



## SUPPORT

### Finance

Budget amendments to restore funding needed to hold school divisions harmless for K-12.

[Item 125 #11h](#) (McNamara) and [Item 125 #7s](#) (Boysko)

Remove salary caps for city council members.

[HB456](#) (Callsen)

Expand use of Community Revitalization Fund to all localities.

[SB 49](#) (Locke) / [HB 478](#) (Coyner)

### Cannabis

VML supports local taxation authority, referendum authority, and inclusion of local zoning language in these bills.

[SB 448](#) (Rouse) / [HB 698](#) (Krizek)

### COIA, FOIA, and Public Administration

Budget amendment to facilitate Conflict of Interest Act (COIA) training.

HB 30: [Item 15#1h](#) (Hodges)

Electronic meetings:

- [HB 894](#) (Bennett-Parker) / [SB 734](#) (
- [SB 244](#) (McPike)
- [SB 85](#) (Favola) / [HB 1040](#) (Bennett Parker)

Standardization of public notice requirements.

[HB 1488](#) (Henson) / [HB 443](#) (Williams) / [SB 413](#) (Head)

### Courts and Public Safety

Budget amendments to increase the state per diem for “local-responsible” inmates in local and regional jails.

HB 30/SB 30: [Item 61#2h](#) (Krizek) ; [Item 61#1s](#) (Peake)

State assistance to local law enforcement (HB 599 program).

[Item 396#2h](#) (McQuinn) and [Item 396 #1s](#) (Locke)

Move cost of civil cases from locality to parties.

[HB 1521](#) (Higgins)

## Education

Budget amendments to improve education in the Commonwealth:

- [Item 125 #17h](#) (Carr) and [Item 125 #9s](#) (Deeds)
- [Item 125 #14h](#) (Reid), [Item 125 #43h](#) (Simonds), [Item 125 #12s](#) (Carroll-Foy), and [Item 125 #30s](#) (Favola)
- [Item 125 #32s](#) (Deeds)

One-percent local option sales tax for school construction legislation.

[HB 600](#) (Kilgore), [HB 805](#) (Rasoul), and [SB 14](#) (McPike)

JLARC education study recommendation bills:

- [SB 609](#) (Aird) and [HB 825](#) (Cousins)
- [SB 228](#) (Hashmi)
- [SB 128](#) (VanValkenburg)
- [HB 359](#) (Simonds)
- [SB 227](#) (Hashmi) and [HB 624](#) (Rasoul)

## Elections

Budget amendments to assist with early voting costs.

[Item 486 #1h](#) (Carr), and [Item 77 #1s](#) (Deeds)

## Housing

Allow localities to require registration of vacant buildings if certain criteria are met.

[SB 48](#) (Locke) / [HB 1486](#) (Thomas)

## Natural Resources

Budget amendments for the Water Quality Improvement Fund:

- [Item 365 #5s](#) (Marsden)
- [Item C-53.50 #1s](#) (Marsden)
- [Item C-53.50 #1h](#) (Bulova)

Budget amendments for the Stormwater Local Assistance Fund:

- [Item 365 #6s](#) (Marsden)
- [Item 365 #2h](#) (Bulova)
- [Item 365 #7s](#) (Marsden)

Budget amendments for the Washington Metropolitan Area Transit Authority:

- [Item 433 #1s](#) (Marsden)
- [Item 433 #1h](#) (Sickles)
- [Item 433 #2h](#) (Krizek)

## Human Services

Budget amendments to create a training academy model for family services program staff.

HB30/SB30: [Item 324#1h](#) (Coyner); [Item 324#2s](#) (Favola)



Budget amendments: Increase the state per diem for “local-responsible” inmates in local and regional jails.

**HB 30/SB 30:** [Item 61#2h](#) (Krizek) ; [Item 61#1s](#) (Peake)

Budget amendments: Medicaid coverage of behavioral health/SUD treatment for incarcerated individuals in local/regional jails.

**HB 30/SB 30:** [Item 288#55h](#) (Coyner) ; [Item 288#5s](#) (Favola)

Budget amendments: Substance use disorder treatment in local/regional jails:

- **HB30:** [Item 60 #12h](#) (Coyner) / [Item 394 #20h](#) (Coyner)
- **SB 30:** [Item 60 #13s](#) (Favola) / [Item 394 #8s](#) (Favola)

Budget amendments: Clarify use of funds to reimburse local social services agencies for administrative costs:

- **HB 29/SB 29:** [Item 340#1h](#) (Sullivan); [Item 340#1s](#) (Deeds)
- **HB 30/SB 30:** [Item 324#8h](#) (Sullivan); [Item 324#3s](#) (Deeds)

Bill to compensate jails for actual cost of incarceration.

[SB 41](#) (Peake)

Replace VaCMS eligibility and enrollment case management software.

**HB30/SB30:** [Item 334#2h](#) (Carr); [Item 334#1s](#) (Aird)

Expand child welfare workforce development/retention stipend program.

**HB30/SB30:** [Item 329#2h](#) (Coyner); [Item 329#3s](#) (Favola)

Workgroup to study Early Intervention Program for Infants and Toddlers with Disabilities.

[HB 177](#) (Gardner)

## **Transportation**

Budget amendments for Washington Metropolitan Area Transit Authority

[Item 433 #1s](#) (Marsden), [Item 433 #1h](#) (Sickles), and [Item 433 #2h](#) (Krizek)

Photo speed monitoring devices bills

- [SB 336](#) (Roem)
- [HB521](#) (Laufer)

Expand local authority to reduce speed limits.

[HB 1071](#) (Carr)

## OPPOSE

### Finance

Legislation would eliminate local portion of the grocery tax

[HB 540](#) (McNamara) / [SB 110](#) (Suetterlein)

Bill would cease local collection of Transient Occupancy Taxes for accommodation intermediaries

[HB 1328](#) (McNamara)

### Housing and Land Use

Bill mandating localities to approve utility-scale solar and battery storage facilities

[SB 697](#) (Van Valkenburg)

Bills giving local land use authority to SCC for the siting of utility-scale solar, wind and energy storage projects

[HB 636](#) (Sullivan) / [SB 597](#) (Deeds)

Bills to make accessory dwelling units (ADU) a by-right use

[SB304](#) (Salim) / [HB900](#) (Srinivasan)

Bills to make short-term rentals a by-right use

- [SB 544](#) (Bagby)
- [HB 1461](#) (Mundon King)

### Courts and Public Safety

Erosion of sovereign immunity for local government owned vehicle accidents

[HB 704](#) (Webert)

### Elections

Fast-track removal of elected officials

[HB 1149](#) (Cordoza)