ANNUAL MEETING

The Virginia Association of Counties has announced its 2012 annual meeting dates of November 11-13 at the Homestead in Bath County. The theme of this year's conference is, "Waves of Change: Oceans of Opportunity." Among others, topics include:

- Maintaining civility in board meetings;
- Budget and finance issues;
- New infrastructure: cash proffers vs. impact fees;
- The Virginia Retirement System;
- Going paperless: pros and cons;
- Competing for quality employees.

The FY 2013 budget includes \$3,000 for Board travel and education. The estimated cost of attendance is approximately \$1,000 per member, which includes registration, lodging and mileage. I am open to the Board's direction if any member would like for us to register them.

C. ABSTRACT OF VOTES

Please find a copy of the Abstract of Votes from the June 11th primary attached.

D. CORRESPONDENCE

Please find various items of incoming and outgoing correspondence attached.

E. NOTICES

Attached for your reference please find a couple of notices from the Virginia Department of Environmental Quality and the Virginia Department of Health.

F. ARTICLES OF INTEREST

Please find news articles attached which may be of interest.

RFP
GENERAL ENGINEERING SERVICES

SOUTHAMPTON COUNTY, VIRGINIA

REQUEST FOR PROPOSALS

GENERAL ENGINEERING SERVICES

southampton County, Virginia will accept proposals until Thursday, July 11, 2012 at 4:30 p.m., local prevailing time, for an annual contract with one or more qualified offerors for general engineering services as may be required over a one year period including, but not limited to, environmental services, wastewater pretreatment, geologic and hydrologic studies, geotechnical evaluations, site planning, subsurface utility location and mapping, surveying, water and sewer system design, construction administration and inspection. Contract(s) may be renewed for up to four additional one year terms.

Selection process will be competitive negotiation as defined in the *Virginia Public Procurement Act*. Full copies of the Request for Proposals may be requested by contacting Mr. Michael Johnson, County Administrator, at (815) 653-3015, or by email at mikejohnson@co.southampton.state.va.us.

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VACo
ANNUAL MEETING

mikejohnson

From: Susan Wright [swright@co.southampton.state.va.us]
Sent: Friday, June 15, 2012 10:37 AM
To: Mike Johnson
Cc: Cindy Edwards
Subject: Fw: 2012 VACo Homestead Room Registration Form

----- Original Message -----

From: Carol Cameron
To: Carol Cameron
Sent: Friday, June 15, 2012 10:26 AM
Subject: FYI: 2012 VACo Homestead Room Registration Form

TO: Administrative Assistants, Executive Secretaries, Board Clerks & other contacts

Attached is the Homestead room reservation form. We're sending this to you just in case you handle this duty and would not have received it through other normal channels. If you are not involved in this process, please forgive this e-mail and delete it.

Thanks,
Carol

P. S. Have a great weekend!

Carol Cameron, Director of Member Services
Virginia Association of Counties
1207 E. Main St., Suite 300 • Richmond, VA 23219
Ph.804.343.2507 | Fax: 804.788.0083
M ccameron@vaco.org | www.vaco.org

From: Gage Harter
Sent: Friday, June 15, 2012 8:52 AM
To: Gage Harter
Subject: 2012 VACo Homestead Room Registration Form

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Dear County Members:

Linked and attached is the room reservation form for the 2012 VACo Annual Conference on Nov. 11-13 at The Homestead in Bath County. If you are new to the room reservation process,

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please take a moment to review the [VACo Lodging Policy](#) adopted by the VACo Board of Directors.

If you have questions about room reservations, contact Carol Cameron at ccameron@vaco.org or at 804-343-2507. The [list of alternative lodging options](#) is available at our [Annual Conference webpage](#).

This year's conference theme is "Waves of Change: Oceans of Opportunity"

Possible topics being considered:

- The 2012 Elections: The Results and What They mean for Local Governments
- Maintaining Civility in Board Meetings
- Budget and Finance Issues
- New Infrastructure: Cash Proffers vs. Impact Fees
- Nutrient Management/Chesapeake Bay TMDL
- The Virginia Retirement System
- Working for Local Government: Competing for Quality Employees
- The Public Servant of the Future: The Rewards of Public Service
- Going Paperless: Pros and Cons
- Website versus Mobile
- And other issues affecting counties

The conference registration form will be available in mid-August.

Important Links:

- [Click here for the Homestead room reservation form.](#)
- [Click here for a list of alternative lodging options.](#)
- [Click here for VACo lodging Policy.](#)
- [Click here for the 2012 Annual Conference web page.](#)

Gage Harter

Director of Communications

VIRGINIA ASSOCIATION OF COUNTIES

1207 East Main Street, Suite 300

Richmond, Virginia 23219

www.vaco.org | 804-343-2502



ABSTRACT OF VOTES

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Cast in SOUTHAMPTON COUNTY, VIRGINIA
 at the 2012 June Republican Primary Election held on June 12, 2012 for,
United States Senate

<i>NAMES OF CANDIDATES ON THE BALLOT</i>	<i>TOTAL VOTES RECEIVED (IN FIGURES)</i>
George F. Allen - Republican	560
Jamie L. Radtke - Republican	7
R. G. "Bob" Marshall - Republican	2
E. W. Jackson - Republican	32
E. W. Jackson - Republican	17
Total Write-In votes [From Write-Ins Certifications] [Valid Write-Ins + Invalid Write_ins = Total Write In Votes]	0
Total Number of OverVotes for Office	0

We, the undersigned Electoral Board, upon examination of the official records deposited with the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the election held on June 12, 2012, do hereby certify that the above is a true and correct Abstract of Votes cast at said election for the United States Senate.

