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## STATE OFFICIALS

Governor.....	Ralph S. Northam
Lieutenant Governor and President of the Senate.....	Justin E. Fairfax
Attorney General.....	Mark R. Herring

### Governor's Cabinet

Chief of Staff.....	Clark Mercer
Deputy Chief of Staff.....	Suzette Denslow
Administration, Secretary of.....	Keyanna Conner
Agriculture and Forestry, Secretary of.....	Bettina Ring
Commerce and Trade, Secretary of.....	Brian Ball
Commonwealth, Secretary of.....	Kelly Thomasson
Education, Secretary of.....	Atif Qarni
Finance, Secretary of.....	Aubrey Layne
Health and Human Resources, Secretary of.....	Daniel Carey, M.D.
Natural Resources, Secretary of.....	Matthew Strickler
Public Safety and Homeland Security, Secretary of.....	Brian J. Moran
Transportation, Secretary of.....	Shannon Valentine
Veterans and Defense Affairs, Secretary of.....	Carlos Hopkins
Counsel to the Governor.....	Rita Davis
Chief Workforce Advisor to the Governor.....	Megan Healy

**ELECTED OFFICERS**

President pro tempore.....	Stephen D. Newman
Clerk of the Senate .....	Susan Clarke Schaar
Majority Leader.....	Thomas K. Norment, Jr.
Minority Leader.....	Richard L. Saslaw
Republican Caucus, Chair .....	Ryan T. McDougale
Democratic Caucus, Chair.....	Mamie E. Locke



**CLERK OF THE SENATE**

**SUSAN CLARKE SCHAAR**

Richmond, Virginia

**Elected Clerk January 1990—.**

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Barbara Carter	Legislative Information Officer	698-7410
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Linda Wettstone	Senior Systems Analyst	698-7470
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April Kees	Interim Co-Director
Jason Powell	Interim Co-Director
Sarah Herzog	Interim Deputy Director
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Caitlin Kilpatrick	Legislative Analyst
Adam Rosatelli	Legislative Analyst
Mike Tweedy	Legislative Analyst
Melissa Mayes	Office Manager

## SPEAKERS OF THE SENATE 1776-1851

Archibald Cary, 1776-1787, Chesterfield  
 Nathaniel Harrison, 1779, 1781-1782, Prince George  
 John Jones, 1787-1788, Brunswick  
 John Pride, Jr., 1789-1793, Amelia  
 Paul Carrington, Jr., 1794, Charlotte  
 John James Maund, 1794-1795, Westmoreland  
 Ludwell Lee, 1796-1799, Prince William  
 Archibald Stuart, 1799-1800, Augusta  
 Richard Kennon, 1800-1802, Mecklenburg  
 Francis Taliaferro Brooke, 1802-1804, Spotsylvania  
 Creed Taylor, 1804-1805, Cumberland  
 Robert Taylor, 1805-1815, Orange  
 William Green Poindexter, 1815-1816, Louisa  
 Edward Watts, 1816-1821, Campbell  
 William Coker Holt, 1821-1832, Norfolk  
 George Coke Dromgoole, 1832-1835, Brunswick  
 Stafford Henry Parker, 1835-1839, Caroline  
 John White Nash, 1839-1842, Powhatan  
 Charles Hunton, 1842-1843, Fauquier  
 Edward Pegram Scott, 1843-1849, Greenville  
 John Webb Tyler, 1849-1850, Prince William  
 William Henry Dennis, 1850-1851, Charlotte

## PRESIDENTS OF THE SENATE 1852-

Shelton Farrar Leake, 1852-1856, Albemarle  
 Elisha W. McComas, 1856-1857, Cabell (W. Va.)  
 William L. Jackson, 1857-1858, Wood (W. Va.)  
 Robert Latane Montague, 1860-1863, Middlesex  
 Daniel Polesley, 1861-1863, Mason (W. Va.)  
 Leopold Copeland Parker Cowper, 1863-1865, Norfolk County  
 Samuel Price, 1864-1865, Greenbrier (W. Va.)  
 Leopold Copeland Parker Cowper, 1865-1867, Norfolk County  
 John Francis Lewis, 1869-1870, Rockingham  
 John Lawrence Marye, Jr., 1870-1873, Spotsylvania  
 Robert Enoch Withers, 1874-1875, Campbell



Henry Wirtz Thomas, 1875-1878, Fairfax  
 James Alexander Walker, 1878-1882, Pulaski  
 John Francis Lewis, 1882-1886, Rockingham  
 John Edward Massey, 1886-1890, Albemarle  
 James Hoge Tyler, 1890-1894, Pulaski  
 Robert Craig Kent, 1894-1898, Wythe  
 Edward Echols, 1898-1902, Staunton  
 Joseph Edward Willard, 1902-1906, Fairfax  
 James Taylor Ellyson, 1906-1918, Richmond City  
 Benjamin Franklin Buchanan, 1918-1922, Smyth  
 Junius Edgar West, 1922-1930, Suffolk  
 James Hubert Price, 1930-1938, Richmond City  
 Saxon Winston Holt, 1938-1940, Newport News  
 William Munford Tuck, 1942-1946, Halifax  
 Lewis Preston Collins, II, 1946-1952, Smyth  
 Allie Edward Stakes Stephens, 1952-1962, Isle of Wight  
 Mills Edwin Godwin, Jr., 1962-1966, Nansemond  
 Fred Gresham Pollard, 1966-1970, Richmond City  
 Julian Sargeant Reynolds, 1970-1971, Richmond City  
 Henry Evans Howell, Jr., 1971-1974, Norfolk  
 John Nichols Dalton, 1974-1978, Radford  
 Charles Spittal Robb, 1978-1982, Fairfax County  
 Richard Joseph Davis, 1982-1986, Portsmouth  
 Lawrence Douglas Wilder, 1986-1990, Richmond City  
 Donald Sternoff Beyer, Jr., 1990-1998, Fairfax County  
 John Henry Hager, 1998-2002, Richmond City  
 Timothy Michael Kaine, 2002-2006, Richmond City  
 William Troy Bolling, 2006-2014, Hanover  
 Ralph Shearer Northam, 2014-2018, Norfolk  
 Justin Edward Fairfax, 2018-, Fairfax County

### **PRESIDENTS PRO TEMPORE OF THE SENATE 1852-**

George E. Deneale, 1852-1857, Rockingham  
 William Marshall Ambler, 1858, Louisa  
 Thomas Montague Isbell, 1860, Jefferson (W.Va.)  
 James Foote Johnson, 1861-1865, Bedford  
 Joseph Addison Waddell, 1870-1871, Augusta  
 Henry Wirtz Thomas, 1871-1875, Fairfax

William DeJarnette Quesenberry, 1875-1879, Caroline  
 Wyatt Moseley Elliott, 1879-1882, Appomattox  
 Henry Clinton Wood, 1882, Dickenson  
 John Lynn Hurt, 1883-1894, Pittsylvania  
 William Lovenstein, 1895-1896, Richmond City  
 Henry Taylor Wickham, 1897-1908, Hanover  
 Edward Echols, 1908-1914, Staunton  
 Cyrus Harding Walker, 1915-1919, Northumberland  
 Saxon Winston Holt, 1920-1937, Newport News  
 Henry Taylor Wickham, 1938-1943, Hanover  
 Robert Opie Norris, Jr., 1944-1950, Lancaster  
 Morton Graham Goode, 1950, Dinwiddie  
 Robert Carrington Vaden, 1952, Pittsylvania  
 Walter Cleveland Caudill, 1954-1955, Giles  
 Charles Thomas Moses, 1956-1964, Appomattox  
 James Davis Hagood, 1964-1971, Halifax  
 Edward Eugene Willey, 1972-1986, Richmond City  
 William Francis Parkerson, Jr., 1986-1988, Henrico  
 Stanley Clay Walker, 1988-2000, Norfolk  
 John Hansford Chichester, 2000-2008, Stafford  
 Charles Joseph Colgan, 2008-2012, Prince William  
 Walter Allen Stosch, 2012-2014, Henrico  
 Charles Joseph Colgan, 2014, Prince William  
 Walter Allen Stosch, 2014-2016, Henrico  
 Stephen Dwayne Newman, 2016-, Bedford

### MAJORITY LEADERS OF THE SENATE 1972-

William Benjamin Hopkins, (D), Roanoke City, 1972-1976  
 Adelard Lionel Brault, (D), Fairfax County, 1976-1980  
 Hunter Booker Andrews, (D), Hampton, 1980-1996  
 Walter Allen Stosch, (R), Henrico, 1998-2008  
 Richard Lawrence Saslaw, (D), Fairfax County, 2008-2012  
 Thomas Kent Norment, Jr., (R), James City, 2012-2014  
 Richard Lawrence Saslaw, (D), Fairfax County, 2014  
 Thomas Kent Norment, Jr., (R), James City, 2014-

## **MINORITY LEADERS OF THE SENATE 1976-**

William Andonia Truban, (R), Shenandoah, 1976-1992  
 Joseph Benedict Benedetti, (R), Richmond City, 1992-1996  
 Richard Lawrence Saslaw, (D), Fairfax County, 1998-2008  
 Thomas Kent Norment, Jr., (R), James City, 2008-2012  
 Richard Lawrence Saslaw, (D), Fairfax County, 2012-2014  
 Thomas Kent Norment, Jr., (R), James City, 2014  
 Richard Lawrence Saslaw, (D), Fairfax County, 2014-

## **DEMOCRATIC/REPUBLICAN LEADERS OF THE SENATE 1996-**

Richard Lawrence Saslaw, (D), Fairfax County, 1996-1998  
 Joseph Benedict Benedetti, (R), Richmond City, 1996-1998  
 Walter Allen Stosch, (R), Henrico, 1998

## **CLERKS OF THE COLONIAL COUNCIL OF STATE 1619-1775**

John Twine, 1619, Residence not known  
 Edward Sharpless, 1624, James City  
 John Southerne, 1625, Charles City  
 Robert Barrington, 1628, James City  
 Thomas Cooke, 1635-1637, James City  
 Richard Lee, 1640-1641, York  
 John Meade, 1642, James City  
 Samuel Abbot, 1643-1647, James City  
 George Reade, 1648, James City  
 Robert Huberd, 1649-1654, York  
 Thomas Brereton, 1654-1661, New Kent  
 Francis Kirkman, 1662-1666, James City  
 Richard Awborne, 1668-1671, James City  
 Thomas Waidson, 1672, Residence not known  
 Henry Hartwell, 1672-1681, James City  
 Edward Chilton, 1682-1686, James City  
 William Edwards, 1687-1693, James City

James Sherlock, 1693-1696, Richmond County  
 Robert Beverley, 1696, James City  
 James Sherlock, 1697-1698, Richmond County  
 Francis Clements, 1698, Surry  
 Benjamin Harrison, 1698-1699, Charles City  
 Dionysius Wright, 1700-1701, James City  
 William Robertson, 1702-1727, Williamsburg  
 Sir John Randolph, 1727, Williamsburg  
 William Robertson, 1727-1738, Williamsburg  
 Benjamin Needler, 1739-1741, King and Queen  
 John Blair, 1741, Williamsburg  
 Richard Francis, 1741-1742, York  
 Robert Staunton, 1742-1743, Williamsburg  
 Nathaniel Walthoe, 1743-1770, Williamsburg  
 John Blair, Jr., 1770-1775, Williamsburg

### **CLERKS OF THE SENATE 1776-**

John Pendleton, Jr., 1776-1777, Caroline  
 John James Beckley, 1777-1779, Richmond City  
 William Drew, 1779-1785, Berkeley (W. Va.)  
 Humphrey Brooke, 1785-1802, Fauquier  
 Theodosius Hansford, 1802-1824, King George  
 Addison Hansford, 1824-1849, King George  
 Joel Pennybacker, 1849-1851, Shenandoah  
 Henry St. George Tucker, Jr., 1852, Albemarle  
 Shelton C. Davis, 1852-1879, Richmond City  
 Charles Henry Causey, 1879-1883, Nansemond  
 James Dudley Pendleton, 1883-1895, Orange  
 Joseph Button, 1895-1906, Appomattox  
 Marshall Burnskill Booker, 1908-1912, Halifax  
 Orion Victor Hanger, 1912-1940, Amherst  
 John Richard Jeter, Jr., 1940, Richmond City  
 Everett Randolph Combs, 1940-1957, Russell  
 Benjamin Dickerson Lacy, 1957-1971, Halifax  
 Mary Louise O'Connor Lucas, 1971-1976, Richmond City  
 Jonah Thomas Shropshire, 1976-1990, Martinsville  
 Susan Wray Clarke Schaar, 1990-, Brunswick

## SENATE STANDING COMMITTEES

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### **AGRICULTURE, CONSERVATION AND NATURAL RESOURCES**

Stuart, Chair; Hanger; Ruff; Obenshain; Petersen; Marsden; Stanley; Black; Ebbin; Lewis; Chafin; Dance; Suetterlein; Mason; and McClellan

Meets: In Senate Room A, Pocahontas Building, Thursday 1/2 hour after adjournment

### **COMMERCE AND LABOR**

Wagner, Chair; Saslaw; Norment; Newman; Obenshain; Stuart; Stanley; Cosgrove; Chafin; Dance; Lucas; McDougle; Black; Sturtevant; and Spruill

Meets: In Senate Room A, Pocahontas Building, Monday 15 minutes after adjournment

### **COURTS OF JUSTICE**

Obenshain, Chair; Saslaw; Norment; Howell; Lucas; Edwards; McDougle; Stuart; Stanley; Reeves; Chafin; Deeds; Sturtevant; Petersen; and Peake

Meets: In Senate Room A, Pocahontas Building, Monday at 8:00 A.M. and Wednesday 15 minutes after adjournment

### **EDUCATION AND HEALTH**

Newman, Chair; Saslaw; Lucas; Howell; Locke; Barker; Black; Carrico; Petersen; Cosgrove; Lewis; Dunnavant; Chase; Suetterlein; and Peake

Meets: In Senate Room A, Pocahontas Building, Thursday at 8:30 A.M.

**FINANCE**

Norment, Co-Chair; Hanger, Co-Chair; Howell; Saslaw; Lucas; Newman; Ruff; Wagner; McDougle; Vogel; Carrico; Obenshain; Barker; Dunnivant; Stuart; and Dance

Meets: In Committee Room B, Pocahontas Building, Tuesday at 9:00 A.M., Wednesday at 9:00 A.M., and Thursday at 4:30 P.M., Upon Call of the Chair

**GENERAL LAWS AND TECHNOLOGY**

Ruff, Chair; Locke; Barker; Vogel; Black; Ebbin; Reeves; Wexton; Surovell; DeSteph; McPike; Suetterlein; Dunnivant; Sturtevant; and Mason

Meets: In Senate Room 3, The Capitol, Monday 45 minutes after adjournment

**LOCAL GOVERNMENT**

Stanley, Chair; Hanger; Marsden; Favola; Lewis; Surovell; DeSteph; Dunnivant; Chase; Sturtevant; McPike; Carrico; and McClellan

Meets: In Senate Room A, Pocahontas Building, Tuesday 1/2 hour after adjournment

**PRIVILEGES AND ELECTIONS**

Vogel, Chair; Howell; Deeds; Edwards; Reeves; Ebbin; Chafin; DeSteph; Chase; Ruff; Cosgrove; Dance; Spruill; and Peake

Meets: In Senate Room 3, The Capitol, Tuesday 15 minutes after adjournment

## **REHABILITATION AND SOCIAL SERVICES**

Reeves, Chair; Hanger; Wagner; Locke; McDougle; Black; Favola; Wexton; Chafin; Cosgrove; Surovell; DeSteph; McPike; Spruill; and Mason

Meets: In Senate Room A, Pocahontas Building, Friday at 8:30 A.M.

## **TRANSPORTATION**

Carrico, Chair; Newman; Deeds; Marsden; Favola; Cosgrove; Edwards; Wexton; DeSteph; Chase; Suetterlein; McClellan; and Peake

Meets: In Senate Room 3, The Capitol, Wednesday 15 minutes after adjournment

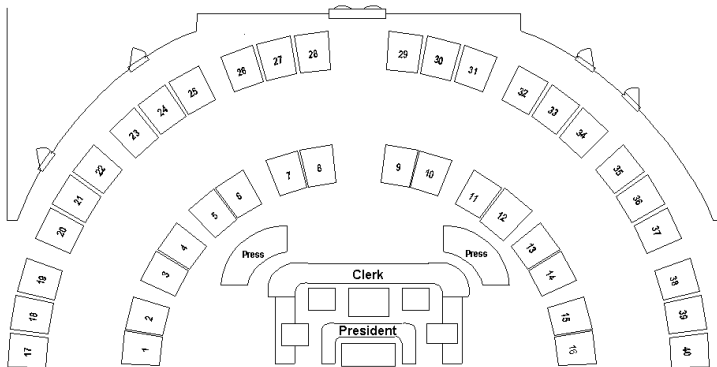
## **RULES**

McDougle, Chair; Norment; Hanger; Newman; Ruff; Wagner; Obenshain; Vogel; Stuart; Stanley; Carrico; Reeves; Saslaw; Locke; and Howell

Meets: In Senate Room 3, The Capitol, Upon Call of the Chair



## Senate Chamber Seating Chart





## LIST OF SENATORS SHOWING NUMBER OF SEAT

*Lieutenant Governor, President, Justin E. Fairfax*  
*President pro tempore, Stephen D. Newman*  
*Clerk, Susan Clarke Schaar*

Barker, George L. (D) .....	24
Black, Richard H. (R) .....	33
Carrico, Charles W., Sr. (R) .....	37
Chafin, A. Benton, Jr. (R) .....	12
Chase, Amanda F. (R) .....	15
Cosgrove, John A., Jr. (R) .....	11
Dance, Rosalyn R. (D) .....	19
Deeds, R. Creigh (D) .....	26
DeSteph, William R., Jr. (R) .....	13
Dunnavant, Siobhan S. (R) .....	14
Ebbin, Adam P. (D) .....	22
Edwards, John S. (D) .....	27
Favola, Barbara A. (D) .....	4
Hanger, Emmett W., Jr. (R) .....	28
Howell, Janet D. (D) .....	7
Lewis, Lynwood W., Jr. (D) .....	21
Locke, Mamie E. (D) .....	5
Lucas, L. Louise (D) .....	6
Marsden, David W. (D) .....	23
Mason, T. Montgomery (D) .....	2
McClellan, Jennifer L. (D) .....	1
McDougle, Ryan T. (R) .....	35
McPike, Jeremy S. (D) .....	18
Newman, Stephen D. (R) .....	30

Norment, Thomas K., Jr. (R) .....	29
Obenshain, Mark D. (R) .....	32
Peake, Mark J. (R) .....	40
Petersen, J. Chapman (D) .....	25
Reeves, Bryce E. (R) .....	38
Ruff, Frank M., Jr. (R) .....	31
Saslaw, Richard L. (D) .....	8
Spruill, Lionell, Sr. (D) .....	17
Stanley, William M., Jr. (R) .....	36
Stuart, Richard H. (R) .....	10
Sturtevant, Glen H., Jr. (R) .....	39
Suetterlein, David R. (R) .....	16
Surovell, Scott A. (D) .....	3
Vogel, Jill Holtzman (R) .....	34
Wagner, Frank W. (R) .....	9
Wexton, Jennifer T. (D) .....	20

## SENATORS

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**Pocahontas Building  
900 East Main Street  
Richmond, Virginia 23219**

Room Number	Name	Telephone
E619	Barker, George L. (D)	698-7539
E518	Black, Richard H. (R)	698-7513
E519	Carrico, Charles W., Sr. (R)	698-7540
E514	Chafin, A. Benton, Jr. (R)	698-7538
E523	Chase, Amanda F. (R)	698-7511
E607	Cosgrove, John A., Jr. (R)	698-7514
E615	Dance, Rosalyn R. (D)	698-7516
E503	Deeds, R. Creigh (D)	698-7525
E614	DeSteph, William R., Jr. (R)	698-7508
E613	Dunnavant, Siobhan S. (R)	698-7512
E520	Ebbin, Adam P. (D)	698-7530
E506	Edwards, John S. (D)	698-7521
E616	Favola, Barbara A. (D)	698-7531
E507	Hanger, Emmett W., Jr. (R)	698-7524
E509	Howell, Janet D. (D)	698-7532
E609	Lewis, Lynwood W., Jr. (D)	698-7506
E510	Locke, Mamie E. (D)	698-7502
E508	Lucas, L. Louise (D)	698-7518
E618	Marsden, David W. (D)	698-7537
E515	Mason, T. Montgomery (D)	698-7501

<b>Room Number</b>	<b>Name</b>	<b>Telephone</b>
E512	McClellan, Jennifer L. (D)	698-7509
E501	McDougle, Ryan T. (R)	698-7504
E511	McPike, Jeremy S. (D)	698-7529
E604	Newman, Stephen D. (R)	698-7523
E603	Norment, Thomas K., Jr. (R)	698-7503
E502	Obenshain, Mark D. (R)	698-7526
E522	Peake, Mark J. (R)	698-7522
E517	Petersen, J. Chapman (D)	698-7534
E521	Reeves, Bryce E. (R)	698-7517
E505	Ruff, Frank M., Jr. (R)	698-7515
E602	Saslaw, Richard L. (D)	698-7535
E524	Spruill, Lionell, Sr. (D)	698-7505
E610	Stanley, William M., Jr. (R)	698-7520
E611	Stuart, Richard H. (R)	698-7528
E513	Sturtevant, Glen H., Jr. (R)	698-7510
E516	Suetterlein, David R. (R)	698-7519
E617	Surovell, Scott A. (D)	698-7536
E612	Vogel, Jill Holtzman (R)	698-7527
E504	Wagner, Frank W. (R)	698-7507
E608	Wexton, Jennifer T. (D)	698-7533

