

**COMMONWEALTH OF VIRGINIA
STATE BOARD OF LOCAL AND REGIONAL JAILS
POLICY & REGULATIONS COMMITTEE**

MINUTES

APPROVED MAY 20, 2026

REGULAR MEETING

March 18, 2026; 11:30 AM

LOCATION

6900 Atmore Drive, Richmond, Virginia

PRESIDING

Tiffany Jenkins, Chair

BOARD MEMBERS PRESENT

Captain Charles Carey
Michael Carrera
David Hackworth
John McLaughlin, Jr.
Ryan Moore
Dr. Sarah Scarbrough
Roland Sherrod, Jr.
Chief Joseph Tucker
Jessica Vermont

BOARD MEMBERS ABSENT

Dr. Anita Maybach

BOARD STAFF PRESENT

Tawana Ferguson, Regulatory Compliance Supervisor
Brian Flaherty, Executive Director
Mary-Huffard Kegley, Policy Analyst
Alison Lautz, Jail Death Investigator
Gerald Olson, Architect
John Rock, Jail Death Investigator
Andrew Parker, Office of the Attorney General
Demetrice Tyler-Holliday, Executive Secretary

OTHERS PRESENT

Colonel Richard Alsbrook, Southwest Virginia Regional Jail
Lieutenant Doug Altizer, Alleghany County Sheriff's Office (ACSO)
Colonel Jeff Dillman, Riverside Regional Jail
Elena Diskin, Virginia Department of Health (VDH)
Captain Amanda Fischer, ACSO

Christy Gray, VDH
Rosemary Hicks, Department of Corrections (DOC)
Major Ray Keen, ACSO
Colonel R. Michelle Lewis, Northern Neck Regional Jail
Eleazar Luna, Northern Neck Regional Jail
Sheriff Kyle Moore, ACSO
Rojenna Morgan, Head Nurse, ACSO
Jim Parks, DOC
Colonel Chris Smith, Western Tidewater Regional Jail

CALL TO ORDER

Mrs. Jenkins, Chair, called the meeting to order, welcomed attendees, and confirmed quorum present.

PUBLIC COMMENT

None

Motion by Mrs. Vermont to approve minutes of the January 7, 2026, Committee meeting, second by Mr. Carrera. Unanimous approval.

CERTIFICATION, INSPECTIONS and AUDIT REPORTS

Tawana Ferguson, Regulatory Compliance Supervisor, presented the Certification, Inspections and Audit Report to the Committee.

Motion by Mrs. Vermont, second by Mr. Carrera:

- a. **Motion**: As a result of 100% compliance with Board standards, I MOVE the following facilities be recommended to the Board for unconditional certification:
 - i. Northern Neck Regional Jail
 - ii. Page County Jail
 - iii. Western Tidewater Regional Jail

Unanimous approval.

Motion by Mrs. Vermont, second by Mr. Carrera:

- b. **Motion**: As a result of 100% compliance with Board standards, I MOVE the following facilities be recommended to the Board for suspension of the 2026 annual inspections:
 - i. Northern Neck Regional Jail
 - ii. Page County Jail

iii. Western Tidewater Regional Jail

Unanimous approval.

- c. **Motion**: As a result of 100% compliance with Board standards and in accordance with §16.1-249(G) of the Code of Virginia, I MOVE the following facility be recommended to the Board for certification to hold male and female juveniles:
- i. Northern Neck Regional Jail

REGULATORY REVIEW

6VAC15-40-10 Definition Health Care Services

6VAC15-40- Medical Associated Fees

6VAC15-40- Pregnancy and Postpartum

6VAC15-40-550-700 Food Service, Correspondence, Visitation

6VAC15-40-710-800 Jail Operations

Motion to adjourn by Mr. Hackworth, second by Mrs. Vermont. Unanimous approval.