Given under our hands this 14 day of June, 2012,
 _____, Chairman
 _____, Vice Chairman
 _____, Secretary
 _____ Secretary, Electoral Board

ABSTRACT of VOTES

Cast in SOUTHAMPTON COUNTY, VIRGINIA
 at the 2012 June Republican Primary Election held on June 12, 2012 for,

Member House of Representatives

District: 04

NAMES OF CANDIDATES ON THE BALLOT

TOTAL VOTES RECEIVED
 (IN FIGURES)

J. Randy Forbes - Republican

644

R. M. "Bonnie" Girard - Republican

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6

Total Write-In votes [From Write-Ins Certifications]
 [Valid Write-Ins + Invalid Write_ins = Total Write In Votes]

0

Total Number of OverVotes for Office

0

We, the undersigned Electoral Board, upon examination of the official records deposited with the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the election held on June 12, 2012, do hereby certify that the above is a true and correct Abstract of Votes cast at said election for the Member House of Representatives.

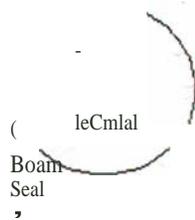
Given under our hands this 14 day of June, 2012

Maria W. Dykes, Chairman

_____, Vice Chairman

Robert A. Feltner, Secretary

Robert A. Feltner, Secretary, Electoral Board



ABSTRACT of VOTES

Cast in SOUTHAMPTON COUNTY, VIRGINIA
 at the 2012 June Democratic Primary Election held on June 12, 2012 for,

Member House of Representatives

District: 04

NAMES OF CANDIDATES ON THE BALLOT

*TOTAL VOTES RECEIVED
 (IN FIGURES)*

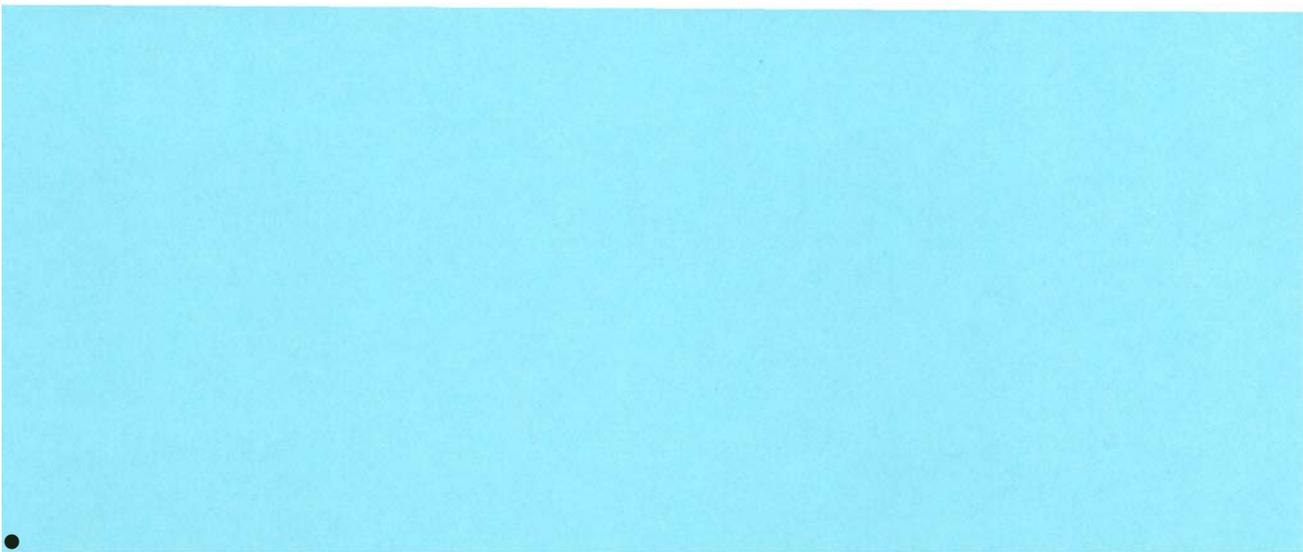
Ella P. Ward - Democrat	73	
Joe T. Elliott, Jr. - Democrat		1
		3
Total Write-In votes [From Write-Ins Certifications] [Valid Write-Ins + Invalid Write_ins = Total Write In Votes]		0
Total Number of OverVotes for Office		0

We, the undersigned Electoral Board, upon examination of the official records deposited with the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the election held on June 12, 2012, do hereby certify that the above is a true and correct Abstract of Votes cast at said election for the Member House of Representatives.