<b>Name</b>		<b>Member of Senate</b>	<b>Member of House</b>	<b>Residence</b>
1. Saslaw, Richard L.	(D)	1980	1976-1980	Fairfax County
2. Howell, Janet D.	(D)	1992		Fairfax County
3. Lucas, L. Louise	(D)	1992		Portsmouth
4. Norment, Thomas K., Jr.	(R)	1992		James City
5. Hanger, Emmett W., Jr.	(R)	1996	1983-1992	Augusta
6. Newman, Stephen D.	(R)	1996	1992-1996	Lynchburg
7. Edwards, John S.	(D)	1996		Roanoke City
8. Ruff, Frank M., Jr.	(R)	2000	1994-2000	Mecklenburg
9. Wagner, Frank W	(R)	2001	1992-2001	Virginia Beach
10. Deeds, R. Creigh	(D)	2001	1992-2001	Bath
11. Obenshain, Mark D.	(R)	2004		Rockingham
12. Locke, Mamie E.	(D)	2004		Hampton
13. McDougle, Ryan T.	(R)	2006	2002-2006	Hanover
14. Petersen, J. Chapman	(D)	2008	2002-2006	Fairfax City
15. Barker, George L.	(D)	2008		Fairfax County
16. Vogel, Jill Holtzman	(R)	2008		Fauquier
17. Stuart, Richard H.	(R)	2008		Stafford
18. Marsden, David W.	(D)	2010	2006-2010	Fairfax County
19. Stanley, William M., Jr.	(R)	2011		Franklin County
20. Black, Richard H.	(R)	2012	1998-2006	Loudoun

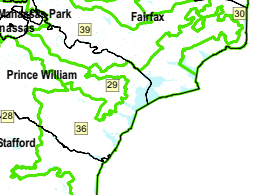
<b>Name</b>		<b>Member of Senate</b>	<b>Member of House</b>	<b>Residence</b>
21. Carrico, Charles W., Sr.	(R)	2012	2002-2012	Grayson
22. Ebbin, Adam P.	(D)	2012	2004-2012	Alexandria
23. Reeves, Bryce E.	(R)	2012		Spotsylvania
24. Favola, Barbara A.	(D)	2012		Arlington
25. Cosgrove, John A., Jr.	(R)	2013	2002-2013	Chesapeake
26. Wexton, Jennifer T.	(D)	2014		Loudoun
27. Lewis, Lynwood W., Jr.	(D)	2014	2004-2014	Accomack
28. Chafin, A. Benton, Jr.	(R)	2014	2014-2014	Russell
29. Dance, Rosalyn R.	(D)	2014	2005-2014	Petersburg
30. Surovell, Scott A.	(D)	2016	2010-2016	Fairfax County
31. DeSteph, William R., Jr.	(R)	2016	2014-2016	Virginia Beach
32. Dunnavant, Siobhan S.	(R)	2016		Henrico
33. Chase, Amanda F.	(R)	2016		Chesterfield
34. Sturtevant, Glen H., Jr.	(R)	2016		Richmond City
35. McPike, Jeremy S.	(D)	2016		Prince William
36. Suetterlein, David R.	(R)	2016		Roanoke County
37. Spruill, Lionell, Sr.	(D)	2016	1993-2016	Chesapeake
38. Mason, T. Montgomery	(D)	2016	2014-2016	Williamsburg
39. McClellan, Jennifer L.	(D)	2017	2006-2017	Richmond City
40. Peake, Mark J.	(R)	2017		Lynchburg

SENATORS ORDER OF SENIORITY

## **SENATORIAL DISTRICTS MAP**







Northern Virginia



Tidewater Area

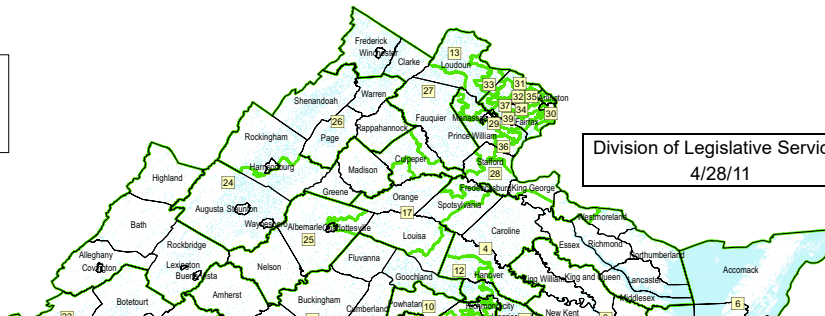


Central Virginia



Roanoke Area

Senate Districts  
Ch.1, 2011 Acts of Assembly  
(Special Session I)



Division of Legislative Services  
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## SENATE

### STATE SENATORIAL DISTRICTS

(For information on districts, call Legislative Information and Constituent Services (804) 698-7410).

First District.—All of the City of Williamsburg; part of James City and York Counties; and part of the Cities of Hampton, Newport News, and Suffolk.

Second District.—Part of York County; and part of the Cities of Hampton, Newport News, and Portsmouth.

Third District.—All of Gloucester, King and Queen, King William, and New Kent Counties; all of the City of Poquoson; part of Isle of Wight, James City, Surry, and York Counties; and part of the Cities of Hampton and Suffolk.

Fourth District.—All of Caroline, Essex, Lancaster, Middlesex, Northumberland, and Richmond Counties; and part of Hanover, King George, Spotsylvania, and Westmoreland Counties.

Fifth District.—Part of the Cities of Chesapeake and Norfolk.

Sixth District.—All of Accomack, Mathews, and Northampton Counties; and part of the Cities of Norfolk and Virginia Beach.

Seventh District.—Part of the Cities of Norfolk and Virginia Beach.

Eighth District.—Part of the City of Virginia Beach.

Ninth District.—All of Charles City County; part of Hanover and Henrico Counties; and part of the City of Richmond.

Tenth District.—All of Powhatan County; part of Chesterfield County; and part of the City of Richmond.

Eleventh District.—All of Amelia County; all of the City of Colonial Heights; and part of Chesterfield County.

Twelfth District.—Part of Hanover and Henrico Counties.

Thirteenth District.—Part of Loudoun and Prince William Counties.

Fourteenth District.—Part of Isle of Wight and Southampton Counties; and part of the Cities of Chesapeake, Franklin, Portsmouth, Suffolk, and Virginia Beach.

Fifteenth District.—All of Charlotte, Lunenburg, Mecklenburg, and Nottoway Counties; part of Brunswick, Campbell, Dinwiddie, Halifax, Pittsylvania, and Prince George Counties; and part of the City of Danville.

Sixteenth District.—All of the Cities of Hopewell and Petersburg; part of Chesterfield, Dinwiddie, and Prince George Counties; and part of the City of Richmond.

Seventeenth District.—All of Orange County; all of the City of Fredericksburg; and part of Albemarle, Culpeper, Louisa, and Spotsylvania Counties.

Eighteenth District.—All of Greensville and Sussex Counties; all of the City of Emporia; part of Brunswick, Isle of

Wight, Southampton, and Surry Counties; and part of the Cities of Chesapeake, Franklin, Portsmouth, and Suffolk.

Nineteenth District.—All of Floyd County; all of the City of Salem; and part of Bedford, Carroll, Franklin, Montgomery, Roanoke, and Wythe Counties.

Twentieth District.—All of Henry and Patrick Counties; all of the Cities of Galax and Martinsville; part of Carroll, Franklin, Halifax, and Pittsylvania Counties; and part of the City of Danville.

Twenty-first District.—All of Giles County; all of the City of Roanoke; and part of Montgomery and Roanoke Counties.

Twenty-second District.—All of Amherst, Appomattox, Buckingham, Cumberland, Fluvanna, Goochland, and Prince Edward Counties; part of Louisa County; and part of the City of Lynchburg.

Twenty-third District.—All of Botetourt and Craig Counties; part of Bedford, Campbell, and Roanoke Counties; and part of the City of Lynchburg.

Twenty-fourth District.—All of Augusta, Greene, and Madison Counties; all of the Cities of Staunton and Waynesboro; and part of Culpeper and Rockingham Counties.

Twenty-fifth District.—All of Alleghany, Bath, Highland, Nelson, and Rockbridge Counties; all of the Cities of Buena Vista, Charlottesville, Covington, and Lexington; and part of Albemarle County.

Twenty-sixth District.—All of Page, Rappahannock, Shenandoah, and Warren Counties; all of the City of Harrisonburg; and part of Rockingham County.

Twenty-seventh District.—All of Clarke, Fauquier, and Frederick Counties; all of the City of Winchester; and part of Culpeper, Loudoun, and Stafford Counties.

Twenty-eighth District.—Part of King George, Prince William, Spotsylvania, Stafford, and Westmoreland Counties.

Twenty-ninth District.—All of the Cities of Manassas and Manassas Park; and part of Prince William County.

Thirtieth District.—Part of Arlington and Fairfax Counties; and part of the City of Alexandria.

Thirty-first District.—Part of Arlington, Fairfax, and Loudoun Counties.

Thirty-second District.—Part of Arlington and Fairfax Counties.

Thirty-third District.—Part of Fairfax and Loudoun Counties.

Thirty-fourth District.—All of the City of Fairfax; and part of Fairfax County.

Thirty-fifth District.—All of the City of Falls Church; part of Fairfax County; and part of the City of Alexandria.

Thirty-sixth District.—Part of Fairfax, Prince William, and Stafford Counties.

Thirty-seventh District.—Part of Fairfax County.

Thirty-eighth District.—All of Bland, Buchanan, Dickenson, Pulaski, Russell, and Tazewell Counties; all of the Cities of Norton and Radford; and part of Montgomery, Smyth, and Wise Counties.

Thirty-ninth District.—Part of Fairfax and Prince William Counties; and part of the City of Alexandria.

Fortieth District.—All of Grayson, Lee, Scott, and Washington Counties; all of the City of Bristol; and part of Smyth, Wise, and Wythe Counties.



**SENATE**

**Lieutenant Governor Justin E. Fairfax**  
*President*

**Stephen D. Newman**  
*President pro tempore*

**Thomas K. Norment, Jr.**  
*Majority Leader*

**Richard L. Saslaw**  
*Minority Leader*

**Susan Clarke Schaar**  
*Clerk*

**DISTRICTS AND SENATORS****40 Senatorial Districts****Accomack County**

Lynwood W. Lewis, Jr. (D)..... 6th Senatorial District

**Albemarle County**

Bryce E. Reeves (R)..... 17th Senatorial District

R. Creigh Deeds (D) ..... 25th Senatorial District

**Alexandria**

Adam P. Ebbin (D)..... 30th Senatorial District

Richard L. Saslaw (D) ..... 35th Senatorial District

George L. Barker (D)..... 39th Senatorial District

**Alleghany County**

R. Creigh Deeds (D) ..... 25th Senatorial District



## Amelia County

Amanda F. Chase (R) ..... 11th Senatorial District

## Amherst County

Mark J. Peake (R)..... 22nd Senatorial District

## Appomattox County

Mark J. Peake (R)..... 22nd Senatorial District

## Arlington County

Adam P. Ebbin (D) ..... 30th Senatorial District

Barbara A. Favola (D) ..... 31st Senatorial District

Janet D. Howell (D)..... 32nd Senatorial District

## Augusta County

Emmett W. Hanger, Jr. (R) ..... 24th Senatorial District

## Bath County

R. Creigh Deeds (D)..... 25th Senatorial District

## Bedford County

David R. Suetterlein (R)..... 19th Senatorial District

Stephen D. Newman (R) ..... 23rd Senatorial District

## Bland County

A. Benton Chafin, Jr. (R)..... 38th Senatorial District

## Botetourt County

Stephen D. Newman (R) ..... 23rd Senatorial District

## Bristol

Charles W. Carrico, Sr. (R)..... 40th Senatorial District

## Brunswick County

Frank M. Ruff, Jr. (R)..... 15th Senatorial District

L. Louise Lucas (D)..... 18th Senatorial District

## Buchanan County

A. Benton Chafin, Jr. (R)..... 38th Senatorial District

## Buckingham County

Mark J. Peake (R)..... 22nd Senatorial District

**Buena Vista**

R. Creigh Deeds (D) ..... 25th Senatorial District

**Campbell County**

Frank M. Ruff, Jr. (R) ..... 15th Senatorial District

Stephen D. Newman (R) ..... 23rd Senatorial District

**Caroline County**

Ryan T. McDougale (R) ..... 4th Senatorial District

**Carroll County**

David R. Suetterlein (R) ..... 19th Senatorial District

William M. Stanley, Jr. (R) ..... 20th Senatorial District

**Charles City County**

Jennifer L. McClellan (D) ..... 9th Senatorial District

**Charlotte County**

Frank M. Ruff, Jr. (R) ..... 15th Senatorial District

**Charlottesville**

R. Creigh Deeds (D) ..... 25th Senatorial District

**Chesapeake**

Lionell Spruill, Sr. (D) ..... 5th Senatorial District

John A. Cosgrove, Jr. (R) ..... 14th Senatorial District

L. Louise Lucas (D) ..... 18th Senatorial District

**Chesterfield County**

Glen H. Sturtevant, Jr. (R) ..... 10th Senatorial District

Amanda F. Chase (R) ..... 11th Senatorial District

Rosalyn R. Dance (D) ..... 16th Senatorial District

**Clarke County**

Jill Holtzman Vogel (R) ..... 27th Senatorial District

**Colonial Heights**

Amanda F. Chase (R) ..... 11th Senatorial District

**Covington**

R. Creigh Deeds (D) ..... 25th Senatorial District

## Craig County

Stephen D. Newman (R) .....23rd Senatorial District

## Culpeper County

Bryce E. Reeves (R) .....17th Senatorial District

Emmett W. Hanger, Jr. (R) .....24th Senatorial District

Jill Holtzman Vogel (R).....27th Senatorial District

## Cumberland County

Mark J. Peake (R).....22nd Senatorial District

## Danville

Frank M. Ruff, Jr. (R).....15th Senatorial District

William M. Stanley, Jr. (R).....20th Senatorial District

## Dickenson County

A. Benton Chafin, Jr. (R).....38th Senatorial District

## Dinwiddie County

Frank M. Ruff, Jr. (R).....15th Senatorial District

Rosalyn R. Dance (D) .....16th Senatorial District

## Emporia

L. Louise Lucas (D).....18th Senatorial District

## Essex County

Ryan T. McDougle (R) .....4th Senatorial District

## Fairfax City

J. Chapman Petersen (D).....34th Senatorial District

## Fairfax County

Adam P. Ebbin (D) .....30th Senatorial District

Barbara A. Favola (D) .....31st Senatorial District

Janet D. Howell (D).....32nd Senatorial District

Jennifer T. Wexton (D) .....33rd Senatorial District

J. Chapman Petersen (D) .....34th Senatorial District

Richard L. Saslaw (D) .....35th Senatorial District

Scott A. Surovell (D) .....36th Senatorial District

David W. Marsden (D) .....37th Senatorial District

George L. Barker (D) .....39th Senatorial District

## Falls Church

Richard L. Saslaw (D) ..... 35th Senatorial District

## Fauquier County

Jill Holtzman Vogel (R) ..... 27th Senatorial District

## Floyd County

David R. Suetterlein (R) ..... 19th Senatorial District

## Fluvanna County

Mark J. Peake (R) ..... 22nd Senatorial District

## Franklin City

John A. Cosgrove, Jr. (R) ..... 14th Senatorial District

L. Louise Lucas (D) ..... 18th Senatorial District

## Franklin County

David R. Suetterlein (R) ..... 19th Senatorial District

William M. Stanley, Jr. (R) ..... 20th Senatorial District

## Frederick County

Jill Holtzman Vogel (R) ..... 27th Senatorial District

## Fredericksburg

Bryce E. Reeves (R) ..... 17th Senatorial District

## Galax

William M. Stanley, Jr. (R) ..... 20th Senatorial District

## Giles County

John S. Edwards (D) ..... 21st Senatorial District

## Gloucester County

Thomas K. Norment, Jr. (R) ..... 3rd Senatorial District

## Goochland County

Mark J. Peake (R) ..... 22nd Senatorial District

## Grayson County

Charles W. Carrico, Sr. (R) ..... 40th Senatorial District

## Greene County

Emmett W. Hanger, Jr. (R) .....24th Senatorial District

## Greensville County

L. Louise Lucas (D).....18th Senatorial District

## Halifax County

Frank M. Ruff, Jr. (R).....15th Senatorial District

William M. Stanley, Jr. (R).....20th Senatorial District

## Hampton

T. Montgomery Mason (D)..... 1st Senatorial District

Mamie E. Locke (D).....2nd Senatorial District

Thomas K. Norment, Jr. (R).....3rd Senatorial District

## Hanover County

Ryan T. McDougale (R) .....4th Senatorial District

Jennifer L. McClellan (D) .....9th Senatorial District

Siobhan S. Dunnavant (R).....12th Senatorial District

## Harrisonburg

Mark D. Obenshain (R).....26th Senatorial District

## Henrico County

Jennifer L. McClellan (D) .....9th Senatorial District

Siobhan S. Dunnavant (R).....12th Senatorial District

## Henry County

William M. Stanley, Jr. (R).....20th Senatorial District

## Highland County

R. Creigh Deeds (D).....25th Senatorial District

## Hopewell

Rosalyn R. Dance (D) .....16th Senatorial District

## Isle of Wight County

Thomas K. Norment, Jr. (R).....3rd Senatorial District

John A. Cosgrove, Jr. (R) .....14th Senatorial District

L. Louise Lucas (D).....18th Senatorial District

## James City County

T. Montgomery Mason (D) .....	1st Senatorial District
Thomas K. Norment, Jr. (R) .....	3rd Senatorial District

## King and Queen County

Thomas K. Norment, Jr. (R) .....	3rd Senatorial District
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## King George County

Ryan T. McDougale (R) .....	4th Senatorial District
Richard H. Stuart (R) .....	28th Senatorial District

## King William County

Thomas K. Norment, Jr. (R) .....	3rd Senatorial District
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## Lancaster County

Ryan T. McDougale (R) .....	4th Senatorial District
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## Lee County

Charles W. Carrico, Sr. (R) .....	40th Senatorial District
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## Lexington

R. Creigh Deeds (D) .....	25th Senatorial District
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## Loudoun County

Richard H. Black (R) .....	13th Senatorial District
Jill Holtzman Vogel, (R) .....	27th Senatorial District
Barbara A. Favola (D) .....	31st Senatorial District
Jennifer T. Wexton (D) .....	33rd Senatorial District

## Louisa County

Bryce E. Reeves (R) .....	17th Senatorial District
Mark J. Peake (R) .....	22nd Senatorial District

## Lunenburg County

Frank M. Ruff, Jr. (R) .....	15th Senatorial District
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## Lynchburg

Mark J. Peake (R) .....	22nd Senatorial District
Stephen D. Newman (R) .....	23rd Senatorial District

## Madison County

Emmett W. Hanger, Jr. (R) .....24th Senatorial District

## Manassas

Jeremy S. McPike (D) .....29th Senatorial District

## Manassas Park

Jeremy S. McPike (D) .....29th Senatorial District

## Martinsville

William M. Stanley, Jr. (R).....20th Senatorial District

## Mathews County

Lynwood W. Lewis, Jr. (D).....6th Senatorial District

## Mecklenburg County

Frank M. Ruff, Jr. (R).....15th Senatorial District

## Middlesex County

Ryan T. McDougle (R) .....4th Senatorial District

## Montgomery County

David R. Suetterlein (R).....19th Senatorial District

John S. Edwards (D).....21st Senatorial District

A. Benton Chafin, Jr. (R).....38th Senatorial District

## Nelson County

R. Creigh Deeds (D).....25th Senatorial District

## New Kent County

Thomas K. Norment, Jr. (R).....3rd Senatorial District

## Newport News

T. Montgomery Mason (D).....1st Senatorial District

Mamie E. Locke (D).....2nd Senatorial District

## Norfolk

Lionell Spruill, Sr. (D).....5th Senatorial District

Lynwood W. Lewis, Jr. (D).....6th Senatorial District

Frank W. Wagner (R).....7th Senatorial District

Northampton County	
Lynwood W. Lewis, Jr. (D) .....	6th Senatorial District
Northumberland County	
Ryan T. McDougle (R) .....	4th Senatorial District
Norton	
A. Benton Chafin, Jr. (R) .....	38th Senatorial District
Nottoway County	
Frank M. Ruff, Jr. (R) .....	15th Senatorial District
Orange County	
Bryce E. Reeves (R) .....	17th Senatorial District
Page County	
Mark D. Obenshain (R) .....	26th Senatorial District
Patrick County	
William M. Stanley, Jr. (R) .....	20th Senatorial District
Petersburg	
Rosalyn R. Dance (D) .....	16th Senatorial District
Pittsylvania County	
Frank M. Ruff, Jr. (R) .....	15th Senatorial District
William M. Stanley, Jr. (R) .....	20th Senatorial District
Poquoson	
Thomas K. Norment, Jr. (R) .....	3rd Senatorial District
Portsmouth	
Mamie E. Locke (D) .....	2nd Senatorial District
John A. Cosgrove, Jr. (R) .....	14th Senatorial District
L. Louise Lucas (D) .....	18th Senatorial District
Powhatan County	
Glen H. Sturtevant, Jr. (R) .....	10th Senatorial District
Prince Edward County	
Mark J. Peake (R) .....	22nd Senatorial District
Prince George County	
Frank M. Ruff, Jr. (R) .....	15th Senatorial District



Rosalyn R. Dance (D) .....	16th Senatorial District
Prince William County	
Richard H. Black (R) .....	13th Senatorial District
Richard H. Stuart (R) .....	28th Senatorial District
Jeremy S. McPike (D) .....	29th Senatorial District
Scott A. Surovell (D) .....	36th Senatorial District
George L. Barker (D) .....	39th Senatorial District
Pulaski County	
A. Benton Chafin, Jr. (R) .....	38th Senatorial District
Radford	
A. Benton Chafin, Jr. (R) .....	38th Senatorial District
Rappahannock County	
Mark D. Obenshain (R) .....	26th Senatorial District
Richmond City	
Jennifer L. McClellan (D) .....	9th Senatorial District
Glen H. Sturtevant, Jr. (R) .....	10th Senatorial District
Rosalyn R. Dance (D) .....	16th Senatorial District
Richmond County	
Ryan T. McDougale (R) .....	4th Senatorial District
Roanoke City	
John S. Edwards (D) .....	21st Senatorial District
Roanoke County	
David R. Suetterlein (R) .....	19th Senatorial District
John S. Edwards (D) .....	21st Senatorial District
Stephen D. Newman (R) .....	23rd Senatorial District
Rockbridge County	
R. Creigh Deeds (D) .....	25th Senatorial District
Rockingham County	
Emmett W. Hanger, Jr. (R) .....	24th Senatorial District
Mark D. Obenshain (R) .....	26th Senatorial District

## Russell County

A. Benton Chafin, Jr. (R) ..... 38th Senatorial District

## Salem

David R. Suetterlein (R) ..... 19th Senatorial District

## Scott County

Charles W. Carrico, Sr. (R) ..... 40th Senatorial District

## Shenandoah County

Mark D. Obenshain (R) ..... 26th Senatorial District

## Smyth County

A. Benton Chafin, Jr. (R) ..... 38th Senatorial District

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## Southampton County

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## Spotsylvania County

Ryan T. McDougale (R) ..... 4th Senatorial District

Bryce E. Reeves (R) ..... 17th Senatorial District

Richard H. Stuart (R) ..... 28th Senatorial District

## Stafford County

Jill Holtzman Vogel (R) ..... 27th Senatorial District

Richard H. Stuart (R) ..... 28th Senatorial District

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## Staunton

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## Suffolk

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Thomas K. Norment, Jr. (R) ..... 3rd Senatorial District

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L. Louise Lucas (D) ..... 18th Senatorial District

## Surry County

Thomas K. Norment, Jr. (R) ..... 3rd Senatorial District

L. Louise Lucas (D).....	18th Senatorial District
Sussex County	
L. Louise Lucas (D).....	18th Senatorial District
Tazewell County	
A. Benton Chafin, Jr. (R).....	38th Senatorial District
Virginia Beach	
Lynwood W. Lewis, Jr. (D).....	6th Senatorial District
Frank W. Wagner (R).....	7th Senatorial District
William R. DeSteph, Jr. (R).....	8th Senatorial District
John A. Cosgrove, Jr. (R) .....	14th Senatorial District
Warren County	
Mark D. Obenshain (R).....	26th Senatorial District
Washington County	
Charles W. Carrico, Sr. (R).....	40th Senatorial District
Waynesboro	
Emmett W. Hanger, Jr. (R) .....	24th Senatorial District
Westmoreland County	
Ryan T. McDougale (R) .....	4th Senatorial District
Richard H. Stuart (R).....	28th Senatorial District
Williamsburg	
T. Montgomery Mason (D).....	1st Senatorial District
Winchester	
Jill Holtzman Vogel (R).....	27th Senatorial District
Wise County	
A. Benton Chafin, Jr. (R).....	38th Senatorial District
Charles W. Carrico, Sr. (R).....	40th Senatorial District
Wythe County	
David R. Suetterlein (R).....	19th Senatorial District
Charles W. Carrico, Sr. (R).....	40th Senatorial District

## York County

T. Montgomery Mason (D) .....	1st Senatorial District
Mamie E. Locke (D) .....	2nd Senatorial District
Thomas K. Norment, Jr. (R) .....	3rd Senatorial District

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Tenth District.—All of Clarke, Frederick, and Loudoun Counties; all of the Cities of Manassas, Manassas Park, and Winchester; and part of Fairfax and Prince William Counties.

