

MINUTES

Public Policy Advocacy Group/Bill Review Committee

Date: February 8, 2007

The Omni Hotel

Richmond, Virginia

Presiding: Henry Scholz, 2007 Chair

In attendance: Barry Allbright, Deborah Baisden, Bob Barton, Bradley Boland, Billy Coons, John Dickinson, Benton Downer, Jim Duncan, Kit Hale, Donn Irby, Pat Jensen, Sharon Johnson, Bill May (conference call), Dale Myers, Denise Nebb, Tracy Pless, Henry Scholz, Lewis Sifford, Suzy Stone, Shaun Sullivan (conference call), Carolyn Thomas, Melanie Thompson, Henry Thrasher, Jack Torza, Garrett Weddle

Others attending: Pat Breme, Angela Dougherty, Andy Heatwole, Jeanette Newton, Dewey Reynolds, Christine Todd, Deana Wilson.

Others: Rob Bradham, Hampton Roads REALTORS® Association; Mary Beth Coya, Northern Virginia Association of REALTORS®; Charles Davis, Fredericksburg Area Association of REALTORS®; Susan Gaston, Virginia Peninsula and Williamsburg Area Associations of REALTORS®; Ed Krauze, Greater Washington Commercial Association of REALTORS®; Laura Lafayette, Richmond Association of REALTORS®; Lisa May, Northern Virginia Association of REALTORS®; Christine Windle, Dulles Area Association of REALTORS®

Staff: Scott Brunner, Chip Dicks, John Broadway, Martin Johnson, Blake Hegeman, Meredith Cox

1. Chairman Scholz called the meeting to order at 10:15 a.m.
2. The minutes were approved unanimously.
3. Richard Taylor delivered a Virginia Housing Development Authority (VHDA) update.
4. Chip Dicks reviewed VAR key bills and answered questions.
5. Blake Hegeman delivered a local issues update.
6. Martin Johnson delivered a 2006 Issues Mobilization update.
7. The GADs gave updates about issues in their respective areas.
8. Scott Brunner delivered a Strategic Plan update.
9. Chairman Scholz adjourned the meeting.