Given under our hands this 14 day of June, 2012

Marie W. Dykes, Chairman
 _____, Vice Chairman
 _____, Secretary
 _____, Secretary, Electoral Board

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CORRESPONDENCE

Courtland Community Center
 501(c) (3) #51-0438570
 25499 Florence Street,
 Post Office Box 143
 Courtland, Virginia 23837



JULIE 11,
 2012

Maxine Nowlin, President
 (757) 653-2457

James Whitfield, Vice President
 (757) 653-0323

Southampton County
 26022 Administration Center Drive
 Post Office Box 400
 Courtland Virginia 23837

Dear Sir:

The Courtland Community submits the following report:

Youth Grant Expense						
6/15/2011	Checking	debit	Dominion Va Power	utilities		-60
			South. City.Treas.			
7/1/2011	Checking	debit	Office	utilities		-55
			South. City.Treas.			
7/27/2011	Checking	debit	Office	utilities		-56
7/28/2011	Checking	debit	Pay Pal	wii game		-19.49
8/1/2011	Checking	debit	Pay Pal	game console		-269.98
8/5/2011	Checking	debit	Pay Pal	game		-84
8/8/2011	Checking	debit	Pay Pal	game		-11.99
2/4/2012	Checking	debit	hibbett	sports equipment		-20.98
2/6/2012	Checking	debit	Hibbett	sports equipment		-10.48
5/30/2012	Checking	debit	ymCA	swimming		-175
6/4/2012	Checking	debit	Domino Pizza	ymca		-96.42
6/6/2012	Checking	debit	wal-Mart Purchase	sports equipment		-139.95
				teen banquet		
						-999.29

Funds were used in accordance with grant request.

Sincerely,

 A stylized, handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Maxine D. Nowlin". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

Maxine D. Nowlin, President

**WESTERN TIDEWATER
COMMUNITY SERVICES BOARD**

Serving the cities of Franklin and Suffolk and the counties of Isle of Wight and Southampton

Executive Director
5268 Godwin Blvd.
Suffolk, VA 23434
Phone (757) 255-7136
Fax (757) 255-7142

Human Resources
Phone (757) 255-7100
Fax (757) 255-7115

Finance Office
Phone (757) 255-7118
Fax (757) 255-7139

Quality Assurance
Phone (757) 255-7125
Fax (757) 255-7138

Office of Consumer
and Family Affairs
Phone (757) 255-7124
Fax (757) 255-7142

Franklin Services
200 E. Second Avenue
Franklin, VA 23851
Phone (757) 562-2208
Fax (757) 925-2296

Smithfield Services
1801 S. Church Street
Suite 6
Smithfield, VA 23430
Phone (757) 357-7458
Fax (757) 356-1808

Suffolk Center
Northgate Building
Godwin Commerce Park
1000 Commercial Lane
Suffolk, VA 23434
Phone (757) 942-1069
Fax (757) 925-2213

Pathways
Northgate Building
Godwin Commerce Park
1000 Commercial Lane
Suffolk, VA 23434
Phone (757) 942-1099
Fax (757) 925-2210

Main St. Opportunities
22229 Main Street
Courtland, VA 23938
Phone (757) 653-0257
Fax (757) 653-0805

Tidewater House
5268 Godwin Blvd.
Suffolk, VA 23434
Phone (757) 255-7131
Fax (757) 255-7128

Independence House
31380 General Thomas Way
Franklin, VA 23851
Phone (757) 562-6318
Fax (757) 562-5394

Saratoga
135 S. Saratoga Street
Suffolk, VA 23434
Phone (757) 925-2222
Fax (757) 925-6058

June 08, 2012

Mr. Michael W. Johnson
County Administrator
Southampton County
P.O. Box 400
Courtland, Virginia 23837

Dear Mr. Johnson:

On behalf of Western Tidewater Community Services Board, I would like to thank you for the notification of Ms. Amy Lehman's appointment to the WTCSB Board of Directors.

Sincerely,



Demetrios N. Peratsakis, PD,MS, LPC
Executive Director

DP/pw



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May 26,2012

The Honorable Michael W. Johnson
Mayor
County of Southampton
Cty Admin, 26022 Administration Center Dr
Courtland, VA 23837

Dear Mayor Johnson:

Today, Charter customers are enjoying a great TV experience, expanding their communications and entertainment value with new programming choices, digital and high-definition picture quality, and even faster Internet speeds.

Charter is announcing a new suite of digital television packages available on or soon after June 26,2012, building on our commitment to provide cutting-edge technology and increased customer value. Our new television packages provide more choice and value with equipment prices to help our customers make the most of their experience with Charter TV and maximize the HD screens they already have in their home.

These new digital television packages are available for new and existing Charter customers in your community. Customers may take advantage of these new packages in order to get more value for their entertainment dollar; however there is no requirement to change their existing television subscription package. Digital TV equipment is required and is charged separately.

CHARTER TV SELECT \$59.99
Includes our current Basic Service*, Expanded Service*, Broadcast TV Surcharge, as well as Bloomberg TV, Hallmark Movie Channel and OWN, (where available*).

CHARTER TV SILVER \$79.99
Includes our current Basic Service*, Expanded Service*, Broadcast TV Surcharge, Digi Tier 1 (see below), HBO, Cinemax, and Showtime, as well as Bloomberg TV, Hallmark Movie Channel and OWN, (where available*).

CHARTER TV GOLD \$99.99
Includes Basic Service*, Expanded Service*, Broadcast TV Surcharge, Digi Tier 1 (see below), Digi Tier 2 (see below), HBO, Cinemax, Showtime, TMC, Starz, Encore and EPIX, as well as Bloomberg TV, Hallmark Movie Channel and OWN, (where available*).