Eleventh District.—All of the City of Fairfax; and part of Fairfax and Prince William Counties.

## CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT RESIDENCE OF SENATORS

### 1st Congressional District

*Norment, Thomas K., Jr., (R)* ..... James City  
*Stuart, Richard H., (R)* ..... King George

### 2nd Congressional District

*DeSteph, William R., Jr., (R)* ..... Virginia Beach  
*Lewis, Lynwood W., Jr., (D)* ..... Accomack  
*Mason, T. Montgomery, (D)* ..... Williamsburg  
*Wagner, Frank W., (R)* ..... Virginia Beach

### 3rd Congressional District

*Locke, Mamie E., (D)* ..... Hampton  
*Lucas, L. Louise, (D)* ..... Portsmouth  
*Spruill, Lionell, Sr., (D)* ..... Chesapeake

### 4th Congressional District

*Chase, Amanda F., (R)* ..... Chesterfield  
*Cosgrove, John A., Jr., (R)* ..... Chesapeake  
*Dance, Rosalyn R., (D)* ..... Petersburg  
*McClellan, Jennifer L., (D)* ..... Richmond City



## 5th Congressional District

<i>Newman, Stephen D., (R)</i> .....	Bedford
<i>Ruff, Frank M., Jr., (R)</i> .....	Mecklenburg
<i>Stanley, William M., Jr., (R)</i> .....	Franklin County
<i>Vogel, Jill Holtzman, (R)</i> .....	Fauquier

## 6th Congressional District

<i>Deeds, R. Creigh, (D)</i> .....	Bath
<i>Edwards, John S., (D)</i> .....	Roanoke City
<i>Hanger, Emmett W., Jr., (R)</i> .....	Augusta
<i>Obenshain, Mark D., (R)</i> .....	Rockingham
<i>Peake, Mark J., (R)</i> .....	Lynchburg
<i>Suetterlein, David R., (R)</i> .....	Roanoke County

## 7th Congressional District

<i>Dunnavant, Siobhan S., (R)</i> .....	Henrico
<i>McDougle, Ryan T., (R)</i> .....	Hanover
<i>Reeves, Bryce E., (R)</i> .....	Spotsylvania
<i>Sturtevant, Glen H., Jr., (R)</i> .....	Richmond City

## 8th Congressional District

<i>Ebbin, Adam P., (D)</i> .....	Alexandria
<i>Favola, Barbara A., (D)</i> .....	Arlington
<i>Saslaw, Richard L., (D)</i> .....	Fairfax County
<i>Surovell, Scott A., (D)</i> .....	Fairfax County

## 9th Congressional District

<i>Carrico, Charles W., Sr., (R)</i> .....	Grayson
<i>Chafin, A. Benton, Jr., (R)</i> .....	Russell

## 10th Congressional District

<i>Barker, George L., (D)</i> .....	Fairfax County
<i>Black, Richard H., (R)</i> .....	Loudoun
<i>Wexton, Jennifer T., (D)</i> .....	Loudoun

## 11th Congressional District

<i>Howell, Janet D., (D)</i> .....	Fairfax County
<i>Marsden, David W., (D)</i> .....	Fairfax County
<i>McPike, Jeremy S., (D)</i> .....	Prince William
<i>Petersen, J. Chapman, (D)</i> .....	Fairfax City

**SENATE MEMBERS ARRANGED ACCORDING  
TO CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICTS, WITH  
COUNTIES AND CITIES REPRESENTED**

**CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT 1**

**BARKER, GEORGE L., (D).** Part of the county of Prince William.

(Senator Barker also represents part of the county of Fairfax, and part of the city of Alexandria in the 8th Congressional District; part of the counties of Fairfax and Prince William in the 10th Congressional District; and part of the counties of Fairfax and Prince William in the 11th Congressional District.)

**BLACK, RICHARD H., (R).** Part of the county of Prince William.

(Senator Black also represents part of the counties of Loudoun and Prince William in the 10th Congressional District.)

**DUNNAVANT, SIOBHAN S., (R).** Part of the county of Hanover.

(Senator Dunnivant also represents part of the county of Henrico in the 7th Congressional District.)

**LEWIS, LYNWOOD W., JR., (D).** County of Mathews.

(Senator Lewis also represents the counties of Accomack and Northampton, and part of the cities of Norfolk and Virginia Beach in the 2nd Congressional District; and part of the city of Norfolk in the 3rd Congressional District.)

**MASON, T. MONTGOMERY, (D).** Part of the county of James City.

(Senator Mason also represents the city of Williamsburg and part of the counties of James City and York in the 2nd Congressional District; and part of the cities of Hampton, Newport News, and Suffolk in the 3rd Congressional District.)

McCLELLAN, JENNIFER L., (D). Part of the county of Hanover.

(Senator McClellan also represents the county of Charles City, part of the county of Henrico, and part of the city of Richmond in the 4th Congressional District; and part of the county of Henrico in the 7th Congressional District.)

McDOUGLE, RYAN T., (R). Counties of Caroline, Essex, Lancaster, Middlesex, Northumberland, and Richmond, and part of the counties of Hanover, King George, Spotsylvania, and Westmoreland.

(Senator McDougle also represents part of the county of Spotsylvania in the 7th Congressional District.)

McPIKE, JEREMY S., (D). Part of the county of Prince William.

(Senator McPike also represents the cities of Manassas and Manassas Park and part of the county of Prince William in the 10th Congressional District; and part of the county of Prince William in the 11th Congressional District.)

NORMENT, THOMAS K., JR., (R). Counties of Gloucester, King and Queen, King William, and New Kent, and part of the county of James City.

(Senator Norment also represents the city of Poquoson, part of the counties of James City and York, and part of the city of Hampton in the 2nd Congressional District; part of the county of Isle of Wight and part of the city of Suffolk in the 3rd Congressional District; and part of the county of Surry in the 4th Congressional District.)

REEVES, BRYCE E., (R). City of Fredericksburg, and part of the county of Spotsylvania.

(Senator Reeves also represents part of the county of Albemarle in the 5th Congressional District; county of Orange, and part of the counties of Culpeper, Louisa, and Spotsylvania in the 7th Congressional District.)

STUART, RICHARD H., (R). Part of the counties of King George, Prince William, Stafford, and Westmoreland.

(Senator Stuart also represents part of the county of Spotsylvania in the 7th Congressional District; and part of the county of Prince William in the 10th Congressional District.)

SUROVELL, SCOTT A., (D). Part of the counties of Prince William and Stafford.

(Senator Surovell also represents part of the county of Fairfax in the 8th Congressional District; and part of the county of Prince William in the 11th Congressional District.)

VOGEL, JILL HOLTZMAN, (R). Part of the counties of Fauquier and Stafford.

(Senator Vogel also represents part of the county of Fauquier in the 5th Congressional District; part of the county of Culpeper in the 7th Congressional District; counties of Clarke and Frederick, city of Winchester, and part of the county of Loudoun in the 10th Congressional District.)

## CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT 2

COSGROVE, JOHN A., JR., (R). Part of the city of Virginia Beach.

(Senator Cosgrove also represents part of the county of Isle of Wight and part of the cities of Chesapeake, Franklin, Portsmouth, and Suffolk in the 3rd Congressional District; and part of the county of Southampton, and part of the cities of Chesapeake and Suffolk in the 4th Congressional District.)

DeSTEPH, WILLIAM R., (R). Part of the city of Virginia Beach.

LEWIS, LYNWOOD W., JR., (D). Counties of Accomack and Northampton, and part of the cities of Norfolk and Virginia Beach.

(Senator Lewis also represents the county of Mathews in the 1st Congressional District; and part of the city of Norfolk in the 3rd Congressional District.)

LOCKE, MAMIE E., (D). Part of the county of York, and part of the city of Hampton.

(Senator Locke also represents part of the cities of Hampton, Newport News, and Portsmouth in the 3rd Congressional District.)

MASON, T. MONTGOMERY, (D). City of Williamsburg and part of the counties of James City and York.

(Senator Mason also represents part of the county of James City in the 1st Congressional District; and part of the cities of Hampton, Newport News, and Suffolk in the 3rd Congressional District.)

NORMENT, THOMAS K., JR., (R). City of Poquoson, part of the counties of James City and York, and part of the city of Hampton.

(Senator Norment also represents the counties of Gloucester, King and Queen, King William and New Kent, and part of the county of James City in the 1st Congressional District; part of the county of Isle of Wight and part of the city of Suffolk in the 3rd Congressional District; and part of the county of Surry in the 4th Congressional District.)

WAGNER, FRANK W., (R). Part of the cities of Norfolk and Virginia Beach.

**CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT 3**

**COSGROVE, JOHN A., JR., (R).** Part of the county of Isle of Wight, and part of the cities of Chesapeake, Franklin, Portsmouth, and Suffolk.

(Senator Cosgrove also represents part of the city of Virginia Beach in the 2nd Congressional District; and part of the county of Southampton and part of the cities of Chesapeake and Suffolk in the 4th Congressional District.)

**LEWIS, LYNWOOD W., JR., (D).** Part of the city of Norfolk.

(Senator Lewis also represents the county of Mathews in the 1st Congressional District; counties of Accomack and Northampton, and part of the cities of Norfolk and Virginia Beach in the 2nd Congressional District.)

**LOCKE, MAMIE E., (D).** Part of the cities of Hampton, Newport News, and Portsmouth.

(Senator Locke also represents part of the county of York and part of the city of Hampton in the 2nd Congressional District.)

**LUCAS, L. LOUISE, (D).** Part of the county of Isle of Wight and part of the cities of Chesapeake, Franklin, Portsmouth, and Suffolk.

(Senator Lucas also represents the counties of Greenville and Sussex, the city of Emporia, part of the counties of Southampton and Surry, and part of the city of Suffolk in the 4th Congressional District; and part of the county of Brunswick in the 5th Congressional District.)

**MASON, T. MONTGOMERY, (D).** Part of the cities of Hampton, Newport News, and Suffolk.

(Senator Mason also represents part of the county of James City in the 1st Congressional District; city of Williamsburg and part of the counties of James City and York in the 2nd Congressional District.)

**NORMENT, THOMAS K., JR., (R).** Part of the county of Isle of Wight and part of the city of Suffolk.

(Senator Norment also represents the counties of Gloucester, King and Queen, King William, and New Kent, and part of the county of James City in the 1st Congressional District; city of Poquoson, part of the counties of James City and York, and part of the city of Hampton in the 2nd Congressional District; and part of the county of Surry in the 4th Congressional District.)

**SPRUILL, LIONELL, SR., (D).** Part of the cities of Chesapeake and Norfolk.

(Senator Spruill also represents part of the city of Chesapeake in the 4th Congressional District.)

#### **CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT 4**

**CHASE, AMANDA F., (R).** City of Colonial Heights, and part of the county of Chesterfield.

(Senator Chase also represents the county of Amelia and part of the county of Chesterfield in the 7th Congressional District.)

**COSGROVE, JOHN A., JR., (R).** Part of the county of Southampton and part of the cities of Chesapeake and Suffolk.

(Senator Cosgrove also represents part of the city of Virginia Beach in the 2nd Congressional District; part of the county of Isle of Wight, and part of the cities of Chesapeake, Franklin, Portsmouth, and Suffolk in the 3rd Congressional District.)

**DANCE, ROSALYN R., (D).** Cities of Hopewell and Petersburg, part of the counties of Chesterfield, Dinwiddie, and Prince George, and part of the city of Richmond.

(Senator Dance also represents part of the county of Chesterfield in the 7th Congressional District.)



LUCAS, L. LOUISE, (D). Counties of Greenville and Sussex, city of Emporia, part of the counties of Southampton and Surry, and part of the city of Suffolk.

(Senator Lucas also represents part of the county of Isle of Wight and part of the cities of Chesapeake, Franklin, Portsmouth, and Suffolk in the 3rd Congressional District; and part of the county of Brunswick in the 5th Congressional District.)

McCLELLAN, JENNIFER L., (D). County of Charles City, part of the county of Henrico, and part of the city of Richmond.

(Senator McClellan also represents part of the county of Hanover in the 1st Congressional District, and part of the county of Henrico in the 7th Congressional District.)

NORMENT, THOMAS K., JR., (R). Part of the county of Surry.

(Senator Norment also represents the counties of Gloucester, King and Queen, King William, and New Kent, and part of the county of James City in the 1st Congressional District; city of Poquoson, part of the counties of James City and York, and part of the city of Hampton in the 2nd Congressional District; and part of the county of Isle of Wight and part of the city of Suffolk in the 3rd Congressional District.)

RUFF, FRANK M., JR., (R). Part of the counties of Dinwiddie and Prince George.

(Senator Ruff also represents the counties of Charlotte, Lunenburg, and Mecklenburg, part of the counties of Brunswick, Campbell, Halifax, and Pittsylvania and part of the city of Danville in the 5th Congressional District; and the county of Nottoway in the 7th Congressional District.)

SPRUILL, LIONELL, SR., (D). Part of the city of Chesapeake.

(Senator Spruill also represents part of the cities of Chesapeake and Norfolk in the 3rd Congressional District.)

STURTEVANT, GLEN H., JR., (R). Part of the city of Richmond.

(Senator Sturtevant also represents the county of Powhatan and part of the county of Chesterfield in the 7th Congressional District.)

## CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT 5

DEEDS, R. CREIGH, (D). County of Nelson, city of Charlottesville, and part of the county of Albemarle.

(Senator Deeds also represents the counties of Bath, Highland, and Rockbridge, and the cities of Buena Vista and Lexington in the 6th Congressional District; county of Alleghany, and the city of Covington in the 9th Congressional District.)

HANGER, EMMETT W., JR., (R). Counties of Greene and Madison.

(Senator Hanger also represents the county of Augusta, cities of Staunton and Waynesboro, and part of the county of Rockingham in the 6th Congressional District; and part of the county of Culpeper in the 7th Congressional District.)

LUCAS, L. LOUISE, (D). Part of the county of Brunswick.

(Senator Lucas also represents part of the county of Isle of Wight and part of the cities of Chesapeake, Franklin, Portsmouth, and Suffolk in the 3rd Congressional District; counties of Greensville and Sussex, city of Emporia, part of the counties of Southampton and Surry, and part of the city of Suffolk in the 4th Congressional District.)

NEWMAN, STEPHEN D., (R). Part of the counties of Bedford and Campbell.

(Senator Newman also represents the county of Botetourt and part of the counties of Bedford and Roanoke, and part of the city of Lynchburg in the 6th

Congressional District; and the county of Craig in the 9th Congressional District.)

**OBENSHAIN, MARK D., (R).** County of Rappahannock.

(Senator Obenshain also represents the counties of Page, Shenandoah, and Warren, city of Harrisonburg, and part of the county of Rockingham in the 6th Congressional District.)

**PEAKE, MARK J., (R).** Counties of Appomattox, Buckingham, Cumberland, Fluvanna, and Prince Edward.

(Senator Peake also represents the county of Amherst and part of the city of Lynchburg in the 6th Congressional District; county of Goochland and part of the county of Louisa in the 7th Congressional District.)

**REEVES, BRYCE E., (R).** Part of the county of Albemarle.

(Senator Reeves also represents the city of Fredericksburg and part of the county of Spotsylvania in the 1st Congressional District; county of Orange, and part of the counties of Culpeper, Louisa, and Spotsylvania in the 7th Congressional District.)

**RUFF, FRANK M., JR., (R).** Counties of Charlotte, Lunenburg, and Mecklenburg, part of the counties of Brunswick, Campbell, Halifax, and Pittsylvania, and part of the city of Danville.

(Senator Ruff also represents part of the counties of Dinwiddie and Prince George in the 4th Congressional District; and the county of Nottoway in the 7th Congressional District.)

**STANLEY, WILLIAM M., JR., (R).** Part of the counties of Franklin, Halifax, Henry, and Pittsylvania, and part of the city of Danville.

(Senator Stanley also represents the county of Patrick, cities of Galax and Martinsville, and part of the counties of Carroll and Henry in the 9th Congressional District.)

SUETTERLEIN, DAVID R., (R). Part of the counties of Bedford and Franklin.

(Senator Suetterlein also represents part of the county of Roanoke in the 6th Congressional District; county of Floyd, city of Salem, and part of the counties of Carroll, Montgomery, Roanoke, and Wythe in the 9th Congressional District.)

VOGEL, JILL HOLTZMAN, (R). Part of the county of Fauquier.

(Senator Vogel also represents part of the counties of Fauquier and Stafford in the 1st Congressional District; part of the county of Culpeper in the 7th Congressional District; counties of Clarke and Frederick, city of Winchester and part of the county of Loudoun in the 10th Congressional District.)

## CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT 6

DEEDS, R. CREIGH, (D). Counties of Bath, Highland, and Rockbridge, and the cities of Buena Vista and Lexington.

(Senator Deeds also represents the county of Nelson, city of Charlottesville, and part of the county of Albemarle in the 5th Congressional District; and the county of Alleghany, and the city of Covington in the 9th Congressional District.)

EDWARDS, JOHN S., (D). City of Roanoke and part of the county of Roanoke.

(Senator Edwards also represents the county of Giles, and part of the counties of Montgomery and Roanoke in the 9th Congressional District.)

HANGER, EMMETT W., JR., (R). County of Augusta, cities of Staunton and Waynesboro, and part of the county of Rockingham.

(Senator Hanger also represents the counties of Greene and Madison in the 5th Congressional District; and part of the county of Culpeper in the 7th Congressional District.)

NEWMAN, STEPHEN D., (R). County of Botetourt and part of the counties of Bedford and Roanoke, and part of the city of Lynchburg.

(Senator Newman also represents part of the counties of Bedford and Campbell in the 5th Congressional District; and the county of Craig in the 9th Congressional District.)

OBENSHAIN, MARK D., (R). Counties of Page, Shenandoah, and Warren, city of Harrisonburg, and part of the county of Rockingham.

(Senator Obenshain also represents the county of Rappahannock in the 5th Congressional District.)

PEAKE, MARK J., (R). County of Amherst and part of the city of Lynchburg.

(Senator Peake also represents the counties of Appomattox, Buckingham, Cumberland, Fluvanna, and Prince Edward in the 5th Congressional District; county of Goochland and part of the county of Louisa in the 7th Congressional District.)

SUETTERLEIN, DAVID R., (R). Part of the county of Roanoke.

(Senator Suetterlein also represents part of the counties of Bedford and Franklin in the 5th Congressional District; county of Floyd, city of Salem, and part of the counties of Carroll, Montgomery, Roanoke, and Wythe in the 9th Congressional District.)

**CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT 7**

CHASE, AMANDA F., (R). County of Amelia, and part of the county of Chesterfield.

(Senator Chase also represents the city of Colonial Heights and part of the county of Chesterfield in the 4th Congressional District.)

DANCE, ROSALYN R., (D). Part of the county of Chesterfield.

(Senator Dance also represents the cities of Hopewell and Petersburg, part of the counties of Chesterfield, Dinwiddie, and Prince George, and part of the city of Richmond in the 4th Congressional District.)

