

Virginia Building & Code Officials Association

2025 Annual School and Conference Williamsburg Lodge, Williamsburg VA September 7-9, 2025

Sunday, September 7, 2025

8:00 - 10:00 a.m. **VBCOA Board Nominations Interviews** – Alleghany C

10:00 - 12:00 p.m. **VBCOA Region Chairs** – Tidewater

12:00 p.m. VBCOA Board of Directors Lunch* – Alleghany AB

(*Board members only)

1:00 - 4:00 p.m. VBCOA Board Meeting (3 CEU)** – Tidewater

(** the Board meeting is open to all registered attendees and VBCOA Members)

4:30 pm **Exhibitor Set up** – Virginia Foyer

Monday, September 8, 2025

7:30 a.m. **Registration** – Virginia Foyer

7:30 a.m. **Breakfast** – Virginia F

8:00 a.m. – noon General Session – (4 CEU) – Virginia DE

Annual Business Meeting and Elections

Welcome to Williamsburg VBCOA Committee Reports Presentation of Awards Election of Officers

10:30 a.m. Transforming Customer Service through Technology and Data

Lessons in Success: City of Norfolk Kathy Finholm and Sherry Johnson; Clariti Software Ron Vukovich

12:00 p.m. Lunch – Virginia F

1:00 - 4:00 p.m. Concurrent Workshops

Breakout 1 – Virginia DE

1:00 - 2:30 p.m.

Latest Innovations and AI for Building Permits (1.5 CEU)

Kalib Drake, Salesforce/Vivid Gov Tech

2:30 - 4:00 p.m.

Exam Prep Jeopardy (1.5 CEU)

Maryia Lackansingh, Code Specialist III/WICED Past President

Breakout 2 - Virginia AB (1:00- 4:00 pm) (3.0 CEU)

High Piled Storage

John Swanson, Codes and Standards Specialist, National Fire Sprinkler Association

Breakout 3 - Piedmont AB (1:00 - 4:00 p.m.) (3.0 CEU)

A2L Refrigerants in the 2021 Code

Chris Mobley, Lead Regulatory Engineer, UL Solutions

5:00 p.m. **Outgoing President's Reception** – Virginia Lawn

6:00 p.m. **Annual Banquet** – Virginia F

7:30 p.m. Dessert and Entertainment – Music by Colonial DJ's

Tuesday, September 9, 2025

7:00 a.m. **Breakfast** – Virginia Foyer

8:00 a.m. - noon General Session - Virginia DE (4.0 CEU)

ICC Past Presidents- Leading Through Time: Lessons from the Past, Guiding the Future

Cindy Davis, William Dupler, Steve Shapiro, Guy Tomberlin

Roberts Rules of Order

Ron Piester, Membership, Strategic Engagement, International Code Council

NFPA 13 and NFPA 72: Answering Frequently Asked Questions

John Swanson, Codes and Standards Specialist, National Fire Sprinkler Association

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2026 Mid-Year Conference: Hotel 24 South, Staunton, Virginia March 22-23, 2026