EQUIPMENT & INTERACTIVE GUIDE SERVICE-available with subscription to CHARTER TV SELECT, SILVER or GOLD

- Standard Digital Receiver, HD Receiver, DVR Receiver or DVR/HD Receiver, Remote & Interactive Guide Services (monthly per outlet) \$5.00
DVR Service Fee for up to 4 Charter DVR receivers (additional \$20.00 for 5-8 DVR Receivers) \$20.00

DIGITAL TIERS-available with subscription to CHARTER TV SELECT, SILVER or GOLD

- Digi Tier 1: Includes our current Digital View Plus tier* except for the following channels (where available*): GMC, Boomerang, Halogen, Ovation, RFD and Wealth TV. \$10.00
- Digi Tier 2: Includes our current Sports View tier* and our current HD Ultra View tier* plus the following channels (where available*): GMC, Boomerang, Halogen, Ovation, RFD and Wealth TV. \$10.00
- Latino View \$5.00

DIGITAL PREMIUM NETWORKS-available with subscription to CHARTER TV SELECT, SILVER or GOLD

- HBO and additional HBO networks (SO and HD) \$15.00
- Cinemax and additional Cinemax networks (SO and HD) \$15.00
- Showtime and additional Showtime networks (SO and HD) \$15.00
- The Movie Channel (TMC) and additional TMC networks (SO and HD) \$15.00
- Starz and additional Starz networks (SO and HD) \$15.00
- Encore and additional Encore networks (SO and HD) \$15.00
- EPIX (SO and HD) \$15.00

**Channelline-ups listing current programming tiers through June 25 are available at www.charter.com.*

Customers will be notified regarding these new digital packages via messaging in their monthly Charter statement. We remain committed to providing excellent entertainment and communications services in your community and in each of the communities we serve.

Sincerely,

A stylized signature consisting of a large, bold letter 'J' followed by a series of horizontal dashes and a tilde symbol (~).

Director of Government Relations

Town of Boykins

Richard S. Edwards, Jr., Mayor
Pat Draper, Town Clerk/Treasurer
George Brozzo - Town Sergeant



P.O. Box 363
18206 Virginia Ave.
Boykins, Virginia 23827
Phone: (757) 654-6361

boykins@jownofboykinsva.com

May 21, 2012

Michael W. Johnson
County Administrator
Southampton County
P.O. Box 400
Courtland, Virginia 23837

Dear Mr. Johnson:

- I would like to terminate my lease with Southampton County on the land located on Blount Street located in the Town of Boykins.

Thank you.

Hank Snow

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads 'Hank Snow'.

SOUTHAMPTON COUNTY

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June 7, 2012

Mrs. Barbara Ellsworth
P.O. Box 99
Drewryville, VA 23844

RE: County Board of Social Services Reappointment

Dear Mrs. Ellsworth:

I am pleased to confirm your recent reappointment to the Southampton County Board of Social Services which was unanimously approved by the board of supervisors in their regular session of May 29, 2012.

Your term will expire June 30, 2016.

On behalf of the board of supervisors, please accept my gratitude for your willingness to continue serving.

With kind regards, I remain

Sincerely,

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Michael W. Johnson
County Administrator

cc: Michelle Stivers

SOUTHAMPTON COUNTY

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June 7, 2012

Mr. Carl Faison
18199 Cross Keys Road
Boykins, VA 23827

RE: County Board of Social Services Reappointment

Dear Mr. Faison:

I am pleased to confirm your recent reappointment to the Southampton County Board of Social Services which was unanimously approved by the board of supervisors in their regular session of May 29, 2012.

Your term will expire June 30, 2016.

On behalf of the board of supervisors, please accept my gratitude for your willingness to continue serving.

With kind regards, I remain

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Michael W. Johnson
County Administrator

cc: Michelle Stivers

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June 7, 2012

Mr. Moses Wyche
P.O. Box 67
Capron, VA 23829

RE: County Board of Social Services Appointment

Dear Moses:

I am pleased to confirm your most recent appointment back to the Southampton County Board of Social Services which was unanimously approved by the board of supervisors in their regular session of May 29, 2012.

Your term will expire June 30, 2016.

On behalf of the board of supervisors, please accept my gratitude for your willingness to serve again.

With kind regards, I remain

Sincerely,

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Michael W. Johnson
County Administrator

cc: Michelle Stivers

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June 6, 2012

Mr. Oliver W. Parker
32318 The Hall Road
Branchville, VA 23828

RE: Planning Commission appointment

Dear Mr. Parker:

I am pleased to confirm your recent reappointment to the Southampton County Planning Commission which was unanimously approved by the board of supervisors in their regular session of March 26, 2012.

Your term will now expire April 30, 2016.

On behalf of the board of supervisors, please accept my gratitude for your willingness to continue to serve as a Planning Commissioner.

With kind regards, I remain

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Michael W. Johnson
County Administrator

cc: Beth Lewis

SOUTHAMPTON COUNTY



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Courtland, Virginia 23837

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June 6, 2012

Mr. Douglas A. Chesson
36207 Unity Road
Zuni, VA 23898

RE: Planning Commission appointment

Dear Mr. Chesson:

I am pleased to confirm your recent reappointment to the Southampton County Planning Commission which was unanimously approved by the board of supervisors in their regular session of March 26, 2012.

Your term will now expire April 30, 2016.

On behalf of the board of supervisors, please accept my gratitude for your willingness to continue to serve as a Planning Commissioner.