DUNNAVANT, SIOBHAN S., (R). Part of the county of Henrico.

(Senator Dunnivant also represents part of the county of Hanover in the 1st Congressional District.)

HANGER, EMMETT W., JR., (R). Part of the county of Culpeper.

(Senator Hanger also represents the counties of Greene and Madison in the 5th Congressional District; county of Augusta, cities of Staunton and Waynesboro, and part of the county of Rockingham in the 6th Congressional District.)

McCLELLAN, JENNIFER L., (D). Part of the county of Henrico.

(Senator McClellan also represents part of the county of Hanover in the 1st Congressional District; county of Charles City, part of the county of Henrico, and part of the city of Richmond in the 4th Congressional District.)

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PEAKE, MARK J., (R). County of Goochland and part of the county of Louisa.

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REEVES, BRYCE E., (R). County of Orange and part of the counties of Culpeper, Louisa, and Spotsylvania.

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RUFF, FRANK M., JR., (R). County of Nottoway.

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STUART, RICHARD H., (R). Part of the county of Spotsylvania.

(Senator Stuart also represents part of the counties of King George, Prince William, Stafford, and Westmoreland in the 1st Congressional District; and part of the county of Prince William in the 10th Congressional District.)

STURTEVANT, GLEN H., JR., (R). County of Powhatan and part of the county of Chesterfield.

(Senator Sturtevant also represents part of the city of Richmond in the 4th Congressional District.)

VOGEL, JILL HOLTZMAN, (R). Part of the county of Culpeper.

(Senator Vogel also represents part of the counties of Fauquier and Stafford in the 1st Congressional District; part of the county of Fauquier in the 5th Congressional District; counties of Clarke and Frederick, city of Winchester, and part of the county of Loudoun in the 10th Congressional District.)

## CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT 8

BARKER, GEORGE L., (D). Part of the county of Fairfax and part of the city of Alexandria.

(Senator Barker also represents part of the county of Prince William in the 1st Congressional District; part of the counties of Fairfax and Prince William in the 10th Congressional District; and part of the counties of Fairfax and Prince William in the 11th Congressional District.)

EBBIN, ADAM P., (D). Part of the counties of Arlington and Fairfax, and part of the city of Alexandria.

FAVOLA, BARBARA A., (D). Part of the counties of Arlington and Fairfax.

(Senator Favola also represents part of the counties of Fairfax and Loudoun in the 10th Congressional District.)



HOWELL, JANET D., (D). Part of the counties of Arlington and Fairfax.

(Senator Howell also represents part of the county of Fairfax in the 10th Congressional District; and part of the county of Fairfax in the 11th Congressional District.)

MARSDEN, DAVID W., (D). Part of the county of Fairfax.

(Senator Marsden also represents part of the county of Fairfax in the 10th Congressional District; and part of the county of Fairfax in the 11th Congressional District.)

SASLAW, RICHARD L., (D). City of Falls Church, part of the county of Fairfax, and part of the city of Alexandria.

(Senator Saslaw also represents part of the county of Fairfax in the 11th Congressional District.)

SUROVELL, SCOTT A., (D). Part of the county of Fairfax.

(Senator Surovell also represents part of the counties of Prince William and Stafford in the 1st Congressional District; and part of the county of Prince William in the 11th Congressional District.)

## CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT 9

CARRICO, CHARLES W., SR., (R). Counties of Grayson, Lee, Scott, and Washington, city of Bristol, and part of the counties of Smyth, Wise, and Wythe.

CHAFIN, A. BENTON, JR., (R). Counties of Bland, Buchanan, Dickenson, Pulaski, Russell, and Tazewell, cities of Norton and Radford, and part of the counties of Montgomery, Smyth, and Wise.

DEEDS, R. CREIGH, (D). County of Alleghany and city of Covington.

(Senator Deeds also represents the county of Nelson, city of Charlottesville, and part of the county of Albemarle in the 5th Congressional District; counties of Bath, Highland, and Rockbridge, and the cities of Buena Vista and Lexington in the 6th Congressional District.)

EDWARDS, JOHN S., (D). County of Giles and part of the counties of Montgomery and Roanoke.

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(Senator Stanley also represents part of the counties of Franklin, Halifax, Henry, and Pittsylvania, and part of the city of Danville in the 5th Congressional District.)

SUETTERLEIN, DAVID R., (R). County of Floyd, city of Salem, and part of the counties of Carroll, Montgomery, Roanoke, and Wythe.

(Senator Suetterlein also represents part of the counties of Bedford and Franklin in the 5th Congressional District; and part of the county of Roanoke in the 6th Congressional District.)

**CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT 10**

**BARKER, GEORGE L., (D).** Part of the counties of Fairfax and Prince William.

(Senator Barker also represents part of the county of Prince William in the 1st Congressional District; part of the county of Fairfax and part of the city of Alexandria in the 8th Congressional District; and part of the counties of Fairfax and Prince William in the 11th Congressional District.)

**BLACK, RICHARD H., (R).** Part of the counties of Loudoun and Prince William.

(Senator Black also represents part of the county of Prince William in the 1st Congressional District.)

**FAVOLA, BARBARA A., (D).** Part of the counties of Fairfax and Loudoun.

(Senator Favola also represents part of the counties of Arlington and Fairfax in the 8th Congressional District.)

**HOWELL, JANET D., (D).** Part of the county of Fairfax.

(Senator Howell also represents part of the counties of Arlington and Fairfax in the 8th Congressional District; and part of the county of Fairfax in the 11th Congressional District.)

**MARSDEN, DAVID W., (D).** Part of the county of Fairfax.

(Senator Marsden also represents part of the county of Fairfax in the 8th Congressional District; and part of the county of Fairfax in the 11th Congressional District.)

McPIKE, JEREMY S., (D). Cities of Manassas and Manassas Park and part of the county of Prince William.

(Senator McPike also represents part of the county of Prince William in the 1st Congressional District; and part of the county of Prince William in the 11th Congressional District.)

PETERSEN, J. CHAPMAN, (D). Part of the county of Fairfax.

(Senator Petersen also represents the city of Fairfax and part of the county of Fairfax in the 11th Congressional District.)

STUART, RICHARD H., (R). Part of the county of Prince William.

(Senator Stuart also represents part of the counties of King George, Prince William, Stafford, and Westmoreland in the 1st Congressional District; and part of the county of Spotsylvania in the 7th Congressional District.)

VOGEL, JILL HOLTZMAN, (R). Counties of Clarke and Frederick, city of Winchester, and part of the county of Loudoun.

(Senator Vogel also represents part of the counties of Fauquier and Stafford in the 1st Congressional District; part of the county of Fauquier in the 5th Congressional District; and part of the county of Culpeper in the 7th Congressional District.)

WEXTON, JENNIFER T., (D). Part of the counties of Fairfax and Loudoun.

(Senator Wexton also represents part of the county of Fairfax in the 11th Congressional District.)

**CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT 11**

**BARKER, GEORGE L., (D).** Part of the counties of Fairfax and Prince William.

(Senator Barker also represents part of the county of Prince William in the 1st Congressional District; part of the county of Fairfax and part of the city of Alexandria in the 8th Congressional District; and part of the counties of Fairfax and Prince William in the 10th Congressional District.)

**HOWELL, JANET D., (D).** Part of the county of Fairfax.

(Senator Howell also represents part of the counties of Arlington and Fairfax in the 8th Congressional District; and part of the county of Fairfax in the 10th Congressional District.)

**MARSDEN, DAVID W., (D).** Part of the county of Fairfax.

(Senator Marsden also represents part of the county of Fairfax in the 8th Congressional District; and part of the county of Fairfax in the 10th Congressional District.)

**McPIKE, JEREMY S., (D).** Part of the county of Prince William.

(Senator McPike also represents part of the county of Prince William in the 1st Congressional District; cities of Manassas and Manassas Park and part of the county of Prince William in the 10th Congressional District.)

**PETERSEN, J. CHAPMAN, (D).** City of Fairfax and part of the county of Fairfax.

(Senator Petersen also represents part of the county of Fairfax in the 10th Congressional District.)

**SASLAW, RICHARD L., (D).** Part of the county of Fairfax.

(Senator Saslaw also represents the city of Falls Church, part of the county of Fairfax, and part of the city of Alexandria in the 8th Congressional District.)

SUROVELL, SCOTT A., (D). Part of the county of Prince William.

(Senator Surovell also represents part of the counties of Prince William and Stafford in the 1st Congressional District; and part of the county of Fairfax in the 8th Congressional District.)

WEXTON, JENNIFER T., (D). Part of the county of Fairfax.

(Senator Wexton also represents part of the counties of Fairfax and Loudoun in the 10th Congressional District.)



**CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICTS MAP**



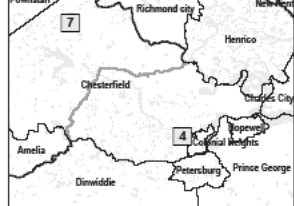




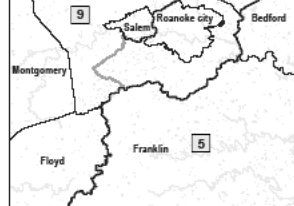
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**Lieutenant Governor of Virginia**  
**President of the Senate**



Democrat—Born in Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, February 17, 1979; *educated* at Duke University (B.A., Public Policy); Columbia University (J.D.); Attorney; married Dr. Cerina W. Fairfax, DDS; *member*: Board of Visitors of the Sanford School of Public Policy at Duke University; *honors*: National Bar Association’s Nation’s Best Advocates Award, 2013. Lieutenant Governor: 2018-.

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## BARKER, GEORGE L.



*Thirty-ninth Senatorial District* — Democrat. Born in Eldorado, Illinois, August 24, 1951; *educated* at Harvard College (A.B., Economics and Public Health); Harvard University (M.S., Health Policy and Management); married Jane Bianchi Barker; *member*: Fairfax Presbyterian Church, elder; PTA president, Robinson and Mt. Vernon High Schools; Chair, Fairfax Transportation Advisory Commission, 2001-08; President, Noble Estates Homeowners Association, 1991-

2008; Chair, Joint Legislative Subcommittee on Northern Virginia Transit Plan, 2008-2009; Member, Virginia Small Business Commission; Member, Joint Commission on Health Care; Vice-Chair, Board of Virginia Health Workforce Development Authority; Member, Board of Directors, Virginia Health Information; Member, Virginia Housing Commission; *honors*: Fairfax County Citizen of the Year, 1992; Lord Fairfax Award. Member of Senate: 2008-.

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## BLACK, RICHARD H.



*Thirteenth Senatorial District* — Republican. Born in Baltimore, Maryland, May 15, 1944; *educated* at University of Florida (B.S.B.A., accounting; J.D.); postgraduate legal studies, TJAGSA, University of Virginia Campus, Army War College; married Barbara Jean Black; *occupation*: attorney; *military service*: USMC (1963-1970); USA (1977-1994); *member*: Virginia Society for Human Life; NFIB; Knights of Columbus; Izaak Walton League; NRA; VFW; American Legion;

Law Enforcement Alliance of America; *honors*: Purple Heart, Legion of Merit (3); Air Medal (13); Navy Commendation Medal with Combat “V” for Valor; Presidential Unit Citation (2); Naval Aviator’s Wings of Gold. Member of House: 1998-2006. Member of Senate: 2012-.

**13th District:** Part of Loudoun and Prince William Counties.

**Committee Assignments:** Agriculture, Conservation and Natural Resources; Commerce and Labor; Education and Health; General Laws and Technology; Rehabilitation and Social Services

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## CARRICO, CHARLES W., SR.



*Fortieth Senatorial District* — Republican. Born in Marion, Virginia, November 6, 1961; *educated* at Chilhowie High School (1981); Virginia Highlands Community College (1984); Virginia State Police Academy (Certificate of Law Enforcement); married Paula Denise Sweet; *occupation*: Retired Senior Trooper, Virginia State Police; *member*: Cliffview Church of God, member and elder; Virginia State Police Association; Fraternal Order of Police, Galax chapter; *honors*: 2010

Legislator of the Year, Virginia State Police Association; 2011 Legislator of the Year, Virginia Sheriffs' Association; 2006 Legislator of the Year, Virginia State Police Association, Virginia Fraternal Order of Police, and Virginia Sheriffs' Association; 2004 Virginia Public Safety Foundation's "Distinguished Public Safety Award"; 2012 Legislator of the Year, Virginia Sheriffs' Association; 2013 Legislator of the Year, Virginia State Police Association. Member of House: 2002-2012. Member of Senate: 2012-.

**40th District:** All of Grayson, Lee, Scott, and Washington Counties; all of the City of Bristol; and part of Smyth, Wise, and Wythe Counties.

**Committee Assignments:** Transportation, Chair; Education and Health; Finance; Local Government; Rules

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## CHAFIN, A. BENTON, JR.



*Thirty-eighth Senatorial District* — Republican. Born in Abingdon, Virginia, May 18, 1960; *educated* at East Tennessee State University (B.A.); University of Richmond (J.D.); married Lora Carr Chafin; *occupation*: attorney; *member*: Virginia State Bar; Virginia Bar Association; Virginia Trial Lawyers Association; Rotary International; NRA. Member of House: 2014. Member of Senate: 2014-.

**38th District:** All of Bland, Buchanan, Dickenson, Pulaski, Russell, and Tazewell Counties; all of the Cities of Norton and Radford; and part of Montgomery, Smyth, and Wise Counties.

**Committee Assignments:** Agriculture, Conservation and Natural Resources; Commerce and Labor; Courts of Justice; Privileges and Elections; Rehabilitation and Social Services

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## CHASE, AMANDA F.



*Eleventh Senatorial District*—Republican. Born in Sheffield, Alabama, December 1, 1969; *educated* at Monacan High School (1988); Virginia Polytechnic Institute and State University (B.S., Business, 1992); married to Michael Glen Chase, 25 years; four children; *occupation*: small business owner, financial services, political campaign grassroots management business; *member*: Cloverhill Assembly of God; Chesterfield County Republican Committee (2008-); *honors*: award for excellent service in management, Virginia Student Assistance Authorities. Member of Senate: 2016-.

**11th District:** All of Amelia County; all of the City of Colonial Heights; and part of Chesterfield County.

**Committee Assignments:** Education and Health; Local Government; Privileges and Elections; Transportation

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## COSGROVE, JOHN A., JR.



*Fourteenth Senatorial District* — Republican. Born in Montgomery, Alabama, June 7, 1954; *educated* at Tidewater Community College; Old Dominion University (B.S.); married Sue Ann Cosgrove; two children; *military service*: USN (1987-1999); *occupation*: Engineer; *member*: Rotary; Fraternal Order of Police; Supporter of Public Safety and Veterans; Past Chairman, Hampton Roads Caucus; Co-Chair, Fire and EMS Caucus; Co-Chair, National Guard Caucus; Chesapeake City Council (1998-2000); Vice Mayor (2000-2001). Member of

House: 2002-2013. Member of Senate: 2013-.

**14th District:** Part of Isle of Wight and Southampton counties; and part of the Cities of Chesapeake; Franklin; Portsmouth, Suffolk, and Virginia Beach.

**Committee Assignments:** Commerce and Labor; Education and Health; Privileges and Elections; Rehabilitation and Social Services; Transportation

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## DANCE, ROSALYN R.



*Sixteenth Senatorial District* —Democrat. Born in Chesterfield County, Virginia, February 10, 1948; *educated:* at John Tyler Community College (A.D., Nursing); Virginia State University (B.S., Nursing); Virginia Commonwealth University (M.P.A.); married Nathaniel A. Dance, Jr.; *occupation:* retired Mental Health Administrator; *member:* Gillfield Baptist Church; Co-Chair of the Virginia State University Agriculture Council Advisory Board; SunTrust Bank Regional Advisory Board; John Tyler Community College Foundation Board; Honorary Regional

Chairwoman of the Virginia Sexual and Domestic Violence Action Alliance; Honorary Board Member of the James House; Board of Directors for the Petersburg Community Development Corporation; Board of Directors of the Southside Area of Y.M.C.A.; Vice Chair of the Petersburg Democratic Committee; Fourth Congressional District Democratic Committee; Petersburg Alumnae Chapter of Delta Sigma Theta Sorority, Inc.; Petersburg Links, Inc.; Past President and Member of the Petersburg Breakfast Rotary Club; Chapter 33 Order of the Eastern Star. Member of House: 2005-2014. Member of Senate: 2014-.

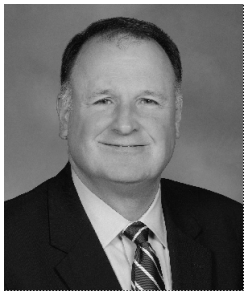
**16th District:** All of the Cities of Hopewell and Petersburg; part of Chesterfield, Dinwiddie, and Prince George Counties; and part of the City of Richmond.

**Committee Assignments:** Agriculture, Conservation and Natural Resources; Commerce and Labor; Finance; Privileges and Elections

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## DEEDS, R. CREIGH



*Twenty-fifth Senatorial District* — Democrat. Born in Richmond, Virginia, January 4, 1958; *educated at* Concord College (B.A., 1980); Wake Forest University School of Law (J.D., 1984); married Siobhan Deeds; *occupation:* lawyer; *member:* Millboro Presbyterian Church; Millboro Ruritan Club; Millboro AF&AM Masonic Lodge #28; *honors:* Warren Stambaugh Award (1998); Leadership in Public Policy Award (Nature Conservancy 1999); 2006 Profiles in Courage Award, Coalition of Labor Union Women Western Virginia Chapter; Virginia Association for Parks, 2007 Legislator of the Year; 2008 Legislator of the Year Award, The Washington DC Building Trades

Council; 2008 Col. Michael S. Harris (Ph.D.) Award, American Association of University Professors Virginia Conference; 2012 Enduring Support Award, Virginia Association of Parks; Outstanding Legislator of the Year for 2012, Virginia Sheriffs' Association; 2014 Richard T. Greer Advocacy Award, National Alliance on Mental Illness; 2014 Legislator of the Year Award, Psychiatric Society of Virginia; 2014 Outstanding Legislator Award, NAMI Virginia; 2015 State Legislator of the Year Award, American Psychological Association Practice Organization. Member of House: 1992-2001. Member of Senate: 2001-.

**25th District:** All of Alleghany, Bath, Highland, Nelson, and Rockbridge Counties; all of the Cities of Buena Vista, Charlottesville, Covington, and Lexington; and part of Albemarle County.

**Committee Assignments:** Courts of Justice; Privileges and Elections; Transportation

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## DeSTEPH, WILLIAM R., JR.



*Eighth Senatorial District* — Republican. Born in Hartford, Connecticut, October 28, 1964; *educated* at University of Maryland (B.S., Finance); *occupation*: entrepreneur; *military service*: USNR (retired); *member*: Virginia Beach City Council (2006-2013); Chesapeake Bay Restoration Fund Advisory Committee; Commission on Economic Opportunity for Virginians in Aspiring and Diverse Communities; Joint Commission on Administrative Rules (JCAR); Manufacturing Development Commission; Joint Commission to Evaluate Technology and Science; Joint Subcommittee to Evaluate

Tax Preferences; Joint Subcommittee to Study Alcohol Beverage Control Laws; Virginia Board of Workforce Development; Virginia War Memorial Board; Board Member: Children's Hospital of the King's Daughters; Prevent Child Abuse Hampton Roads; Boy Scouts of America Tidewater Council; the Noblemen; Hampton Roads Community Care; National Association of Home Builders; the Naval Special Warfare Foundation; Law Enforcement United. Member of House: 2014-2016; Member of Senate: 2016-.

**8th District:** Part of the City of Virginia Beach.

**Committee Assignments:** General Laws and Technology; Local Government; Privileges and Elections; Rehabilitation and Social Services; Transportation

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## DUNNAVANT, SIOBHAN S.



*Twelfth Senatorial District* — Republican. Born in Norfolk, Virginia, September 12, 1964; *educated* at Randolph Macon Women's College (B.A., Biology); University of Virginia (B.S.N., Nursing); Eastern Virginia Medical School (M.D.); married Lloyd Dunnavant; *occupation*: obstetrician and gynecologist; *member*: Medical Society of Virginia; American Medical Association; Richmond Academy of Medicine; Diplomate Fellow American Board of Obstetrics & Gynecology; Thrifty Sisters; *honors*: Alpha Omega Alpha Medical Honor Society. Member of Senate:

2016-.

**12th District:** Part of Hanover and Henrico Counties.

**Committee Assignments:** Education and Health; Finance; General Laws and Technology; Local Government

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## EBBIN, ADAM P.



*Thirtieth Senatorial District* — Democrat. Born in Huntington, New York, November 10, 1963; *educated* at American University (B.A., Public Communication and Political Science, 1985); *occupation*: consultant; *member*: American State Legislators for Gun Violence Prevention; NVTA - Northern Virginia Transportation Authority; *honors*: Chesapeake Climate Action Network Champion; Virginia League of Conservation Voters, Legislative Hero; Sierra Club Water Champion Award;

Virginia Education Association's Solid as a Rock for Public Education; Washington D.C. Area Building Trades Council Legislator of the Year; Equality Virginia Outstanding Virginian; University of Virginia Sorensen Institute; Harvard University, Kennedy School of Government Senior Government Executive Program. Member of House: 2004-2012. Member of Senate: 2012-.

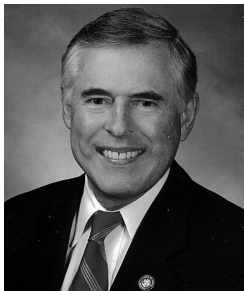
**30th District:** Part of Arlington and Fairfax Counties; and part of the City of Alexandria.

**Committee Assignments:** Agriculture, Conservation and Natural Resources; General Laws and Technology; Privileges and Elections

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## EDWARDS, JOHN S.



