

CONFERENCE AT-A-GLANCE

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All programing will be held at the Norfolk Waterside Marriott
(*unless noted)

Sunday, Oct. 11

11:00 AM - 5:00 PM	Registration Open.....Presidential Foyer
11:00 AM - 1:00 PM	Nominating Committee Meeting Elizabeth Boardroom
11:00 AM - 1:00 PM	Legislative Committee Meeting Marriott V-VII
2:00 - 5:00 PM	Opening General Session Hampton IV-V
	Remarks by City of Norfolk Councilmember Jeremy McGee, Senator Angelia Williams Graves, Delegate Jackie Hope Glass, and Public Safety Quick Takes: Speed Camera Programs, Hurricane Preparedness, License Plate Readers, VSP Innovation, and Automated Traffic Safety.
2:30 - 4:00 PM	Breakout Session: Civilian Response to Active Shooter Events (CRASE)..... Hampton VI-VIII
5:30 - 6:30 PM	Welcome Reception Norfolk Foyer
6:30 - 8:00 PM	Awards Banquet Norfolk I-IV
8:00 - 10:00 PM	Music & Karaoke Norfolk V-VI

Monday, Oct. 12

6:00 AM	Guided Run Meet in Lobby
7:30 - 8:30 AM	Breakfast Marriott I-IV
8:30 - 10:00 AM	Energy Trends in the Commonwealth Hampton IV-V
	Featuring:
	• Phil Hernandez, Member of the Virginia House of Delegates
	• Kevin Kramer, President of the National League of Cities
	• Josephus Allmond, Chief Energy Officer for the Commonwealth of Virginia
8:30 - 10:00 AM	Housing Trends in the Commonwealth Hampton VI-VIII
	Featuring:
	• Dan Helmer, Member of the Virginia House of Delegates
	• Dr. Tamarah Holmes, Director of DHCD
	• Kevin Kramer, President of the National League of Cities
	• Chris Thompson, Director of Strategic Housing for Virginia Housing
	• Brian Koziol, Executive Director of the Virginia Housing Alliance
	• Andreas Addison, Founder of Civic Innovator
10:10 - 11:00 AM	Breakout Sessions 1
	• Setting the Terms: Local Government Manager Employment Agreements James I-III
	• Financing Localities Amid State/Federal Changes ... Marriott V-VII
	• Using Artificial Intelligence Responsibly/CreativelyHampton I-III
	• Beyond Enforcement: A Coordinated Response to Homelessness Hampton VI-VIII
11:10 AM - 12:00 PM	Breakout Sessions 2
	• Building Resilience by Identifying Nature Based Solutions Chesapeake I-II
	• Economic Development Marriott V-VII
	• Review of the VRLTA Meals & Lodging Tax Study Hampton I-III
	• Data Centers Hampton VI-VIII

Monday, Oct. 12

12:00 - 1:00 PM	Lunch Marriott I-IV
1:00 - 3:00 PM	Ticketed Guest/Spouse Candle Making Workshop with Beverages/Snacks FSY
1:00 - 1:50 PM	Breakout Sessions 3
	• Weather Services for Local Governments James I-III
	• The Municipal Two-Step: Council & Clerk in Partnership Chesapeake I-II
	• Impacts of Veterans' Property Tax Exemptions Marriott V-VII
	• Solar, Storage & Servers: Planning for Complex Local Decisions Hampton I-III
	• Autonomous Cars Hampton VI-VIII
2:00 - 2:50 PM	Breakout Sessions 4
	• The Mandate is Set: Getting Your Locality Ready for Virginia Paid Family & Medical Leave (PFML) James I-III
	• Road Maintenance & Construction Considerations for Localities Chesapeake I-II
	• Virginia's All-America Cities & Exercising Civic Muscle Marriott V-VII
	• Leading Safer Cities: Scaling Drones for Emergency Response Hampton I-III
	• Empowered & Effective Community Solutions Utilizing Opioid Settlement Funds in Virginia's Municipalities Hampton VI-VIII
3:00 - 5:00 PM	Annual Business Meeting Hampton IV-V
6:00 - 8:00 PM	City of Norfolk Reception Selden Market/The Slover Library