With kind regards, I remain

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Michael W. Johnson'.

Michael W. Johnson
County Administrator

cc: Beth Lewis

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Courtland, Virginia 23837



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June 6, 2012

Mr. Ira H. Barham
P. O. Box 306
Capron, VA 23829

RE: Planning Commission appointment

Dear Mr. Barham:

I am pleased to confirm your recent reappointment to the Southampton County Planning Commission which was unanimously approved by the board of supervisors in their regular session of April 23, 2012.

Your term will now expire April 30, 2016.

On behalf of the board of supervisors, please accept my gratitude for your willingness to continue to serve as a Planning Commissioner.

With kind regards, I remain

Sincerely,

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Michael W. Johnson
County Administrator

cc: Beth Lewis

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Courtland, Virginia 23837



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June 6,2012

Mr. Michael G. Drake
31251 Sands Road
Newsoms, VA 23874

RE: Planning Commission appointment

Dear Mr. Drake:

I am pleased to confirm your recent reappointment to the Southampton County Planning Commission which was unanimously approved by the board of supervisors in their regular session of March 26, 2012.

Your term will now expire April 30, 2016.

On behalf of the board of supervisors, please accept my gratitude for your willingness to continue to serve as a Planning Commissioner.

With kind regards, I remain

Sincerely,

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Michael W. Johnson
County Administrator

cc: Beth Lewis

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June 6, 2012

Mr. Keith Tennessee
25423 Tennessee Road
Drewryville, VA 23844

RE: Planning Commission appointment

Dear Mr. Tennessee:

I am pleased to confirm your recent reappointment to the Southampton County Planning Commission which was unanimously approved by the board of supervisors in their regular session of April 23, 2012.

Your term will now expire April 30, 2016.

On behalf of the board of supervisors, please accept my gratitude for your willingness to continue to serve as a Planning Commissioner.

With kind regards, I remain

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Michael W. Johnson
County Administrator

cc: Beth Lewis

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June 6, 2012

Mr. Freeman J. Harrell
23102 Sedley Road
Franklin, VA 23851

RE: Planning Commission appointment

Dear Mr. Harrell:

I am pleased to confirm your recent reappointment to the Southampton County Planning Commission which was unanimously approved by the board of supervisors in their regular session of April 23, 2012.

Your term will now expire April 30, 2016.

On behalf of the board of supervisors, please accept my gratitude for your willingness to continue to serve as a Planning Commissioner.

With kind regards, I remain

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Michael W. Johnson
County Administrator

cc: Beth Lewis

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June 6, 2012

Mr. Demetrios N. Peratsakis, Executive Director
Western Tidewater Community Services Board
5268 Godwin Boulevard
Suffolk, VA 23434

Dear Mr. Peratsakis:

I am pleased to inform you that the Southampton County Board of Supervisors appointed Ms. Amy Lehman to complete Ms. Kathleen Holloway's unexpired term on the Western Tidewater Community Services Board, commencing immediately and ending December 31, 2013.

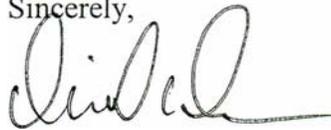
Correspondence may be directed to:

Ms. Amy Lehman
29062 Garris Mill Road
Boykins, VA 23827

Thank you in advance for providing Ms. Lehman with the appropriate instruction as a new Board member and advising her of regular meeting dates and times.

With kind regards, I remain

Sincerely,



Michael W. Johnson
County Administrator

cc: Ms. Amy Lehman

SOUTHAMPTON COUNTY

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P. O. Box 400
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June 4, 2012

Mrs. Amanda C. Jarratt, President
Franklin Southampton Economic Development, Inc.
601 N. Mechanic Street, Suite 300
Franklin, VA 23851

Dear Mrs. Jarratt:

In accordance with your organizational bylaws and your request of March 22, I am pleased to submit the following list of nominees to represent Southampton County on the FSEDI Board of Directors:

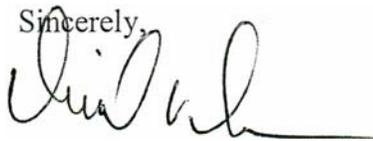
C. Harrell Turner
14045 Waller Road
Branchville, VA 23828

R. Randolph Cook
22231 Ball Park Rd.
Newsoms, VA 23874

Robert B. Rudzik
25482 Blackhead Signpost Rd.
Courtland, VA 23837

Thank you and your Board in advance for your thoughtful consideration.

With kind regards, I remain

Sincerely,


Michael W. Johnson
County Administrator

NOTICES



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RECEIVED JUN 18 2012

COMMONWEALTH of VIRGINIA

Karen Remley, MD, MBA, FAAP
State Health Commissioner

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH
OFFICE OF DRINKING WATER
Southeast Virginia Field Office

830 Southampton Avenue
Suite 2058
Norfolk, VA 23510
Phone (757) 683-2000
Fax (757) 683-2007

J.Wesley Kleene, PhD, PE
Director, Office of Drinking Water

JUN 13 2012

SUBJECT SOUTHANWTONCOUNTY
Water - Agri-Business Industrial Park
PWSTD No. - 3175007

Mr. Michael D. Smith
Deputy Director of Utilities
Southampton Public Utilities
17287 Pittmann Road
Boykins, VA 23827

Dear Mr. Smith:

The Bacteriological Sample Siting Report/Triggered Source Water Monitoring Plan for the subject waterworks, received on June 8,2012, has been reviewed by this Department.