*Twenty-first Senatorial District* — Democrat. Born in Roanoke, Virginia, October 6, 1943; *educated* at Patrick Henry High School, 1962; Princeton University (A.B., 1966, *cum laude*); Union Theological Seminary (N.Y.), Rockefeller Brothers Theological Fellowship, 1966-67; University of Virginia Law School (J.D., 1970); *Virginia Law Review*; Omricon Delta Kappa; The Raven Society; married Catherine Dabney Edwards; three children and seven grandchildren; *occupation*: attorney at law; *military service*: Captain, USMC, 1971-73; *member*: Lutheran

Church (ELCA); United States Attorney for the Western District of Virginia (1980-81); Councilman (1993-95) and Vice Mayor (1994-95), City of Roanoke; Chairman, Roanoke Civic Center Commission (1990-92); Chairman, Virginia Lutheran Homes, Inc. (1986-98); Chairman, Virginia Bar Association's Criminal Law Committee/Section (1987-91); Member, Board of Governors, Virginia Bar Association (2012-14); Author, "Professional Responsibilities of the Federal Prosecutor," 17 *University of Richmond Law Review* 511 (1983); Patrick Henry High School Sports Hall of Fame; "Leader in the Law," *Virginia Law Weekly* (2012). Member of Senate: 1996-.

**21st District:** All of Giles County; all of the City of Roanoke; and part of Montgomery and Roanoke Counties.

**Committee Assignments:** Courts of Justice; Privileges and Elections; Transportation

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## FAVOLA, BARBARA A.



*Thirty-first Senatorial District* — Democrat. Born in New London, Connecticut, June 21, 1955; *educated* at St. Joseph College (B.S., 1977); New York University (M.P.A., 1980); married Douglas Karl Weik; *occupation*: development consultant in higher education; health policy analyst and government relations consultant; *member*: Child and Family Network Center; YMCA; CASA Fairfax Board; Board of Visitors for the Virginia Schools for the Deaf and Blind; Chair, Virginia Commission on Youth; Advisory Board, Virginia Tech School of Public and International Affairs; *chair*: Advisory Committee on Sexual and Domestic Violence; Senate Women's Reproductive Health Caucus;

former Arlington County Board member and chair (1997-2011); former chair, Greater Washington Council of Governments Chesapeake Bay Committee; *honors*: Phyllis Campbell Newsome Public Policy Leadership Award; Arlington Housing Corporation - Hall of Fame Award; Virginia Peters Nonprofit Friend of the Year Award from Housing Association of Nonprofit Developers; Arlington Partnership for Affordable Housing 2013 Affordable Housing Honoree; Legislative Champion Award Virginia Education Association; Virginia League of Conservation Voters, 100% rating; NARAL Pro-Choice 100% rating; 2013 Women Legislators' Lobby (WiLL) Pacesetter Award; 2015 Autism, Supporter of the Year. Member of Senate: 2012-.

**31st District:** Part of Arlington, Fairfax, and Loudoun Counties.

**Committee Assignments:** Local Government; Rehabilitation and Social Services; Transportation

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## HANGER, EMMETT W., JR.



*Twenty-fourth Senatorial District* — Republican. Born in Staunton, Virginia, August 2, 1948; *educated* at Ft. Defiance High School; James Madison University (B.S. in Management and Economics; M.B.A.); married Sharon Hanger; *occupation*: commercial real estate; *military service*: Army/National Guard, Captain (1972-83); *member*: Church of the Brethren; Past Chairman and Member of the Chesapeake Bay Commission (multi-state commission); Chair of the Board of Visitors for the Virginia Schools for the Deaf and Blind; Member of the Rappahannock River Basin Commission; Co-Chair of the

Virginia General Assembly Sportsman Caucus; active member of National Conference of State Legislatures - formerly serving on the Executive Committee and former Chair of the NCSL Budget and Revenues Committee; Chairman Emeritus and current Member of Frontier Culture Museum of Virginia Board of Trustees; Board of Trustees Member for New College Institute in Martinsville, Virginia; Member of Sangerville-Towers Ruritan Club; former Commissioner of the Revenue of Augusta County. Member of House: 1983-1992. Member of Senate: 1996-.

**24th District:** All of Augusta, Greene, and Madison Counties; all of the Cities of Staunton and Waynesboro; and part of Culpeper and Rockingham Counties.

**Committee Assignments:** Finance, Co-Chair; Agriculture, Conservation and Natural Resources; Local Government; Rehabilitation and Social Services; Rules

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## HOWELL, JANET D.



*Thirty-second Senatorial District* — Democrat. Born in Washington, D.C., May 7, 1944; *educated* at Oberlin College (B.A.); The University of Pennsylvania (M.A.); married to Hunt Howell since 1966; *member*: State Board of Social Services (Chair); Reston Community Association (President); Citizens Committee on Land Use and Transportation (Vice-Chair); Reston Council of PTAs and PTOs (President); 2006 National Child Advocate (American Academy of Pediatrics); Outstanding Legislative Service (Virginia Sheriffs' Association); Citizen of the Year

(*The Reston Times*); Restonian of the Year (Reston Community Association); Virginia Citizen of the Year (National Association of Social Workers); Woman of the Year, Network of Entrepreneurial Women; "Tech 10" Winner; Tech Tenure; Northern Virginia Technology Council; Legislator of the Year, Victims and Witnesses of Crime, Inc.; Senator of the Year, Fraternal Order of Police; "Community Champion" – Volunteer Fairfax; "Distinguished Leadership Award" – Northern Virginia Transportation Alliance; "Friend of Business" – Fairfax County Chamber of Commerce; "Legislator of the Year" – Virginia Housing Coalition; "Power Woman 2011, 2013, 2015" - *Washingtonian Magazine*. Member of Senate: 1992-.

**32nd District:** Part of Arlington and Fairfax Counties.

**Committee Assignments:** Courts of Justice; Education and Health; Finance; Privileges and Elections; Rules

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## LEWIS, LYNWOOD W., JR.



*Sixth Senatorial District* — Democrat. Born in Parksley, Virginia, November 26, 1961; *educated* at Hampden-Sydney College (B.A.); University of Richmond School of Law (J.D.); *occupation*: attorney; *member*: Methodist Church. Member of House: 2004-2014. Member of Senate: 2014-.

**6th District:** All of Accomack, Mathews, and Northampton Counties; and part of the Cities of Norfolk and Virginia Beach.

**Committee Assignments:** Agriculture, Conservation and Natural Resources; Education and Health; Local Government

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## LOCKE, MAMIE E.



*Second Senatorial District* — Democrat. Born in Brandon, Mississippi, March 19, 1954; *educated* at Tougaloo College (B.A.); Atlanta University (M.A., Ph.D.); Certificate in Management Development, Harvard University; Certificate in Archives Administration, Emory University/Georgia Department of Archives and History; *occupation*: Professor of Political Science, Hampton University; *member*: Roman Catholic Church; Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority, Inc., life member; Links, Incorporated; Transitions (Family Violence Services), board member; NAACP, life

member and former executive board member; TowneBank, former board member; Mayor of Hampton, 2000-2004; City Council, 1996-2000; Vice Mayor, 1998-2000; *honors*: Outstanding Public Service Award, Conference of Minority Public Administrators; Martin Luther King Memorial Award, Old Dominion University; Lawrence Bethel Woman of Courage Award, 100 Black Men of America; Marguerite Adams Award for Political Action, Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority; Peninsula Women's Forum, Thomas Nelson Community College, Outstanding Woman in Government; Fulbright-Hays Summer Seminars Abroad, U.S. Department of Education, Egypt Seminar; Outstanding Young Women of America; Christian R. and Mary F. Lindback Award for Distinguished Teaching, Hampton University; Who's Who Among Black Americans; Who's Who Among America's Teachers; Humanitarian Award, NCCJ; Trailblazer Award, Sigma Gamma Rho Sorority; Distinguished Citizen of the Year, CHUMS, Inc.; Citizen of the Year, Omega Psi Phi Fraternity; Recipient, Diane Blair Award, Outstanding Achievement in Politics and Government, Southern Political Science Association; Trailblazer Award, Virginia Leadership Institute; Legislator of the Year - Virginia Court Clerk's Association, Virginia Education Association, Virginia Association of Roofing Professionals. Member of Senate: 2004-.

**2nd District:** Part of York County; and part of the Cities of Hampton, Newport News, and Portsmouth.

**Committee Assignments:** Education and Health; General Laws and Technology; Rehabilitation and Social Services; Rules

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## LUCAS, L. LOUISE



*Eighteenth Senatorial District* — Democrat. Born in Portsmouth, Virginia, January 22, 1944; *educated* at Norfolk State University (B.S., Vocational-Industrial Education; M.A., Urban Affairs, with a concentration in Human Resources Planning and Administration, *magna cum laude*); *occupation*: President/CEO Lucas Lodge; President/CEO Portsmouth Day Support Program; *member*: Deaconess, New Mount Olivet Baptist Church; Greater Hampton Roads Black Chamber of Commerce, charter member; TowneBank (Portsmouth Advisory Board); The Virginia Legislative Black Caucus; National Congress of Black Women;

NAACP (Diamond Life Member); Norfolk State University Alumni Association; Golden Life Member, Delta Sigma Theta Sorority, Incorporated; The Links, Incorporated; The Torch Club of Portsmouth; Brighton Light Chapter Number 118, Order of Eastern Star, Prince Hall Affiliation of Virginia; former councilwoman, City of Portsmouth; *honors*: I.C. Norcom High School Alumni Association, Grand Reunion Award; The Southeastern Tidewater Opportunity Project, Legacy Award; The Emporia-Greenville Industrial Development Corporation Economic Development Leadership Award. Member of Senate: 1992-.

**18th District:** All of Greenville and Sussex Counties; all of the City of Emporia; part of Brunswick, Isle of Wight, Southampton, and Surry Counties; and part of the Cities of Chesapeake, Franklin, Portsmouth, and Suffolk.

**Committee Assignments:** Commerce and Labor; Courts of Justice; Education and Health; Finance

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## MARSDEN, DAVID W.



*Thirty-seventh Senatorial District* — Democrat. Born in Alexandria, Virginia, April 5, 1948; *educated* at Randolph-Macon College; married Julia Marsden; *occupation*: former Chief Deputy/Acting Director, Virginia Department of Juvenile Justice, 2000-2002; *member*: Board of Directors, Fairfax Court Appointed Special Advocates, 2007-present; former President, Virginia Juvenile Justice Association; former President, Virginia Council on Juvenile Detention. Member of House: 2006-2010.

Member of Senate: 2010-.

**37th District:** Part of Fairfax County.

**Committee Assignments:** Agriculture, Conservation and Natural Resources; Local Government; Transportation

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## MASON, T. MONTGOMERY



*First Senatorial District* — Democrat. Born in Richmond, Virginia, September 8, 1967; *educated* at The College of William and Mary (B.A., Government); married Pamela Henney Mason; *occupation*: former Senior Director, Visa, Inc.; *member*: Greater Williamsburg Chamber and Tourism Alliance, Board; Smart Beginnings Virginia Peninsula, Board; Sorenson Institute Statewide Advisory Board. Member of House: 2014-2016; Member of Senate: 2016-.

**1st District:** All of the City of Williamsburg; part of James City and York Counties; and part of the Cities of Hampton, Newport News, and Suffolk.

**Committee Assignments:** Agriculture, Conservation and Natural Resources; General Laws and Technology; Rehabilitation and Social Services

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## McCLELLAN, JENNIFER L.



*Ninth Senatorial District* — Democrat. Born in Petersburg, Virginia, December 28, 1972; *educated* at University of Richmond (B.A.); University of Virginia (J.D.); married David J. Mills; *occupation*: attorney; *member*: Delta Sigma Theta; Virginia Bar Association; Virginia State Bar; Southern Region Education Board Legislative Advisory Council; YWCA Richmond; Children’s Museum of Richmond; Democratic National Committee; *honors*: YWCA Richmond Outstanding Woman Law and Government (2014); Richmond Bar Association Oliver Hill Award (2016); EMILY’S List Gabrielle Giffords Rising Star Award Finalist (2017). Member of House: 2006-2017. Member of Senate: 2017-.

**9th District:** All of Charles City County; part of Hanover and Henrico Counties; and part of the City of Richmond.

**Committee Assignments:** Agriculture, Conservation and Natural Resources; Local Government; Transportation

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## McDOUGLE, RYAN T.



*Fourth Senatorial District* — Republican. Born in Hanover, Virginia, November 9, 1971; *educated* at Lee Davis High School, Mechanicsville, Virginia; James Madison University (B.S., Political Science and History); Marshall-Wythe School of Law, The College of William and Mary (J.D.); married Robyn Diehl McDougle; *occupation*: attorney; *member*: Baptist Church; Republican Caucus Chairman; Virginia Supreme Court Committee on District Courts; Virginia Code Commission; Women of Virginia Commemorative Commission;

Jamestown-Yorktown Foundation; Virginia Indian Commemorative Commission; VCU Health Systems, board member; *former member*: former Hanover Prosecutor; Virginia Alcohol Safety Action Program; *founding member*: Hanover Child Abuse Response Team; VA FFA Foundation Board; Hanover Domestic Violence Task Force. Member of House: 2002-2006. Member of Senate: 2006-.

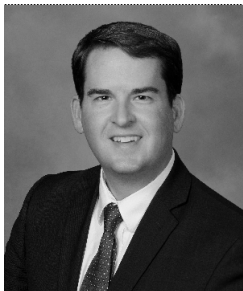
**4th District:** All of Caroline, Essex, Lancaster, Middlesex, Northumberland and Richmond Counties; and part of Hanover, King George, Spotsylvania and Westmoreland Counties.

**Committee Assignments:** Rules, Chair; Commerce and Labor; Courts of Justice; Finance; Rehabilitation and Social Services

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## McPIKE, JEREMY S.



*Twenty-ninth Senatorial District* — Democrat. Born in Washington, D.C., September 19, 1975; *educated* at George Mason University (B.A. Government, M.P.A.); married Sharon L. McPike; *occupation*: Director, General Services, City of Alexandria; *member*: Sacred Heart Catholic Church; Dale City Volunteer Fire Department, Captain; *honors*: Life Member, Dale City Volunteer Fire Department. Member of Senate: 2016-.

**29th District:** All of the Cities of Manassas and Manassas Park; and part of Prince William County.

**Committee Assignments:** General Laws and Technology; Local Government; Rehabilitation and Social Services

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## NEWMAN, STEPHEN D.



*Twenty-third Senatorial District* — Republican. Born October 15, 1964; *educated* at Central Virginia Community College and Lynchburg College; married Kimberley Ann Newman; children: Tyler, Wesley; *occupation*: Vice President of Marketing and Sales, Board Member Delta Star, Inc.; *member*: Lynchburg City Council (1988-91). Member of House: 1991-1996. Member of Senate: 1996-. President pro tempore (2016-).

**23rd District:** All of Botetourt and Craig Counties; part of Bedford, Campbell, and Roanoke Counties; and part of the City of Lynchburg.

**Committee Assignments:** Education and Health, Chair; Commerce and Labor; Finance; Transportation; Rules

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## NORMENT, THOMAS K., JR.



*Third Senatorial District* — Republican. Born in Richmond, Virginia, April 12, 1946; *educated* at James Blair High School, Williamsburg, Virginia; Virginia Military Institute (B.A.); Marshall-Wythe School of Law (J.D.); *occupation*: attorney with Kaufman & Canoles; Teaching Fellow, The College of William and Mary; *member*: Bruton Parish Church; James City County Board of Supervisors (1988-91, Chairman 1991); Jamestown-Yorktown Foundation; VMI Foundation (1997-2005); JLARC (1998-),

Chairman (2006-2008); TowneBank Williamsburg Board of Directors, Chairman; TowneBank Hampton Roads Board of Directors; Colonial Williamsburg Foundation Board of Trustees; Virginia State Crime Commission, Chairman. Senate Minority Leader (2008-2012; 2014); Senate Majority Leader (2012-2014; 2014-). Member of Senate: 1992-.

**3rd District:** All of Gloucester, King and Queen, King William, and New Kent Counties; all of the City of Poquoson; part of Isle of Wight, James City, Surry, and York Counties; and part of the Cities of Hampton and Suffolk.

**Committee Assignments:** Finance, Co-Chair; Commerce and Labor; Courts of Justice; Rules

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## OBENSHAIN, MARK D.



*Twenty-sixth Senatorial District* — Republican. Born in Richmond, Virginia, June 11, 1962; *educated* at Virginia Tech (B.A., 1984); Washington and Lee University School of Law (J.D., 1987); married Suzanne Speas Obenshain; *occupation*: Principal with Obenshain Law Group; *member*: First Presbyterian Church; Board of Visitors, James Madison University (1995-2003); Mercy House, Inc., Board of Directors (1993-2006); Harrisonburg Rotary Club. Member of

Senate: 2004-.

**26th District:** All of Page, Rappahannock, Shenandoah, and Warren Counties; all of the City of Harrisonburg; and part of Rockingham County.

**Committee Assignments:** Courts of Justice, Chair; Agriculture, Conservation and Natural Resources; Commerce and Labor; Finance; Rules

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## PEAKE, MARK J.



*Twenty-second Senatorial District* — Republican. Born in Greensboro, North Carolina, January 19, 1963; raised in Roanoke, Virginia; *educated* at Virginia Polytechnic Institute and State University (B.A. 1985); Washington and Lee University School of Law (J.D., 1988); married Lila A. Peake; *occupation*: attorney; *member*: Commonwealth Transportation Board (2009-2013). Member of Senate: 2017-.

**22nd District:** All of Amherst, Appomattox, Buckingham, Cumberland, Fluvanna, Goochland, and Prince Edward Counties; part of Louisa County; and part of the City of Lynchburg.

**Committee Assignments:** Courts of Justice; Education and Health; Privileges and Elections; Transportation

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## PETERSEN, J. CHAPMAN



*Thirty-fourth Senatorial District* — Democrat. Born in Washington, D.C., March 27, 1968; *educated* at Williams College, (B.A.); University of Virginia, (J.D.); married Sharon Kim Petersen; *occupation:* attorney; *member:* Truro Anglican Church; Fairfax County Bar Association; Virginia State Bar; Northern Virginia Rugby Football Club; Fairfax City Council (1998-2001). Member of House: 2002-2006. Member of Senate:

2008-.

**34th District:** All of the City of Fairfax; and part of Fairfax County.

**Committee Assignments:** Agriculture, Conservation and Natural Resources; Courts of Justice; Education and Health;

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## REEVES, BRYCE E.



*Seventeenth Senatorial District* — Republican. Born in California, November 28, 1966; *educated* at Texas A & M University (B.S.); George Mason University (M.P.A., Public Administration); University of Virginia, Sorensen Political Leaders Program; married Anne K. Reeves; *occupation*: full service provider of insurance and financial products; *military service*: USA (1989-2001); *member*: Spotswood Baptist Church, deacon; The Gideons International; N.R.A.; Virginia

Shooting Sports Association. Member of Senate: 2012-.

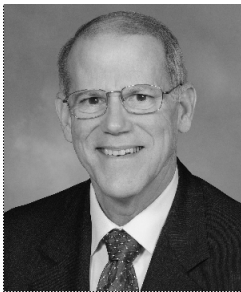
**17th District:** All of Orange County; all of the City of Fredericksburg; and part of Albemarle, Culpeper, Louisa, and Spotsylvania Counties.

**Committee Assignments:** Rehabilitation and Social Services, Chair; Courts of Justice; General Laws and Technology; Privileges and Elections; Rules

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## RUFF, FRANK M., JR.



*Fifteenth Senatorial District* — Republican. Born in Bedford County, Virginia, September 22, 1949; *educated* at University of Richmond; married Jessica Bowne Ruff; children: Frank Miller III, Thomas, David, and Genny; *occupation*: business owner; *military service*: USAR, 1971-1977; *member*: Clarksville Presbyterian Church, Trustee; Lake Country Chamber of Commerce (Past President); Roanoke River Basin Association (Past Vice President); Vice Chairman, Mecklenburg Board of

Supervisors (1987-1991); Chairman, Lake Country Distance Education Center; Center for Rural Virginia, (Past Chairman); *honors*: Clarksville Citizen of the Year (1984). Member of House: 1994-2000. Member of Senate: 2000-.

**15th District:** All of Charlotte, Lunenburg, Mecklenburg, and Nottoway Counties; part of Brunswick, Campbell, Dinwiddie, Halifax, Pittsylvania, and Prince George Counties; and part of the City of Danville.

**Committee Assignments:** General Laws and Technology, Chair; Agriculture, Conservation and Natural Resources; Finance; Privileges and Elections; Rules

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## SASLAW, RICHARD L.



*Thirty-fifth Senatorial District* — Democrat. Born in Washington, D.C., February 5, 1940; *educated* at University of Maryland (B.S. in Economics); married Eleanor Barbara Berman; daughter, Jennifer; *military service*: USA (1958-1960); Democratic Floor Leader, Senate (1996-1998); Minority Leader (1998-2008; 2012-2014; 2014-); Majority Leader (2008-2012; 2014). Member of House: 1976-1980. Member of Senate: 1980-.

**35th District:** All of the City of Falls Church; part of Fairfax County; and part of the City of Alexandria.

**Committee Assignments:** Commerce and Labor; Courts of Justice; Education and Health; Finance; Rules

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## SPRUILL, LIONELL, SR.



*Fifth Senatorial District* — Democrat. Born in City of South Norfolk, Virginia, December 28, 1946; *educated* at G. W. Carver High School; Norfolk State University (Doctor of Laws); *occupation*: retired from Bell Atlantic Telephone Company (Verizon); *member*: St. Joseph AME Zion Church, Chesapeake, lifelong member and current Trustee; most worshipful past Grand Master of the Prince Hall Grand Lodge of Virginia; former member and chairman, Chesapeake Planning Commission; member, Chesapeake City Council (1988-1993); life member, Chesapeake NAACP. Member of House: 1994-2016. Member of Senate: 2016-.

**5th District:** Part of the Cities of Chesapeake and Norfolk.

**Committee Assignments:** Commerce and Labor; Privileges and Elections; Rehabilitation and Social Services

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## STANLEY, WILLIAM M., JR.