Tuesday, Oct. 13

6:00 AM	Yoga Norfolk II
7:30 - 8:30 AM	Breakfast with Vendor Raffles Marriott I-IV
8:30 - 11:30 AM	Closing General Session Hampton IV-V
	• Remarks by Senator Tim Kaine
	• Be Prepared: Public Employee Collective Bargaining
	• Remarks by Governor Abigail Spanberger
	• What You Need to Know: Retail Cannabis Coming to the Commonwealth

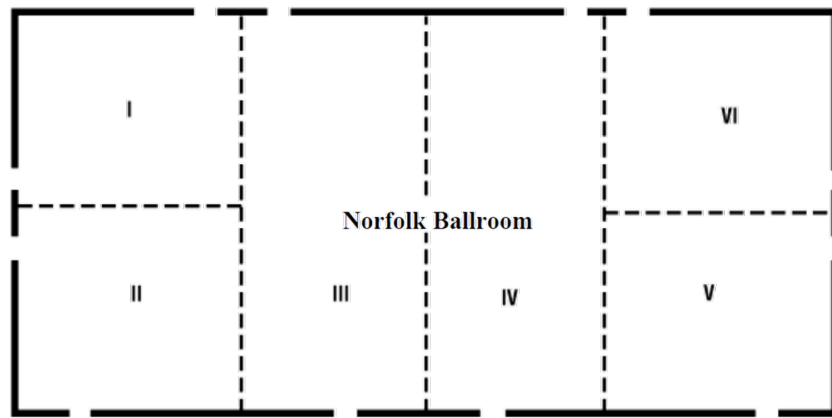
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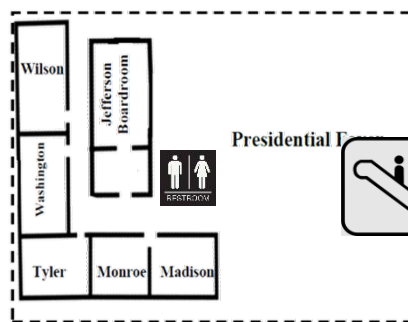
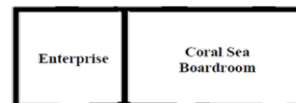


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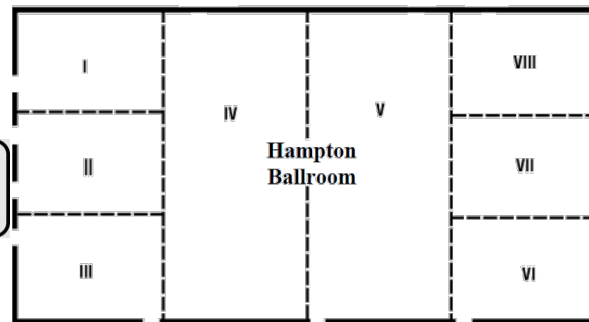


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Presidential Foyer

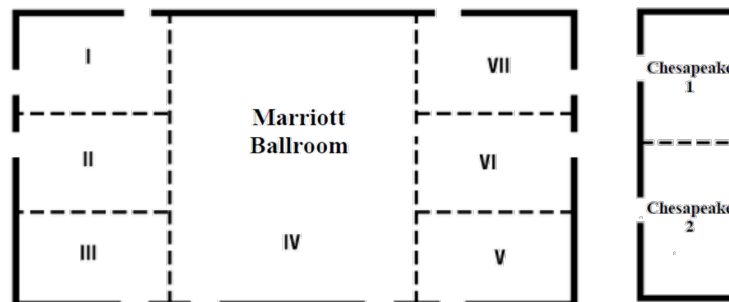


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