This letter is to advise that the report satisfies the requirements of the *Waterworks Regulations* and is, therefore, approved. A copy of the Report with our approval stamp is enclosed.

The enclosed Report refers to the use of SITE ID NUMBERS to identify approved sampling locations. Please use the Site ID number, or code number, on the bacteriological form submitted with each sample. Identify repeat sample locations by changing the last digit in the number to a U for samples collected upstream of the original sample location, a D for samples collected downstream of the original sample location and an R for the repeat sample at the original sample location. For example:

Original sample	code number = 010
Repeat sample at same site	code number = OIR
Sample collected upstream	code number = 0 I U
Sample collected downstream	code number = 0 I D
Repeat sample collected elsewhere	code number = 01 E

Using these code numbers will help you (and us) keep track of the required bacteriological samples in accordance with the regulations.

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DEPARTMENT
OF HEALTH
Protecting You and Your Environment
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Mr. Michael D. Smith

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SUBJECT SOUTHWANWTONCOUNTY
Water - Agri-Business Industrial Park
PWSID No. - 3175007

If we may be of any assistance to you in implementing the Bacteriological Sample Siting Report and Triggered Source Water Monitoring Plan, please contact Ms. Renee Hall, District Engineer, extension 113.

Sincerely,

Original signed by Daniel B. Horne

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June 14, 2012

Mr. Michael W. Johnson
County Administrator
Southampton County
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Courtland, Virginia 23837

Dear Mr. Johnson:

The Department of Environmental Quality has received two applications to withdraw ground water in the Eastern Virginia Ground Water Management Area. Part V of the Virginia Ground Water Withdrawal Regulation requires that the Department of Environmental Quality send a notice of each draft permit to each local governing body located within the ground water management area where the proposed withdrawal will occur.

In accordance with this section, please find two enclosed notices (one with associated Area of Impact Maps) that will be advertised in the Tidewater Review on Wednesday June 20, 2012. Additional information on the permit applications may be obtained by contacting me.

The Department will accept comments concerning the proposed issuance of this draft permit for thirty days. All comments must be received by 4 p.m. on July 20, 2012.

Sincerely,

C. Erinn Tisdale
Ground Water Permits

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Public Notice - Environmental Permit

PURPOSE OF NOTICE: To seek public comment on a draft permit from the Department of Environmental Quality for the withdrawal of ground water in New Kent County, Virginia.

PUBLIC COMMENT PERIOD: June 20,2012 to July 20,2012

PERMIT NAME: Ground Water Withdrawal Permit issued by DEQ, under the authority of the State Water Control Board

APPLICANT NAME, ADDRESS AND PERMIT NUMBER: Aqua Virginia, Inc.; 2414 Granite Ridge Rd. Rockville, VA 23146; GW0009800

NAME AND LOCATION OF WATER WITHDRAWAL: Brookwood Manor Water System; Rt. 249 and Woodstock Dr., Quinton, VA 23141

PROJECT DESCRIPTION: Aqua Virginia, Inc. has applied for a new permit for the Brookwood Manor Water System in New Kent County, Virginia. The permit would allow the applicant to withdraw an average of 14,616 gallons per day. The ground water withdrawal will support the residential connections and one commercial connection within the Brookwood Manor service area. The proposed withdrawal will utilize the Middle Potomac aquifer at a depth between 285 feet to 470 feet below the land surface at the withdrawal site. An aquifer is a body of rock or layer of sediment in the ground in which ground water is stored and transported. DEQ has made a tentative decision to issue the permit.

AFFECTED AREA: Computer modeling predicts that the aquifer will not experience one foot of drawdown due to the withdrawal.

HOW TO COMMENT AND OR REQUEST A PUBLIC HEARING: DEQ accepts comments and requests for public hearing by e-mail, fax or postal mail. All comments and requests must be in writing and be received by DEQ during the comment period. Submittals must include the names, mailing addresses and telephone numbers of the commenter/requester and of all persons represented by the commenter/requester. A request for public hearing must also include: 1) The reason why a public hearing is requested. 2) A brief, informal statement regarding the nature and extent of the interest of the requester or of those represented by the requestor, including how and to what extent such interest would be directly and adversely affected by the permit. 3) Specific references, where possible, to terms and conditions of the permit with suggested revisions. DEQ may hold a public hearing, including another comment period, if public response is significant and there are substantial, disputed issues relevant to the proposed permit. CONTACT FOR PUBLIC COMMENTS, DOCUMENT REQUESTS AND ADDITIONAL INFORMATION: NAME: C. Erinn Tisdale of the Piedmont Regional Office, 4949-A Cox Rd, Glen Allen, VA 23060; Phone: 804-527-5068; E-mail: C.Erinn.Tisdale@deq.virginia.gov; FAX: 804-527-5106 The public may review the draft permit and application at the DEQ office named above by appointment.

Public Notice - Environmental Permit

PURPOSE OF NOTICE: To seek public comment on a draft permit from the Department of Environmental Quality for the withdrawal of ground water in King William County, Virginia.