*Twentieth Senatorial District* — Republican. Born in Milton, Florida, July 21, 1967; *educated* at Hampden-Sydney College (B.S.), District of Columbia School of Law (J.D.); married Laura Stanley; *occupation*: attorney; *member*: Methodist Church; Rotary; Virginia Trial Lawyers Association; Chamber of Commerce; Joint Committee of Senate Local Government and Transportation to Study Construction of Interstate 73, Chairman; Coal and Energy Commission; Frontier Culture Museum of Virginia, Board of Trustees; Manufacturing Development Commission; New College

Institute, Chairman of the Board of Directors; Online Virginia Network Authority Board of Trustees, Vice Chairman; Southwest Virginia Public Education Consortium Governing Board; State Water Commission; Tobacco Region Revitalization Commission; Virginia Delegation of the Roanoke River Basin Bi-State Commission; Virginia Housing Commission; Western Virginia Public Education Consortium, Senator representing 20th District. . Member of Senate: 2011-.

**20th District:** All of Henry and Patrick Counties; all of the Cities of Galax and Martinsville; part of Carroll, Franklin, Halifax, and Pittsylvania Counties; and part of the City of Danville.

**Committee Assignments:** Local Government, Chair; Agriculture, Conservation and Natural Resources; Commerce and Labor; Courts of Justice; Rules

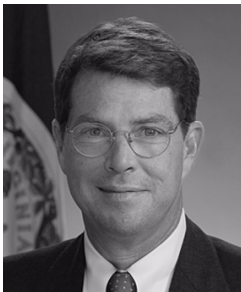
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## STUART, RICHARD H.



*Twenty-eighth Senatorial District — Republican. Born in Fredericksburg, Virginia, January 6, 1964; educated at Virginia Wesleyan College, (B.A.); T.C. Williams School of Law (J.D.); married Lisa Kraus Stuart; occupation: attorney at law; military service: USMCR (1984-1992); member: Episcopal Church; Woodland Academy (Past Chairman of the Board); Virginia State Bar 6th District Disciplinary Committee (Past Chairman); Trustee, Westmoreland County Volunteer Fire Department; Northern Neck Bar Association; Virginia Trial Lawyers Association; Northern Neck Land*

*Conservancy; Potomac Watershed Roundtable Commission; Rappahannock River Basin Commission; State Water Control Board; Energy & Environment Commission; Bay Trust Company (former Board Member); Bank of Lancaster (former Board Member); Riverside Tappahannock Hospital (former Board Member); George Washington National Memorial Foundation (former Board Member); Governor's Appointee for Atlantic States Marine Fisheries Commission; Commission on VSAP; Vice-Chairman, FOIA Advisory Council; Indigent Defense Commission; Special Committee on Criminal Discovery Rules; Committee on District Courts. Member of Senate: 2008-.*

**28th District:** Part of King George, Prince William, Spotsylvania, Stafford, and Westmoreland Counties.

**Committee Assignments:** Agriculture, Conservation and Natural Resources, Chair; Commerce and Labor; Courts of Justice; Finance; Rules

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## STURTEVANT, GLEN H., JR.



*Tenth Senatorial District* — Republican. Born in Wilmington, Delaware, September 13, 1982; *educated* at Catholic University (B.A.); George Mason University School of Law (J.D.); married Lori Cochrane Sturtevant; *occupation*: attorney, Rawls Law Group; *member*: St. Bridget Catholic Church; Richmond City School Board (2012-2016); Virginia Bar Association; Richmond Bar Association; past regional chair, Virginia Bar Association Legal Food Frenzy; past vice-chair Federal Bar Association Young Lawyers Division, Richmond Chapter; past board member

Richmond Bar Association Young Lawyers Section; past Board of Trustees member; Richmond Public Schools Education Foundation; past chair Emergency Legal Services, Virginia State Bar; *honors*: Rising Star, Virginia Super Lawyers Magazine; Virginia State Bar Young Lawyers Conference Service Award. Member of Senate: 2016-.

**10th District:** All of Powhatan County; part of Chesterfield County; and part of the City of Richmond.

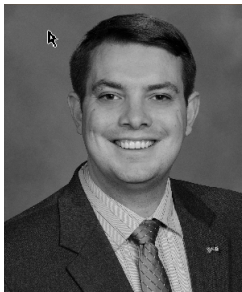
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## SUETTERLEIN, DAVID R.



*Nineteenth Senatorial District* — Republican. Born on January 4, 1985; *educated* at Grove City College (B.A.); married Ashley Suetterlein; *occupation*: Realtor; *member*: Roanoke County Republican Party (Chair 2012-2016; Secretary 2008-2012); Roanoke Valley Association of Realtors. Member of Senate: 2016-.

**19th District:** All of Floyd County; all of the City of Salem; and part of Bedford, Carroll, Franklin, Montgomery, Roanoke, and Wythe Counties.

**Committee Assignments:** Agriculture, Conservation and Natural Resources; Education and Health; General Laws and Technology; Transportation

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## SUROVELL, SCOTT A.



*Thirty-sixth Senatorial District* — Democrat. Born in Washington, D.C., August 21, 1971; *educated* at James Madison University (B.A.); University of Virginia School of Law (J.D.); married Erinn M. Madden; *occupation*: attorney. Member of House: 2010-2016. Member of Senate: 2016-.

**36th District:** Part of Fairfax, Prince William, and Stafford Counties.

**Committee Assignments:** General Laws and Technology; Local Government; Rehabilitation and Social Services

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## VOGEL, JILL HOLTZMAN



*Twenty-seventh Senatorial District — Republican.* Born in Roanoke, Virginia, July 6, 1970; *educated* at The College of William and Mary, (B.A.); DePaul University School of Law, (J.D.); married Alexander Nicholas Vogel; *occupation:* attorney; *member:* Trinity Episcopal Church; Warrenton Rotary; Fauquier Chamber of Commerce; Top of Virginia Chamber of Commerce; Board of Trustees of the Land Conservation Foundation; Board of Directors of Virginia YMCA (former); Board of Directors of Belle Grove, Inc. (former); Co-Chair, Joint Subcommittee to Evaluate Tax Preferences; Virginia Outdoors Foundation (two past terms); Commemorative

Commission to Honor the Contributions of the Women of Virginia; *honors:* Legislator of the Year, Virginia State Police; Champion of Justice, Virginia Association of Commonwealth Attorneys; Legislator of the Year, Virginia Treasurers Association; Legislative Hero, Virginia League of Conservation Voters; Legislator of the Year, Virginia Court Clerks Association; Lord Fairfax Soil and Water Conservation Board; Outstanding Legislative Leadership for Conservation Award; Legislator of the Year, Commissioners of the Revenue Association of Virginia; Virginia Education Association Legislative Champion Award; ARC of Virginia Catalyst for Change Award. Member of Senate: 2008-.

**27th District:** All of Clarke, Fauquier, and Frederick Counties; all of the City of Winchester; and part of Culpeper, Loudoun, and Stafford Counties.

**Committee Assignments:** Privileges and Elections, Chair; Finance; General Laws and Technology; Rules

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## WAGNER, FRANK W.



*Seventh Senatorial District*—Republican. Born at USAF Base, Ruislip, England, July 18, 1955; *educated* at USNA (B.S., Ocean Engineering); *occupation*: consultant; *military service*: USN (1973-1982); *member*: Methodist Church; Naval Academy Alumni Association; Virginia Aquarium Board; Mariners Museum Board; Chesapeake Bay Commission (Chairman); Frontier Culture Museum Board of Trustees; Hampton Roads Transportation Accountability

Commission (Finance Chair); *honors*: various Navy commendations. Member of House: 1992-2001. Member of Senate: 2001-.

**7th District:** Part of the Cities of Norfolk and Virginia Beach.

**Committee Assignments:** Commerce and Labor, Chair; Finance; Rehabilitation and Social Services; Rules

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*Thirty-third Senatorial District* — Democrat. Born in Washington, D.C., May 27, 1968; *educated* at University of Maryland (B.A.); The College of William and Mary, Marshall-Wythe School of Law (J.D.); married Andrew L. Wexton; *occupation*: attorney; *member*: Loudoun County Community Services Board, 2009-2010; Loudoun County Bar Association, President, 2010-2011; Special Justice, 2008-2010; Substitute Judge, 2010-2011. Member of Senate: 2014.

**33rd District:** Part of Fairfax and Loudoun Counties.

**Committee Assignments:** General Laws and Technology;  
Rehabilitation and Social Services; Transportation

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## **RULES OF THE SENATE**

**Adopted January 13, 2016**

### **I.**

#### **Presiding Officer.**

1. The presiding officer of the Senate shall be the Lieutenant Governor of the Commonwealth as the President of the Senate in accordance with Article V, Section 14, of the Constitution.

2 (a). There shall be elected by the Senate, on the first day of the session following the election of the Senate, a President pro tempore who shall serve for a term coincident with the member's current term of office and be a senior member in the Senate.

2 (b). In the event of the absence, disability or vacancy in the office of the Lieutenant Governor, the President pro tempore shall carry out the duties of the Lieutenant Governor as presiding officer.

2 (c). The President pro tempore shall have the right to name in open session, or if he is absent, in writing, a Senator to perform the duties of the presiding officer, but such substitution shall not extend beyond an adjournment of a daily session, except by unanimous consent of those present.

2 (d). In the event of a vacancy in the office of the Lieutenant Governor, or whenever the powers and duties of the Governor shall devolve upon the Lieutenant Governor, the President pro tempore shall have the right to name, in writing, a Senator to perform the duties of the presiding officer during his absence; and the Senator so named shall have the right to name, in open session, or in writing, if he is absent, a Senator to perform the duties of the presiding officer, but such substitution shall not extend beyond adjournment of a daily session, except by unanimous consent of those present.

3. The presiding officer, after taking the Chair pursuant to these Rules, and a quorum being present, shall cause the Journal of the

preceding day to be read. The reading of the Journal may be waived by a majority of those Senators present and voting. The reading of the Journal may be waived at a reconvened session of a special session by at least two members present and voting, only if there is no business to consider in accordance to Article IV, Section 6 of the Constitution of Virginia. Any errors in the entries shall be corrected, and the Journal being found correct, shall be signed by the presiding officer for that day and the Clerk of the Senate. The Journals, when so signed, shall be the official records of the proceedings of the Senate.

4. If any question is put upon a bill or resolution, the presiding officer shall state the same without argument.

## II.

### **Membership, Attendance, and Adjournment.**

5. A member of the Senate shall be a Senator elected to represent one of the 40 senatorial districts. A majority of Senators shall constitute a quorum to do business; two may adjourn, and nine may order a call of the Senate, send for absentees, and make any order for their censure or discharge. However, not less than 16 may meet by proclamation of the Governor under the provisions of Article IV, Section 8 of the Constitution. At a special session or a reconvened session of a special session when there is no business to consider in accordance with Article IV, Section 6 of the Constitution of Virginia, two members may convene the Senate, dispense with the reading of the Journal, recess or adjourn the Senate.

6. No Senator shall absent himself from the service of the Senate without leave.

## III.

### **The Pages.**

7. The Senate shall elect 20 Pages in accordance with an appointment process approved by the Clerk, in consultation with the Chair of the Committee on Rules, that includes geographical diversity and ensures that each Senator has an appointment for one long (60 days) session and one short (46 days) session during a term. Six Pages shall be appointed by the following: one by the Lieutenant Governor; one by the President pro tempore; one by the chair of the caucus of the majority party; one by the majority leader; one by the chair of the caucus of the minority party; and one by the minority leader. The Clerk may also appoint such number of additional Pages as may be required. The Pages shall be no less than 13 and no more than 14 years of age at the time of election or appointment, shall be residents of the Commonwealth of Virginia, and shall be elected or appointed for a term of one year. No Page shall be eligible for reelection. Any such Page so elected or appointed may be suspended or dismissed for cause by the Clerk of the Senate.

#### IV.

##### **The Clerk of the Senate.**

8 (a). A Clerk of the Senate shall be elected by the Senate for a term of four years and shall thereafter continue in office until another is chosen. The oath of office shall be administered to the Clerk of the Senate by any person qualified by law to administer oaths. If a vacancy in the office of Clerk of the Senate occurs when the General Assembly is not in session, a successor shall be elected by the Committee on Rules to serve until the first day of the next session, at a meeting to be called by the Chair, or in his absence or inability to act, the next senior member of such Committee able and willing to do so. At least five days notice by certified mail of the time, place and purpose of the meeting shall be given all members of the Committee, and, at such meeting, the person receiving the votes of a majority of the members present and voting shall be elected to fill the vacancy.

8 (b). The Clerk of the Senate shall be the custodian of the public seal and design of armorial bearings of the Senate.



8 (c). The Clerk of the Senate shall be the custodian of all records and papers of the Senate and the Clerk shall not suffer any such records or papers to be taken from the Clerk's desk or out of the Clerk's custody by any person except the Chair or the clerk of a Committee, or any Senator on taking receipts for same. Amendments agreed to by the Senate shall be handled only by the Clerk of the Senate, or staff members designated by the Clerk.

8 (d). It shall be the duty of the Clerk of the Senate to refer all bills and resolutions to the appropriate standing Committee or the Committee on Rules as provided in these Rules. If there is any objection as to the referral by the Clerk of the Senate of any bill or resolution to any standing committee or the Committee on Rules, the Committee on Rules shall hear the same, resolve the issue and report to the Senate.

8 (e). The Clerk of the Senate shall prepare a list of the Senators in order of seniority. Seniority shall be based upon longest continuous service in the Senate. However, if a Senator has previous interrupted service in the Senate, then the beginning date of such previous Senate service shall qualify the Senator for seniority before those Senators elected at the same time not having previous service in the Senate, and if a Senator has previous service in the House of Delegates then seniority shall be based upon longest continuous service in the House of Delegates and shall qualify the Senator to seniority before those Senators elected to the Senate at the same time not having previous service in the House of Delegates. Senators elected at the same time without previous service in the Senate or House of Delegates shall have their seniority determined by a public drawing of lots, conducted by the Clerk of the Senate, to which all Senators involved shall be invited to attend. After the name of each Senator there shall be indicated the name of the political party under which the Senator was elected or abbreviation of the same; e.g., "Rep." or "Dem." If a Senator was not elected as a nominee of a political party, then such Senator shall be listed as an Independent, or "Ind."; however, if any Senator is elected at a special or general election and such Senator has, prior to such election, declared himself

in writing a member of a political party during and prior to such election and the political party of his choice did not hold a convention or call a primary election for such election, such Senator shall be listed as a member of the party of which he declared himself a member.

8 (f). The Clerk of the Senate, after the election of Senators, shall assign chamber desks to the individual Senators with the Senators elected as members of the majority party in the Senate in the chamber area beginning at the south side of the chamber until all such desks have been assigned, and then the Senators elected as members of the minority party in the Senate, and then any Senator not elected as a member of the two major political parties. The Clerk of the Senate shall also assign office space in such buildings as may be made available for the use of the Senate. Whenever feasible, the Clerk of the Senate shall give due consideration in assigning chamber desks and office space to the seniority and request of a Senator. However, the chamber desk or office space of a Senator having immediate prior service in the Senate shall not be reassigned unless he shall so request the Clerk of the Senate.

Should any Senator, however, during his term of office, cease to be a member of the political party of which he was a member at the time of his election either by self-declaration or through other conduct as confirmed by a two-thirds majority of the members elected to the Senate, or if a special election results in a change of political party membership, the Clerk of the Senate, upon such change in political party membership, is authorized to reassign chamber desks and office space accordingly.

8 (g). The area of the General Assembly Building assigned to the members of the Senate, their legislative support staff, the staff of the Senate, the facilities and space for those charged with the maintenance, repair, and security of such building, and such space designated for the news media shall not be utilized or occupied as office space by any other person or persons, except by vote of the Committee on Rules.

8 (h). During the sessions, the Clerk shall provide office supplies for official use by the Senators.

9. The Journal of the Senate shall be daily drawn up by the Clerk of the Senate, and shall be read the succeeding day, unless the reading thereof is waived as provided in these Rules; it shall be printed under the supervision of the Clerk of the Senate and delivered to the Senators without delay.

10 (a). The Clerk of the Senate shall appoint a chief deputy clerk and such staff as necessary to perform the work of the Senate. The Clerk may also appoint such number of additional Pages as may be required. The Clerk of the Senate shall also appoint such committee clerks as may be necessary after consultation with, and the approval of, the Chair of the Committee on Rules and the Chairs of the several Committees. The Clerk of the Senate shall also appoint such additional committee staff as may be necessary after consultation with, and the approval of, the Chair of the Committee on Rules. All committee clerks so appointed shall remain in the Capitol or other legislative facilities during the daily sessions of the Senate, and committee clerks shall be assigned for duties with various standing Committees by the Clerk of the Senate, after consultation by the Clerk of the Senate and with the approval of the Chair of each such Committee. Additional committee staff shall be assigned for duties with various standing Committees by the Clerk of the Senate, after consultation with, and the approval of, the Chair on the Committee on Rules and the Chair of the respective Committee. Each clerk shall perform any other duties that the Clerk of the Senate shall require, when not employed by their respective standing Committees. Clerks may be removed by the Clerk of the Senate, after consultation with, and the approval of, the Chair of the Committee on Rules. Additional committee staff may be removed by the Clerk of the Senate, after consultation with, and the approval of, the Chair of the Committee on Rules. The Clerk of the Senate shall have supervision over all employees of the Senate.

10 (b). The Clerk of the Senate shall be the clerk to the

## Committee on Rules.

11 (a). Before reading each bill or resolution by title, the Clerk of the Senate shall announce, either by individual bill or resolution or en bloc, whether it is the first, second, or third time of such reading.

11 (b). The Clerk of the Senate shall keep at the Clerk's desk, during the sittings of the Senate, a calendar which shows the business of the Senate. The Clerk shall make available to each member, before the assembling of the Senate each day, a calendar of pending bills and resolutions. The Clerk shall prepare a list of all bills and resolutions offered on the preceding day, with the names of the patrons, titles of the bills or resolutions, and the Committees to which the same have been referred under these Rules.

12. It shall be the duty of the Clerk of the Senate, without special order therefor, to communicate to the House of Delegates any action of the Senate upon business coming from the House of Delegates, or upon matters requiring the concurrence of that body, but no such communication shall be made in relation to any action of the Senate while it remains open for consideration.

13. The Clerk of the Senate shall, at the beginning of the term after the election of Senators, have printed the Senate manual and rules, the Constitution of Virginia and the Constitution of the United States for the use of the Senators.

14 (a). Whenever the Clerk of the Senate is absent, the chief deputy clerk appointed pursuant to law and these Rules shall exercise the powers and perform the duties conferred and imposed upon the Clerk of the Senate by law and these Rules, by and with the consent of the Committee on Rules.

14 (b). In the discharge of all the duties assigned to the Clerk, and such other duties as the Clerk may from time to time undertake, the Clerk shall be subject to the direction of the Committee on Rules.

### **Sergeant-at-Arms and Doorkeepers.**

15. A Sergeant-at-Arms shall be elected by the Senate, and shall continue in office at the pleasure of the Committee on Rules for a term not exceeding four years. Except as otherwise provided by these Rules, his duties shall be prescribed by the Committee on Rules.

16. Except by order of the Senate, no Senator shall be taken into custody by the Sergeant-at-Arms on any grounds other than to quell a breach of the peace until the matter is examined by the Committee on Privileges and Elections and reported to the Senate.

17 (a). The Doorkeepers shall be constantly at their post during the daily sessions of the Senate and shall permit no one to enter freely or remain upon the floor of the Senate during the daily session, except the President of the Senate; members of the General Assembly; and officers and employees of the Clerk of the Senate and the Clerk of the House of Delegates.

17 (b). Members of a Senator's family and such persons whom a Senator may invite shall be entitled to seats in a reserved section of the gallery. Representatives of the news media may also be entitled to seats in a reserved section of the gallery.

17 (c). Fifteen minutes prior to the convening of every daily session, the Sergeant-at-Arms shall clear the floor of the Senate of all persons other than those who are authorized to be there during each session and shall not permit unauthorized persons upon the floor of the Senate for five minutes following the conclusion of every daily session.

17 (d). Interviews are not allowed in the Senate Chamber during the daily session or during the recesses during the daily session. Interviews in the Senate Chamber shall end 15 minutes prior to the scheduled start of the daily session and shall not commence until five minutes after the adjournment of the daily session.

17 (e). Whenever any person requests an interview with a Senator or the Clerk of the Senate, a Doorkeeper shall send the request

by a Page.

17 (f). A Doorkeeper shall direct all persons not entitled to entry on the floor of the Senate, as set out above, to the gallery of the Senate.

## VI.

### Standing Committees.

18. At the commencement of each session after the election of Senators, a nominations report shall be submitted by the majority caucus to elect members to the standing Committees and the Committee on Rules for terms coincident with their terms of office in such numbers as hereinafter set forth. Such members shall be elected by a majority vote of those present and voting.

18 (a). A Committee on Agriculture, Conservation and Natural Resources, 15 Senators, to consider matters concerning agriculture; air and water pollution and solid waste disposal; conservation of land and water resources; crustaceans and bivalves; all matters of environment, forest, fresh and salt water fishing, game, mining, parks and recreation, and petroleum products.

18 (b). A Committee on Commerce and Labor, 15 Senators, to consider all matters concerning banking; commerce; commercial law; corporations; economic development; industry; insurance; labor; manufacturing; partnerships; public utilities, except matters relating to transportation; tourism; workmen's compensation and unemployment matters.

18 (c). A Committee for Courts of Justice, 15 Senators, to consider matters relating to the Courts of the Commonwealth and the Justices and Judges thereof, including the nominations of such Justices and Judges where provided by the Constitution and statutes of Virginia; and all matters concerning the criminal laws of the Commonwealth; together with all matters concerning contracts,

domestic relations, eminent domain, fiduciaries, firearms, garnishments, homestead and all other exemptions, immigration (with the exception of matters relating to the powers of the Governor or education), magistrates, mechanics' and other liens, notaries public and out-of-state commissioners, property and conveyances (except landlord and tenant and condominium matters), wills and decedents' estates.