PUBLIC COMMENT PERIOD: June 20, 2012 to July 20, 2012

PERMIT NAME: Ground Water Withdrawal Permit issued by DEQ, under the authority of the State Water Control Board

APPLICANT NAME, ADDRESS AND PERMIT NUMBER: Aqua Virginia, Inc.; 2414 Granite Ridge Rd. Rockville, VA 23146; GW0007800

NAME AND LOCATION OF WATER WITHDRAWAL: Oak Springs Water System; Intersection of Rt 606 and Oak Springs Dr. near Aylett, VA 23009

PROJECT DESCRIPTION: Aqua Virginia, Inc. has applied for a reissuance of a permit with modification for the Oak Springs Water System in King William County, Virginia. The permit would allow the applicant to withdraw an average of 71,200 gallons per day. The modification of the permit would allow limited growth within the service area. The ground water withdrawal will support the Oak Springs, Rose Garden, Rosewood, Parkwood Estates, and Parkwood South subdivisions. The proposed withdraws] will utilize the Middle Potomac aquifer at a depth between 370 feet to 650 feet below the land surface at the withdrawal site. An aquifer is a body of rock or layer of sediment in the ground in which ground water is stored and transported. DEQ has made a tentative decision to issue the permit.

AFFECTED AREA: The radial distance from the wells to where computer modeling predicts the aquifers may experience one foot of drawdown due to the withdrawal is illustrated on maps that can be viewed at <http://www.deq.virginia.gov/Programs/Water/WaterSupply/WaterQuantity/GroundwaterPermitting/PublicNotices.aspx>

HOW TO COMMENT AND OR REQUEST A PUBLIC HEARING: DEQ accepts comments and requests for public hearing by e-mail, fax or postal mail. All comments and requests must be in writing and be received by DEQ during the comment period. Submittals must include the names, mailing addresses and telephone numbers of the commenter/requester and of all persons represented by the commenter/requester. A request for public hearing must also include: 1) The reason why a public hearing is requested. 2) A brief, informal statement regarding the nature and extent of the interest of the requester or of those represented by the requestor, including how and to what extent such interest would be directly and adversely affected by the permit. 3) Specific references, where possible, to terms and conditions of the permit with suggested revisions. DEQ may hold a public hearing, including another comment period, if public response is significant and there are substantial, disputed issues relevant to the proposed permit. CONTACT FOR PUBLIC COMMENTS, DOCUMENT REQUESTS AND ADDITIONAL INFORMATION: NAME; C. Erinn Tisdale of the Piedmont Regional Office, 4949-A Cox Rd, Glen Allen, VA 23060; Phone: 804-527-5068; E-mail: C.Erinn.Tisdale@deq.virginia.gov; FAX: 804-527-5106 The public may review the draft permit and application at the DEQ office named above by appointment.

King William County - Oak Springs Water System

Area of Impact - Middle Potomac Aquifer



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USGS Topo 1:24,000
UTM Zone 18, NAD 83

Oak Springs Water System Area of Impact

-  Oak Springs Wells
-  Middle Potomac Aquifer AOI

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Technical evaluation performed by Layne Hydro, a division of Layne Christensen Company for the Virginia DEQ, Office of Surface and Ground Water Supply Planning March 30, 2012

The Area of Impact (AOI) in the Middle Potomac Aquifer is based on a 2-D analytical simulation (Theis) of an annual withdrawal of 25,988,000 gallons or 49.4 gallons per minute. The requested Oak Springs Water System withdrawal creates an one-foot of drawdown area (AOI) in the Middle Potomac Aquifer with a radius of 5.3 miles from the center of production.



King William County - Oak Springs Water System

Area of Impact - Aquia Aquifer



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USGS Topo 1:24,000
UTM Zone 18, NAn 83

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Oak Springs Water System Area of Impact

 **Oak Springs Wells**
 **Aquia Aquifer AOI**

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Ground Water Supply Planning
March 30, 2012

The Area of Impact (AOI) in the Aquia Aquifer is identical to the AOI in the Middle Potomac Aquifer, based on a 2-D analytical simulation (Theis) of an annual withdrawal of 25,988,000 gallons or 49.4 gallons per minute. The same AOI of a radius of 5.3 miles is assigned to the Aquia Aquifer because the Oak Springs Water System Well #2 has a gravel pack that extends to this Aquifer.

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NOTICE OF VIOLATION

SUBJECT: SOUTHAMPTON COUNTY
Water Agri-Business Industrial Park
PWSID No. 3175007

Mr. Michael Smith
Deputy Director of Public Utilities
Southampton County
17287 Pitmann Road
Boykins, VA 23827

Dear Mr. Smith:

This notice is to advise that the subject waterworks appears to be in violation of § 12 V AC 5-590-421 of the Commonwealth of Virginia *Waterworks Regulations* for failure to complete daily monitoring of the chlorine residual disinfectant concentration at the entry point to the distribution system at the subject waterworks. The *Regulations* requires that a waterworks providing 4-log virus inactivation treatment must verify adequate treatment through daily monitoring of the residual disinfectant concentration.

By letter dated November 30, 2009, this Office approved the subject waterworks for 4-log virus inactivation and notified you of the minimum residual chlorine concentration and associated monitoring requirements. The subject waterworks' monthly operation report for April 2012 indicates the minimal residual required to achieve 4-log virus inactivation was not monitored for on April 14, 2012.

Required Actions

Public Notice: Section § 12 V AC 5-590-540 of the *Waterworks Regulations* requires you to notify consumers that the prescribed monitoring was not performed, as follows:

- You must provide notice to consumers within one year of receipt of this letter.
- Your notice to consumers must be posted in conspicuous locations throughout the area served by your waterworks, or directly delivered to the persons served by your waterworks.
- Posted notices must be readable and be protected by glass, plastic, or other suitable covering. Posted notices must be posted for a minimum of seven days even if the violation has been resolved, and must remain in place as long as the violation persists.
- You must distribute a notice to consumers no later than 1 year from the date of this letter.

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June 5, 2012

Dear VDACS Ivor Animal Health Laboratory User:

Governor McDonnell and the Virginia General Assembly recently approved a fiscal year 2013 -2014 biennial state budget that included funding reductions for the Virginia Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services (VDACS), Office of Laboratory Services. The VDACS was instructed to offset some of this funding reduction with an increase in some laboratory fees, which will be occurring July 1st, 2012. Unfortunately, the budget also calls for 2 employee layoffs and a discontinuation of some services at the Ivor Regional Animal Health Laboratory (RAHL).

Beginning July 1st, 2012, the Ivor RAHL will no longer be offering any diagnostic bacteriology testing or any necropsy examinations of animal carcasses. These testing services will continue to be available at our other 4 RAHLs in Harrisonburg, Lynchburg, Warrenton and Wytheville, but we will no longer be able to perform this testing in Ivor. The remaining staff in Ivor will continue to provide serologic testing, dairy testing, water testing and other services as in the past.

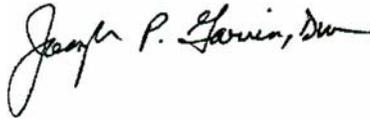
We sincerely regret having to discontinue these testing services, and will make every effort to assist you in getting you the testing that you need. For necropsy service, the closest laboratories to Ivor are in Lynchburg (434-200-9988) and **III** Warrenton (540-347-6385). If you have necropsy or bacteriology testing you would like to submit, please feel free to call either of those two locations, or our central office in Richmond, for advice on sample submission.

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Despite these changes, we look forward to continuing to provide you with accurate, timely and expert veterinary diagnostic laboratory services. **If** you have any questions or comments, please contact me at the number or email address listed below.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Joseph P. Garvin, DVM". The signature is written in a cursive style with a large initial 'J'.

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Taxing authority for schools worth a look

The Richmond school budget dustup began with the flexing of muscle and ended with the digging in of heels.

There was little to like about the outcome. The Richmond School Board - to the consternation of City Council members and Mayor Dwight C. Jones - largely shunned the recommendations of consultants and a mayoral task force in favor of furloughs, layoffs and staff reductions.

The board characterized the outsider recommendations as too unwise or unworkable to carry out on the fly before next school year. Jones accused the board of a shortsighted embrace of quick fixes over long-term solutions. Task force members spoke of waiting out a largely lame-duck board, which will lose at least five incumbents in January.

This squabble is the symptom of a larger problem - the total reliance of Virginia school boards on the generosity of friends on municipal councils or county boards of supervisors.

Virginia is one of nine states in which no school district has the authority to levy its own taxes, according to the Denver-based Education Commission of the States. The other fiscally dependent states are Alabama, Alaska, Connecticut, Hawaii, Maryland, Massachusetts, Rhode Island and Tennessee.

For years, the Virginia School Boards Association has been attempting to launch a General Assembly dialogue on this issue, but they have found the conversation to be one-sided.

"To be honest, we can't even get the study" by the Joint Legislative Audit and Review Commission, said Barbara Coyle, executive director of the association. "And for me to say that it's needed is an understatement."

Efforts to get legislative approval for a JLARC study on fiscal independence for schools date back as far as 1977. The school boards association didn't even bother to submit a bill this year.

"I just get the feedback from our lobbyist that it just doesn't go anywhere," Coyle said.

"These things almost never change," said Mike Griffith, a senior policy analyst with the Education Commission of the States. "It's difficult to move from dependent to independent, and vice versa."

All 134 Virginia school boards are fiscally dependent on their municipal or county governing body. In contrast to Virginia, 34 states have *no* fiscally dependent school districts.

When a board starts pushing for fiscal independence, there's usually a problem between it

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and the municipal or county governing body that funds the schools, he said.

Richmond, we have a problem. For three years, Jones' congenial relationship with the School Board contrasted with that of his predecessor, L. Douglas Wilder (see "School Board eviction from City Hall"). But the era of good feeling between Jones and school officials is clearly over, now that he's running for re-election and his son is seeking a seat on the School Board.

The task force and the consulting firm of former Richmond City Manager Robert C. Bobb brought lots of clout to the table, but no authority. The board, by virtue of state law, has authority but precious little juice. Richmond should be wary of a shadow school board of

heavy-hitters. And it deserves better

than an elected school board too weak and dependent to game the resources it needs. A mandate is meaningless without the means to carry it out.

"A school board deserves that ability to go to the voters themselves and make the case for a quality education program," Coyle said. We should at least let JLARC ferret out facts and figures on this issue. Legislators need to stop suppressing this study.

The mayor's muscular panel could not bend the School Board to its will. An unyielding board did not get the money it professed to need. The status quo leaves everyone powerless, at the expense of Richmond's schoolchildren. Taxing authority for our schools would leave no doubt where the buck stops.

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