It shall report to the Senate the names of such persons as it shall find qualified for election as a Justice or Judge of the Commonwealth. Senators, all or part of whose Senate Districts are within the Circuit or District for which a Judge is to be elected, shall nominate a qualified person for such election by affirmation of a majority of such Senators on a form provided by the Clerk of the Senate. If such Senators are unable to agree on a nominee, a Senator shall only nominate a person deemed qualified by the Committee for Courts of Justice for any judicial position.

Whenever a vacancy in the office of a justice of the Supreme Court or judge of the Court of Appeals is announced, the Chair of the Committee for Courts of Justice shall establish a date certain by which any Senator may forward the name of any potential nominee for such office to the Chair.

18 (d). A Committee on Education and Health, 15 Senators, to consider matters concerning education; human reproduction; life support; persons under disability; public buildings; public health; mental health; mental retardation and health professions.

18 (e). A Committee on Finance, 15 Senators, to consider matters concerning auditing; bills and resolutions for appropriations; the budget of the Commonwealth; claims; general and special revenues of the Commonwealth; all taxation and all matters concerning the expenditure of funds of the Commonwealth.

18 (f). A Committee on General Laws and Technology, 15 Senators, to consider matters concerning affirmation and bonds; the boundaries, jurisdiction and emblems of the Commonwealth; cemeteries; condominiums; consumer affairs; fire protection; gaming and wagering; housing; inter- or intra-government information

technology applications and uses other than those proposed or used to support the operations of the General Assembly or the Senate; land offices; landlord and tenant; libraries; military and war emergency; nuisances; oaths; professions and occupations (except the health and legal professions); religious and charitable matters; state governmental reorganization; veterans' affairs; warehouses; and matters not specifically referable to other Committees, including, but not limited to, matters relating to technology, engineering, or electronic research, development, policy, standards, measurements, or definitions, or the scientific, technical, or technological requirements thereof, except for those affecting the operations of the General Assembly or the Senate.

18 (g). A Committee on Local Government, 13 Senators, to consider matters of local government in the counties, cities, towns, regions or districts, planning boards and commissions and authorities, except matters relating to the compensation of elected officeholders, where funds of the Commonwealth are involved.

18 (h). A Committee on Privileges and Elections, 13 Senators, to consider matters concerning voting; apportionment; conflict of interests, except those concerning members of the judiciary or solely the legal profession, provided that any such matter, after being reported by the Committee, shall be rereferred by the Committee to the Committee for Courts of Justice for consideration of the matters relating only to members of the judiciary or solely to the legal profession; constitutional amendments; elections; elected officeholders; reprimand, censure, or expulsion of a Senator; and nominations and appointments to any office or position in the Commonwealth (except Justices and Judges of the Commonwealth). It shall consider all grievances and propositions, federal relations and interstate matters. It shall examine the oath taken by each Senator and the certificate of election furnished by the proper office and report thereon to the Senate. It shall review and report as may be required in cases involving financial disclosure statements and shall recommend disciplinary action by majority vote where appropriate. It shall report in all cases involving contested elections the principles and reasons upon which their resolves are founded. It shall determine and report



on all matters referred to it by the Senate Ethics Advisory Panel as set forth in the statutes.

Whenever the Clerk receives a report of the Senate Ethics Advisory Panel or a resolution seeking the reprimand, censure, or expulsion of a Senator, the report shall be referred forthwith to the Committee on Privileges and Elections. The Committee shall consider the matter, conduct such hearings as it shall deem necessary, and, in all cases report its determination of the matter, together with its recommendations and reasons for its resolves, to the Senate. If the Committee deems disciplinary action warranted, it shall report a resolution offered by a member of the Committee to express such action. Any such resolution reported by the Committee shall be a privileged matter. The Senate as a whole shall then consider the resolution, and, by recorded vote, either defeat the resolution or take one or more of the following actions: (i) reprimand the Senator with a majority vote of the Senators present and voting; (ii) censure the Senator and place the Senator last in seniority with a majority vote of the elected membership of the Senate; (iii) expel the Senator with a two-thirds vote of the elected membership of the Senate; or (iv) refer the matter to the Attorney General for appropriate action with a majority vote of the Senators present and voting, in the event the Senate finds a knowing violation of § 30-108 or subsection C of § 30-110 of the Code of Virginia.

18 (i). A Committee on Rehabilitation and Social Services, 15 Senators, to consider matters concerning alcoholic beverages; correctional and penal institutions; morals; social services and welfare; and substance abuse.

18 (j). A Committee on Transportation, 13 Senators, to consider matters concerning airports; airspaces; airways; the laws concerning motor vehicles relating to rules of the road or traffic regulations; heliports; highways; port facilities; public roads and streets; transportation safety; public waterways; railways; seaports; transportation companies or corporations; and transportation public utilities. Any matter relating to rules of the road or traffic regulations which include a change in a penalty shall be rereferred by the

Committee to the Committee for Courts of Justice.

## VII.

### **Committee on Rules.**

19 (a). A Committee on Rules, which shall be in addition to the foregoing standing Committees, consisting of the standing Committee Chairs; the President pro tempore, if the person is not a Chair; the Majority Leader, if the person is not a Chair; the Minority Leader; and other Senators to comprise not more than 15. The Chair of the Committee on Rules shall not be Chair of any standing Committee. The Chair of the committee on Rules shall be the Chair of the Commission on Interstate Cooperation of the Senate. The Committee shall consider all resolutions amending or altering the Rules of the Senate; all joint rules with the House of Delegates; all bills and resolutions creating study committees or commissions; and all other resolutions (except those of a purely procedural nature, those concerning nominations and appointments to any office or position in the Commonwealth including the nominations of Justices and Judges, and those concerning constitutional amendments). The Committee may report such bills or resolutions with the recommendation that they be passed, or that they be rereferred to another Committee. In considering a bill or resolution, the Committee is empowered to sit while the Senate is in session. There shall be a subcommittee of the Committee, consisting of the Chair and members appointed by the Chair to equal the number of House members appointed to the subcommittee, which shall exercise on behalf of the Committee such powers as are delegated to the Committee when acting jointly with the Committee on Rules of the House of Delegates or a subcommittee thereof.

19 (b). If there is any objection as to the referral by the Clerk of the Senate of any bill or resolution to any standing Committee or any matter relating to the Office of the Clerk, the Committee on Rules shall hear the same, resolve the issue and report to the Senate.

19 (c). The Chair of the Committee on Rules, in consultation

with the Clerk, shall consider and determine all matters concerning the news media in the Senate Chamber; all policies concerning travel expenses and reimbursements; all matters concerning joint assemblies with the House of Delegates and such persons, not members of the Senate, who are to be permitted to address the Senate; and all matters concerning the utilization of the facilities available to the Senate and its membership. The Chair, in consultation with the Clerk, shall prescribe the duties not otherwise prescribed for the Clerk, Sergeant-at-Arms, and Doorkeepers. The Chair, in consultation with the Clerk, shall approve the appointment, removal, and assignment for duties of the additional committee staff authorized in Rule 10 (a).

19 (d). The Committee on Rules shall from time to time prescribe such requirements as will expedite the flow of the work of the Senate, all such requirements being subject to the approval of the Senate.

19 (e). The Chair of the Committee on Rules shall appoint a subcommittee to review the financial disclosure statements filed annually by members or candidates and shall determine whether each statement is correct and complete as filed or requires correction, augmentation, or revision by the member or candidate involved, who shall be directed in writing to make the changes required within such time as shall be set by the Committee.

Additional review shall be made of any financial disclosure statement by the Committee on Rules upon a request in writing by 20 percent of the membership of the Senate on the basis of newly discovered evidence. This review shall be made promptly, the adequacy of filing determined, and notice of the determination of the Committee sent in writing to the member involved. If a financial disclosure statement is found to need correction, augmentation, or revision, the member or candidate involved shall be directed in writing to make the changes required within such time as shall be set by the

Committee. Failure to make the correction shall result in the matter being referred to the Committee on Privileges and Elections for disciplinary action pursuant to Rules 18 (h) and 53 (b).

19 (f). There shall be a Subcommittee on Standards of Conduct of the Committee on Rules, consisting of three members, one of whom shall be a member of the minority party, appointed by the Chair. The Subcommittee shall consider any request by a Senator for an advisory opinion as to whether the facts in a particular case would constitute a violation of the Rules of the Senate or any statute enacted relative to conflicts of interests, and may consider any other matters assigned to it by the Committee on Rules. Any Senator requesting such an advisory opinion shall submit the request in writing, addressed to the Chair of the Committee on Rules, and shall set forth specifically the facts relative to the opinion sought. The Subcommittee shall convene as soon as practicable, granting the Senator requesting the opinion the right to appear and, upon the conclusion of its deliberations, the Subcommittee shall submit its written opinion to the full Committee on Rules. The Committee on Rules shall consider the written opinion submitted by the Subcommittee and, if accepted, the same shall constitute an advisory opinion for the conduct of the members of the Senate on the issues set forth. The Clerk of the Senate shall maintain a record of such advisory opinions, which shall be available to any member of the Senate.

19 (g). Any Senator who wishes to present a person to the Senate shall first seek the approval of the Chair of the Committee on Rules. The Senator shall submit a written request to the Chair of the Committee and a copy of the request to the Clerk of the Senate, at least 48 hours prior to the time of the presentation. The Chair shall determine the merit of the presentation and notify the Senator of the decision. The submission of the written request and the approval of the Chair shall not be required to present members of the Virginia Congressional Delegation and former members of the Virginia Senate. The Chair, in consultation with the Clerk, shall approve the dates for

the presentations. During the regular session, presentations shall not be made on Fridays, crossover, or any day involving action on the appropriation act.

19 (h). The Committee on Rules shall make all Senate appointments to study committees and commissions in the number authorized for the Senate, whether the authority is limited to Senate members or other persons. It shall appoint members of the Senate to such other committees as may be required to serve as joint committees with the House of Delegates under its Rules, and shall appoint members of the Senate to serve as Senate members on any Committee or Commission required by statute. Senate membership on half of the joint subcommittees and commissions created each session with the House of Delegates shall be of equal membership. If no member of a standing Committee of the Senate specified in a study resolution is able to serve, the Committee on Rules may appoint a member of the Senate at large to the study notwithstanding the provisions of the enabling resolution.

## VIII.

### **Composition and Procedures of Committees.**

20 (a). The total membership of all Committees and the membership of each standing Committee shall be composed of members of the two major political parties in the Commonwealth and consideration shall be given to the geographic balance in the membership of each standing Committee. Senators shall serve terms on such Committees coincident with their current terms of office. No member shall be removed from a Committee, except by a majority vote of the members present and voting or by forfeiture under these rules or upon submission of the member's resignation from the Committee.

The standing Committees may also include any Senator not elected as a member of the two major political parties. All members of the Senate shall be elected to the standing Committees, where practicable. When the Committees are elected, the Senator first named shall be the Chair, except that in the case of the Committee on Finance, the first two Senators of the majority party named to the

Committee shall be Co-Chairs. All references in these Rules to the Chair of a standing committee shall be interpreted to include and apply to the Co-Chairs. A Senator shall serve as Chair of only one of the standing Committees. Next shall be listed the members, listed by seniority and by the date elected to the Committee. At the first meeting of the Committee, the Chair may appoint and announce a vice chair.

Should any Senator, during his term of office, cease to be a member of the political party of which he was a member at the time of his election either by self-declaration or through other conduct as confirmed by a two-thirds majority of the members elected to the Senate, he shall be deemed, thereby, to have forfeited all Committee memberships to which he may have been elected.

20 (b). Any vacancy in Committee membership during the four-year term of the Committee members shall be filled in the manner in which Committee members are elected in the first instance.

20 (c). The standing Committees shall meet at such time and place as shall be designated by the Committee on Rules, after consultation with the respective Committee Chair, and the fixed time and place of Committee meetings shall be published. All committees shall be governed by the Rules of the Senate.

20 (d). All Committee meetings shall be held in public. All votes on bills shall be recorded.

However, executive sessions may be held pursuant to applicable provisions of law upon a recorded vote. Except as provided herein, a recorded vote of members upon each measure shall be taken and the name and number of those voting for, against or abstaining reported with the bill or resolution and ordered printed on the Calendar. A recorded vote shall not be necessary to report a resolution, if that resolution does not have a specific vote requirement pursuant to these Rules. A Senator who has a personal interest in the transaction, as defined in § 30-101 of the Code of Virginia, shall neither vote nor be counted upon it, and he shall withdraw, or invoke

this Rule not to be counted, prior to the taking of any vote upon it, by stating the same before the Committee, and the fact shall be recorded by the Committee Clerk and reported along with the votes of the Committee members on the bill or resolution. If a Senator invokes this rule, the Senator shall not participate, directly or indirectly, in the matter wherein the rule is invoked. Pairs may be taken in Committee voting as provided in Rule 36.

20 (e). The majority of any Committee shall constitute a quorum. Any Senator attending and recorded as present at a Committee meeting who must depart prior to the rising of the Committee, may designate, in writing on committee proxy forms, one member of the Committee to vote his proxy for the duration of his absence, but for no longer than the meeting of the Committee at which the proxy is given and only for the duration during which the Senator leaving the proxy is within the confines of Capitol Square. Proxies are not transferable. The Chair shall be informed in open session of the proxy authority prior to the departure of the Senator so leaving.

20 (f). Any bill or resolution introduced in an even-numbered year, and not reported to the Senate by a Committee may, upon the majority vote of the elected membership of the Committee to which it has been referred, be continued on the agenda of the Committee for hearings and Committee action during the interim between sessions or for future action by the Committee during the following odd-numbered year regular sessions. A bill or resolution may be continued only one year from an even-numbered year session and not otherwise. The Committee shall report, prior to the adjournment sine die of the Senate, such bills or resolutions as shall be continued and the Clerk of the Senate shall enter upon the Journal the fact that such bill or resolution has been continued.

20 (g). The Senate, upon consideration of any bill or resolution on the Calendar, may recommit, in accordance with these Rules, the bill or resolution to the Committee reporting the same, and direct the Committee to continue the bill or resolution until the following odd-numbered year regular session, and hold such hearings or render such further consideration of the bill or resolution as the Committee may deem proper.

20 (h). The Chair of the Committee, or the majority of the elected membership of a Committee, may call meetings of the Committee during the interim between sessions to study, call hearings, and consider any bill or resolution continued for further action at the odd-numbered year session, or to consider such other matters as may be germane to the duties of the Committee.

20 (i). The provisions of this Rule relating to legislative continuity between sessions shall be subject to the provisions of Article IV, Section 7 of the Constitution of Virginia.

20 (j). Each Committee shall have a clerk appointed by the Clerk of the Senate, after consultation with the Chair of the Committee on Rules and the Chair of the respective Committee. The Clerk of the Senate shall be the clerk to the Committee on Rules.

20 (k). The Chair of any Committee may appoint subcommittees to consider a particular bill or resolution or to consider matters relative to a portion of the work of the Committee. Such subcommittees shall not take final votes and shall only make recommendations to the Committee. The Chair of the full Committee shall be an ex officio member of all subcommittees and entitled to vote, but shall not be counted as a member for purposes of a quorum. All subcommittees shall be governed by the Rules of the Senate.

20 (l). Any Committee of the Senate may, at its discretion, confer with any Committee of the House of Delegates having under consideration the same subject and arrange joint meetings, hearings or studies, as the Committees deem appropriate.

20 (m). A Committee, after considering a bill or resolution referred to it may:

A. Rerefer the same to another Committee, in the same form received, to consider applicable portions of such bill or resolution as are germane to another Committee under the Rules, or may

B. Report it to the Senate



(i) without amendment,

(ii) with recommendation that a Committee amendment(s) be adopted, or

(iii) with recommendation that it be rereferred to another Committee (either with or without amendment), in which latter event the Clerk of the Senate shall so rerefer unless the Senate shall otherwise direct.

A recorded vote of members shall be taken upon any motion listed in A and B above and the name and number of those voting for, against or abstaining reported with the bill or resolution and ordered printed on the Calendar. The report recorded by the Committee Clerk shall be the recorded vote on the motion and cannot be changed unless the vote is reconsidered and voted upon again. A recorded vote shall not be necessary to report or rerefer a resolution, if that resolution does not have a specific vote requirement pursuant to these Rules.

20 (n). Any bill, except the budget bill sent down by the Governor, whose principal objective is taxation or which establishes a special fund or any type of nonreverting fund, whether or not such bill may also require an appropriation, tax, special or general revenue, shall first be referred to the Standing Committee which has jurisdiction of the subject matter of the bill as defined in rules 18 (a) through 18 (j) of the Rules of the Senate. If said bill is reported by the Committee of original jurisdiction then said bill shall be rereferred by the Committee to the Finance Committee.

20 (o). A Committee may refer the subject matter of a bill or resolution to any agency, board, commission, council, or other governmental or nongovernmental entity for comment, but the bill or resolution shall remain with the Committee. The Chair of the Committee shall direct the Clerk of the Senate to prepare the appropriate letter and the action of the Committee shall be made available to the public.

20 (p). Committees of the Senate are authorized to seek and obtain, in the period of time between sessions of the General Assembly, the services of citizens of the Commonwealth whose function will be to participate with such Committees or Subcommittees thereof in reviewing legislation or in performing any referred study or study initiated by the Committee or its Chair.

Persons appointed to serve shall receive reimbursement for their actual and reasonable expenses incurred in the performance of services for the Committees. For such other expenses as may be occasioned by the conduct of any Committee study, payments shall have approval in advance by the Chair of the Committee on Rules in consultation with the Clerk and shall be made from the general appropriation to the Senate.

20 (q). Persons who are asked by a Committee Chair to appear before a Committee or subcommittee or study to offer expert testimony may receive reimbursement for their actual and reasonable expenses if approved in advance by the Chair of the Committee on Rules, in consultation with the Clerk.

## **IX.**

### **Order of Business.**

21. At the appointed hour, the presiding officer of the Senate shall take the chair and call the Senate to order, and the order of business thereafter shall be as follows:

- (a) A period of devotions.
- (b) A roll call of members present.
- (c) The reading of the Journal.

(d) A period to be called the "morning hour," for the following purposes:

- i. to dispose of communications from the House of Delegates,

the Executive, and the Judiciary.

ii. to recognize and welcome visitors to the Senate.

iii. to receive resolutions and bills, but such resolutions and bills may be received at the Clerk's desk at any time after the "morning hour," with leave of the Senate.

(e) Consideration of unfinished business. (Unfinished business is legislation before the Senate as a result of or pending action by the House of Delegates.)

(f) Consideration of the Calendar of the Senate for that day, for which purpose the Calendar shall be called by the Clerk of the Senate.

(g) Upon completion of the Calendar and then Senators expressing Point(s) of Personal Privilege and such other business as may come before the Senate, a recess or adjournment shall then be taken.

22. To expedite the business of the Senate, it may order the convening of a "special morning session," at which session no vote shall be taken or other business transacted except the introduction of bills and resolutions. Upon the completion thereof, such session shall recess to such time as the Senate may have theretofore ordered. Such "special morning session" shall be convened by the presiding officer or President pro tempore unless otherwise designated. The "special morning session" shall be considered adjourned upon the convening of the daily session.

23 (a). Notwithstanding Rule 21 and Rule 22, any subject may, by a recorded vote of a majority of the members present and voting, be made a special and continuing order, to commence at a time to be fixed by the Senate, and when the time so fixed for its consideration arises, the presiding officer shall lay it before the Senate.

23 (b). When two or more special and continuing orders have been made for the same time, they shall have precedence according to the order in which they were severally assigned, and that order shall

only be changed by majority of those present and voting. All motions to change such order shall be decided without debate.

24. When a bill or resolution of the House of Delegates is passed or rejected by the Senate, the fact of the passage or rejection, with the bill or resolution, shall be communicated to the House of Delegates.

25 (a). All bills, resolutions or other business originating in the Senate and all bills, resolutions or other business sent from the House of Delegates shall be dispatched in the order in which they are introduced or received, unless the Senate shall otherwise direct.

25 (b). Bills or resolutions of either house shall be divided on the Calendar between the designation "Uncontested Calendar" and "Regular Calendar," and be considered in such order. When such a division is made for bills or resolutions, the Uncontested Calendar shall not include any bills or resolutions (i) which receive a dissenting vote or abstention in Committee, or (ii) to which objection is made by any Senator on first reading. Any bills or resolutions shall be removed from the Uncontested Calendar at any time at the request of any Senator. Resolutions which do not have a specific vote requirement pursuant to these Rules shall not be placed on the Uncontested Calendar but may be divided separately.

25 (c). It shall be the duty of the Clerk to see that the printing and engrossing, when ordered, shall be done in such time that the bills and resolutions may be acted upon according to their priorities upon the Calendar. If, however, any bill or resolution is not ready when it is reached upon the Calendar, it shall be passed by, and be allowed to retain its place upon the Calendar.

25 (d). When the Calendar has been called through, it may be called again in order to dispose of any business that may be ready, and if there is none, the business of the "morning hour" shall be resumed and disposed of; but the business of the "morning hour" shall in no case be allowed to interfere with that of the Calendar without the unanimous consent of the members present.

26 (a). No law shall be enacted except by bill. Every bill, upon

its introduction, shall be referred to the appropriate Committee. No bill shall become a law until the procedures required by Article IV, Section 11 of the Constitution of Virginia have been observed.

26 (b). No bill expressly amending any existing law shall be offered by any member unless or until the original and all copies thereof have been prepared so as to indicate deletions and additions. Each bill or resolution shall be signed by at least one Senator or by the Clerk of the Senate upon authorization of a member who has become incapacitated or who is unavailable to sign the legislation. Upon the approval of the Committee on Rules, electronic filing of bills and resolutions and electronic patronage may be permitted. Any bill or resolution offered for introduction in the Senate may show two or more Senators as chief patrons and as "House Patrons" the signatures of members of the House of Delegates. The title of any bill having any provisions pertaining to taxation or revenues shall so indicate. The form for deletions and additions shall be to set forth the material deleted with lines through such material, e.g., ~~deleted material or words~~, and to underscore the words added, before they are received in the Senate. However, the stricken material and underscoring and italics in the printed bill, enrolled bills, and printed Acts shall not be considered evidence of all amendments to any bill or existing statute, but merely as an aid for quick reference to amended portions. Nothing herein contained shall be construed as requiring the use of stricken material or underscoring when new words are substituted for existing words where the new words or the omission of words does not change the sense or meaning of the act.

26 (c). The title of a bill or resolution and all amendments offered thereto shall be entered upon the Journal, except the amendments in the nature of a substitute shall be printed separately, and only the titles thereof entered upon the Journal.

26 (d). Any Senate bill or resolution which has been amended during the legislative process by the Senate shall be engrossed and reproduced by the Clerk of the Senate, as soon as practicable, in sufficient numbers for the members of the Senate and House of Delegates.

26 (e). The designation of "Senate Bill" or "Senate Resolution" or "Senate Joint Resolution" shall not be changed nor amended after a bill or resolution is introduced in the Senate. Nor shall the designation of "House Bill" or "House Joint Resolution" be changed or amended after the bill or resolution is received by the Senate.

26 (f). Any member of the Senate or House of Delegates may request in writing to the Clerk to be added as a co-patron to any Senate bill or joint resolution, provided that the first vote on the passage of the bill or agreement to the joint resolution has not occurred, or, if the bill or joint resolution is not reported from Committee, then prior to the last action on such legislation. A Senator may also request in writing to the Clerk to be added to a Senate resolution within the same timeframe. A co-patron added pursuant to this Rule shall be listed in the Journal as a co-patron of such bill, joint resolution, or resolution, and shall be so listed on such bill, joint resolution, or resolution at its next printing, if any.

Any member of the Senate or House of Delegates may also request in writing to the Clerk to be removed as a co-patron of any bill or joint resolution prior to the deadline set by the General Assembly. A Senator may also request in writing to the Clerk to be removed from a Senate resolution provided that the first vote on the passage of the resolution has not occurred, or, if the resolution is not reported from committee, then prior to the last action on such resolution. A co-patron removed pursuant to this Rule shall thereafter not be listed in the Journal as a co-patron of such bill, joint resolution, or resolution, nor shall the co-patron's name be listed on such bill, joint resolution, or resolution at its next printing, if any. The Rule shall not apply to the addition or removal of co-patrons to commending and memorial joint resolutions and resolutions.

26 (g). Any memorial or commending resolutions shall conform to the form and procedure set forth by the Clerk of the Senate and shall not be referred to the Committee on Rules, but shall be placed upon the Calendar on the next Thursday of the session and shall

be considered for approval on said day; however, any one member may object to such consideration and the same shall be continued to the next Thursday session or any member may move that the same be referred to the Committee on Rules. Any member of the Senate or House of Delegates may request in writing to the Clerk to be added or removed as a co-patron to a Senate commending or memorial joint resolution until one hour after the adjournment of the House of Delegates on the day of the joint resolution's final agreement. A Senator may also request in writing to the Clerk to be added or removed as a co-patron to a Senate commending and memorial resolution until one hour after the adjournment of the Senate on the day of the resolution's final agreement. A co-patron added pursuant to this Rule shall be listed in the Journal as a co-patron of such joint resolution or resolution and so listed on the joint resolution or resolution at its next printing, if any. A co-patron removed pursuant to this Rule shall thereafter not be listed in the Journal as a co-patron of such joint resolution or resolution, nor shall the co-patron's name be listed on such joint resolution or resolution at its next printing, if any.

No Senator may introduce more than a combined total of ten commending and memorial resolutions each session, except for the Chair of the Committee on Rules when introducing such resolutions according to custom or protocol.

27. Bills or resolutions originating in the House of Delegates and communicated to the Senate shall be read by title the first time when received and referred to the appropriate Committee unless otherwise directed by the Senate.

28 (a). No bill or resolution reported from a Committee of the Senate shall be recommitted or amended until it has been twice read by title, nor shall any Senate bill or resolution be amended after its third reading, except by the unanimous consent of the Senate. House bills or resolutions may be recommitted or amended at any time before their final passage, but a bill or resolution which has been recommitted to a Committee, when reported by Committee, shall be restored on the Calendar to the status it had before it was recommitted.

28 (b). In the case of a House bill or resolution, engrossment

shall only apply to such amendments as may have been made in the Senate.

29. Whenever a Senate bill or resolution is reported to the Senate with one or more House amendments, copies of all such amendments shall be furnished to each Senator. The same shall apply to amendments proposed by a Senate Committee or by a Senator, unless otherwise ordered by the Senate.

30. Every question shall be put in the affirmative and the presiding officer shall declare whether the yeas or the nays have it, which declaration shall stand as the judgment of the Senate. The yeas and nays on any question shall, at the desire of one-fifth of those present, be entered on the Journal. On the final vote of any bill, and on the vote in any election or impeachment conducted in the General Assembly or on the expulsion of a Senator, the name of each Senator voting, and how he voted shall be recorded in the Journal. After the roll has been taken, and before the vote is announced by the presiding officer, any Senator shall have the right to correct any mistake committed in enrolling his name and the presiding officer shall order the vote to be stricken.

31. Any Senator may call for a division of the question, which shall be divided if it comprehends propositions so distinct in substance that, one being taken away, a substantive proposition shall remain for the decision of the Senate.

32. Upon the determination of a question, any Senator may enter his protest upon the Journal, with the consent of one-third of the Senators present; and on the question "Shall the protest be entered on the Journal?", no privileged motion as set out in Rule 47 (a) or Rule 47 (b) shall be in order except to adjourn.

33. Whenever the Senate proceeds to consider any nominations



or appointments after the same have been reported by the appropriate Committee, which are subject to the choice or ratification of the Senate, and when it is so ordered by the Senate pursuant to Chapter 37 of Title 2.2 of the Code of Virginia, the same shall be considered in executive session.

## X.

### **The Pending and Previous Question.**

34. Upon a motion for the pending question, agreed to by a majority of the Senators present, as indicated by a recorded vote, and there being no other motions afforded priority by these Rules, the presiding officer shall immediately put the pending question. All incidental questions of order arising after a motion for the pending question is made, and pending such motion, shall be decided, whether on appeal or otherwise, without debate.

35. Upon a motion for the previous question, agreed to by a majority of the Senators present, as indicated by a recorded vote, and there being no other motions afforded priority by these Rules, the presiding officer shall immediately put the question, first upon the amendments in the order prescribed in the Rules, and then upon the main question. If the previous question be not ordered, debate may continue as if the motion had not been made.

## XI.

### **Taking the Vote.**

36. Every Senator present in the Chamber, when any question is put or vote taken, shall vote or be counted as voting on one side or the other, except in the case of pairs, as hereinafter provided, or in the case of judicial elections. A Senator who has a personal interest in the transaction, as defined in § 30-101 of the Code of Virginia, shall neither vote nor be counted upon it, and he shall withdraw, or invoke

this rule not to be counted, prior to the division and the fact shall be recorded on the voting machine. If a Senator invokes this rule, the Senator shall not participate, directly or indirectly, in the matter wherein the rule is invoked. Pairs upon any question pending may be made and entered upon the Journal, and in such cases shall be announced immediately upon completion of the roll call, and before the announcement of its result. Pairs may be general or special. General pairs shall extend to and include all motions, amendments, or other proceedings in aid of or against the question pending, and which is the subject of the pairs. Special pairs shall depend in their scope upon the agreement between the Senators making the same, but in absence of a specific agreement, the presumption shall be conclusive that the pairs are general. The Senator announcing a pair shall be counted as present for the purposes of establishing a quorum. Pairs may be taken in Committee votes under this rule herein set forth.

37. The voting machine may be used for the call of the roll, for recording abstentions under Rule 36, or for the affirmative and the negative of the question.

38 (a). No Senator shall be allowed to vote or submit a vote statement unless he is in attendance at the daily session at the time the Senate is being divided, or before a determination of the question upon a call of the roll, and is physically present in the Chamber, or one of its anterooms. A Senator may submit a vote statement if he was not recorded as voting or if his recorded vote does not reflect his intention. The statement shall be limited to the fact that his vote was not recorded or that his vote did not reflect his intention and must be submitted to the Clerk of the Senate by the adjournment of the daily session.

38 (b). In cases where the presiding officer is also a member of the Senate at the time a recorded vote is being taken, the presiding officer shall request another Senator to cast his vote for him or shall cast his vote from the Chair.

## **XII.**

### **Committees of Conference.**

39 (a). The Senate members of any committee of conference with the House of Delegates shall be designated by the Chair of the Committee to which the bill or resolution in conference was first referred by the Clerk of the Senate. If a Senate bill or resolution is in conference, the chief patron(s) of the same shall be a conferee and, where feasible, members of a Committee to which the bill or resolution was referred or rereferred shall comprise the conferees.

Any conference report must be agreed to by the majority of the members of each house on the conference committee before it may be filed with the Senate. If the report of the first named conference is rejected by the Senate or the conferees cannot agree, the Chair shall designate the same or new conferees in the event a second conference is formed.

Conferees shall not insert in their report matters not committed to them by either house, nor shall they strike from the bill or resolution in conference matters agreed to by both houses.

39 (b). When a committee of conference is meeting it shall inform the Clerk of the place of meeting; and, when a vote be put, the presiding officer shall, before calling the vote, inform the Senate conferees of the pending vote and grant them a reasonable opportunity to return to the Chamber to vote.

## **XIII.**

### **Debate.**

40 (a). While the presiding officer is reporting or putting any question, or the Clerk of the Senate is reporting a bill or resolution or calling the roll, or a Senator is addressing the Chair, strict order shall be observed. No Senator or other person shall give audible expression to his or her approval or disapproval of any proceeding before the Senate. The use of props is prohibited on the floor of the Senate.

40 (b). The use of audible electronic devices used for transmitting and receiving communications is prohibited in Senate committee rooms and the Senate Chamber. The use of cellular telephones is prohibited in Senate committee rooms and the Senate Chamber. Violations of this rule shall be punishable as prescribed by the Committee on Rules.

41. If words are spoken in debate that give offense, exception thereto shall be taken the same day, and be stated in writing; and in such case, if the words are decided by the presiding officer, or by the Senate, upon an appeal, to be offensive, and they are not explained or retracted by the Senator who uttered them, he shall be subject to such action as the Senate may deem necessary.

42. When any member is about to speak in debate or deliver any matter to the Senate, he shall rise from his seat, and without advancing, with due respect, address "Mr. President," confining himself strictly to the point in debate, and avoiding all disrespectful language.

43. No member shall speak more than twice upon the same subject without leave of the Senate, nor more than once, until every member choosing to speak has spoken.

44. No question shall be debated until it has been stated by the presiding officer, and the mover shall have the right to explain his views in preference to any Senator.

45. During any debate any Senator, though he has spoken to the matter, may rise and speak to the orders of the Senate if they are transgressed, in case the presiding officer does not so rise and speak, but if the presiding officer stands up at any time, he is first to be heard, and while he is standing Senators shall keep their seats.

46. No Senator shall be allowed to be interrupted while speaking, except on points of order, to correct erroneous statements, or for a Senator to answer any questions that may be stated by the Senator speaking.

47 (a). The following motions shall not be debated or spoken to except as hereinafter provided:

- (i) A motion to adjourn.
- (ii) A motion calling for a vote on the pending question.
- (iii) A motion calling for a vote on the previous question.
- (iv) A motion to suspend the Rules.
- (v) A motion to close debate.
- (vi) A motion to limit debate.
- (vii) A motion to extend the limit of debate.
- (viii) A motion to reconsider matters not debatable.

(ix) A motion to change, in case of two or more special and continuing orders.

47 (b). Upon the following motions, the mover shall be allowed five minutes to speak to his motion, to state the reasons therefor, and one member opposed to the motion shall be allowed a like time to speak to the motion, to state his objections:

- (i) A motion for a special and continuing order.
- (ii) A motion to appeal a ruling of the Chair.

47 (c). When a question not debatable is before the Senate, all incidental questions arising after it is stated shall be decided and settled without debate, whether on appeal or otherwise. This same Rule shall apply to all incidental questions arising after the presiding officer has put any question to the Senate.

47 (d). A motion to strike out, being lost, shall preclude neither amendment nor a motion to insert, nor a motion to strike out and insert.

47 (e). When a question is pending, no motion shall be received but to adjourn, to pass by for the day, for the pending

question, for the previous question, or to amend; which several motions shall have precedence in the order in which they are herein set out.

47 (f). Except as otherwise provided herein, the provisions of Rule 47 (e), a primary motion may be substituted once.

## **XIV.**

### **Reconsideration.**

48 (a). A question arising on a Senate Bill, Senate Resolution or Senate Joint Resolution being once determined must stand as the judgment of the Senate, and cannot during the course of that session of the General Assembly be drawn again into debate, unless a motion to reconsider a question which has been decided has been made by a Senator voting with the prevailing side on the same day on which the vote was taken.

However, if such action has not been communicated to the House, a motion to reconsider may be made within the next two days of actual session of the Senate thereafter.

Unless unanimous consent of the members of the Senate present and voting on a motion for a second or subsequent reconsideration be granted, no measure being once determined may be reconsidered more than once by the Senate during that session of the General Assembly.

When any question is decided in the negative simply for the want of a majority of the whole Senate, any Senator who was absent from the city of Richmond or detained from his seat by sickness at the time of the vote sought to be reconsidered may move its reconsideration.

A Senator desiring such reconsideration shall confer with the Chair of the Committee on Rules, or in his absence the next listed available member of the Committee on Rules, who shall consult with the chief spokesman for and against the measure, if there is any, and

thereafter such Chair or next listed member may direct the Clerk to defer or expedite the transmittal of the action of the Senate on the measure to the House of Delegates to permit the making of such motion for reconsideration; however, in no event shall such deferral of transmittal hereunder be for more than one legislative day.

This rule shall not preclude consideration of any House Bill, House Joint Resolution, or House amendment to a Senate Bill or a Senate Joint Resolution, regardless of whether such House measure involves a question already determined.

48 (b). If the Committee has possession of a bill or resolution, a motion to reconsider in Committee may be made no later than the next Committee meeting.

However, a motion to reconsider at a second or subsequent meeting may be made with unanimous consent if the Committee has possession of the bill or resolution.

## **XV.**

### **Suspension of Rules.**

49. Any rule of the Senate may only, except where otherwise provided by the Constitution of Virginia, be amended by a vote of two-thirds of the Senators present and voting. These Rules may be suspended by a vote of two-thirds of the Senators present and voting. If the Senate is meeting due to a state emergency or enemy attack pursuant to Article IV, Section 8 of the Constitution, then the Rules of the Senate may be suspended by a vote of two-thirds of the quorum.

## **XVI.**

### **Appeals.**

50. If the presiding officer rules on any matter under these Rules by his own act, or upon request of any Senator, and if any Senator objects to the ruling of the presiding officer, then an appeal to

the Senate shall lie. The appeal shall be stated as a motion to sustain the ruling of the Chair. To overrule the ruling of the Chair shall require a majority of those present and voting. A ruling of the Chair shall not be overruled on appeal by a tie vote.

## **XVII.**

### **Committee of the Whole.**

51. The Senate may go into the Committee of the Whole only upon the affirmative vote of a majority of the members present and voting. When the Senate shall resolve itself into the Committee of the Whole, the President shall leave the Chair and the President pro tempore shall preside in the Committee. If the President pro tempore is absent from the Senate, then the Senate shall elect a chair to preside therein.

The Committee of the Whole shall consider and report on such subjects as may be committed to it by the Senate. The Rules of the Senate shall be observed in the Committee of the Whole, so far as they are applicable. The proceedings in the Committee of the Whole shall not be recorded on the Journal of the Senate, except so far as reported to the Senate by the Chair of the Committee.

## **XVIII.**

### **Campaign Advocacy Contribution Limitations.**

52. During any regular, special, or reconvened session of the General Assembly, no member of the Senate shall use his name or title or authorize another person to use the Senator's name or title, orally or in writing, to solicit monetary contributions if any part of the contributions would be used to pay for an advocacy campaign conducted through mass mailings, e-mails, telephone calls or other communi-



cation media to influence the outcome of legislative action by the General Assembly. This rule shall not apply during any recess of a special session. Nothing in this rule shall prohibit a Senator from using his name or title or authorizing another person to use the Senator's name or title in the letterhead or roster listing the membership of an organization.

## XIX.

### **Senate Ethics and Senate Ethics Advisory Panel.**

53 (a). The Senate Ethics Advisory Panel shall be composed of five members: three of whom shall be former members of the Senate; and two of whom shall be citizens of the Commonwealth who have not previously held such office. No member shall engage in activities requiring him to register as a lobbyist under § 2.2-422 of the Code of Virginia during his tenure on the Panel. The members shall be nominated by the Committee on Rules of the Senate and confirmed by the Senate. Nominations shall be made so as to assure bipartisan representation on the Panel.

53 (b). Whenever the Clerk receives a report of the Senate Ethics Advisory Panel or a resolution seeking the reprimand, censure, or expulsion of a Senator, the report shall be referred forthwith to the Committee on Privileges and Elections. The Committee shall consider the matter, conduct such hearings as it shall deem necessary, and, in all cases report its determination of the matter, together with its recommendations and reasons for its resolves, to the Senate. If the Committee deems disciplinary action warranted, it shall report a resolution offered by a member of the Committee to express such action. Any such resolution reported by the Committee shall be a privileged matter. The Senate as a whole shall then consider the resolution, and, by recorded vote, either defeat the resolution or take one or more of the following actions: (i) reprimand the Senator with a majority vote of the Senators present and voting; (ii) censure the

Senator and place the Senator last in seniority with a majority vote of the elected membership of the Senate; (iii) expel the Senator with a two-thirds vote of the elected membership of the Senate; or (iv) refer the matter to the Attorney General for appropriate action with a majority vote of the Senators present and voting, in the event the Senate finds a knowing violation of § 30-108 or subsection C of § 30-110 of the Code of Virginia.

## **XX.**

### **Court of Impeachment.**

54. When, pursuant to the Constitution, the Senate sits as a Court for the trial of impeachments, the Rules covering the same shall be as the Rules of Procedure and Practice in the United States Senate when sitting on Impeachment Trials.

## **XXI.**

### **Votes Required.**

55. The votes required shall be as set forth in the Appendix to these Rules.

## **XXII.**

### **Construction of Rules.**

56. The Rules of the Senate shall be adopted at the commencement of the first regular session of the General Assembly after the election of the Senate, and shall be in force for the succeeding four years unless amended or suspended as provided by these Rules. In the construction of the Rules, reference shall be had to the following sources in the following order:

- (a) Jefferson's Manual of Parliamentary Practice.
- (b) Mason's Manual of Legislative Procedure.

(c) Standing Rules for Conducting Business in the Senate of the United States.

**APPENDIX**  
**VOTES REQUIRED PURSUANT TO**  
**CONSTITUTION**  
**OR RULES OF THE SENATE**

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| (1) Adjournment  |   |
| (a) Daily Session  | -- at least 2 Senators (Rule 5)   |
| (b) Certain Special Session  | -- at least 2 Senators (Rule 5)   |
| (c) Certain Reconvened<br>Session of a<br>Special Session                                | -- at least 2 Senators (Rule 5)   |
| (2) Amend Senate bill or<br>resolution after<br>third reading                            | -- unanimous consent<br>(Rule 28 (a))   |
| (3) Appeals from ruling of chair<br>to overrule chair                                    | -- a majority of the members present<br>and voting,<br>not less than.....11<br>(Rule 50)  |
| (4) Bills:   |   |
| (a) Ordinary bills   | -- a majority of the members voting,<br>not less than.....16<br>(Const. Art. IV, Sec. 11)<br>(Same for House amendment<br>or Conference report)   |
| (b) Appropriation,<br>Claim or Demand<br>of State, Debt or<br>Charge, New<br>Office, Tax | -- a majority of the members elected,<br>not less than..... 21<br>(Const. Art. IV, Sec. 11)<br>(Same for House amendment<br>or Conference report) |
| (c) (1) Bonds,<br>general<br>obligation  | -- a majority of the members elected,<br>not less than.....21<br>(Const. Art. X, Sec. 9(b))   |

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| (2) Bonds, revenue   | -- 2/3 of the members elected,<br>not less than.....27<br>(Const. Art. X, Sec. 9(c))  |
| (d) Charter or<br>"Special Act"<br>for county,<br>city, town or<br>regional<br>government                                  | -- 2/3 of the members elected,<br>not less than.....27<br>(Const. Art. VII, Sec. 1)<br>(Same for House amendment<br>or Conference report) |
| (e) Printing or<br>Reading<br>dispensed  | -- 4/5 of the members voting,<br>not less than..... 17<br>(Const. Art. IV, Sec. 11)   |
| (f) Creating new office  | -- a majority of the members elected,<br>not less than.....21<br>(Const. Art. IV, Sec. 11)  |
| (5) Call of the Senate to<br>send for absentee(s)  | -- at least 9 Senators<br>(Rule 5)  |
| (6) Censure of a Senator   | -- a majority of the members elected,<br>not less than.....21<br>(Rule 18(h) and Rule 53 (b))   |
| (7) Committee of the Whole,<br>to go into  | -- a majority of the members present<br>and voting,<br>not less than.....11<br>(Rule 51)  |
| (8) Confirmation of Virginia<br>Conflict of Interest Ethics<br>Advisory Council and<br>Senate Ethics Panel<br>Appointments | -- a majority vote of (i) the members<br>present of the majority party and<br>(ii) the members present of the<br>minority party           |
| (9) Constitution, amending   |   |

- (a) Virginia
  - Constitution, Bills or Resolutions proposing to amend
 -- a majority of the members elected, not less than.....21  
(Const. Art. XII, Sec. 1)
  
- (b) Amendment to Bill or Resolution proposing to amend Virginia Constitution
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 -- a majority of the members elected, not less than.....21  
(Const. Art. XII, Sec. 1)
  
- (c) Virginia
  - Constitutional Convention, calling of
 -- 2/3 of the members elected, not less than.....27  
(Const. Art. XII, Sec. 2)
  
- (d) United States
  - Constitution, Resolutions proposing to ratify and amend
 -- a majority of the members present and voting, not less than.....11
  
- (e) United States
  - Constitution, Resolutions proposing calling of a convention to amend
 -- a majority of the members present and voting, not less than.....11
  
- (10) Discharging Committee
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 -- a majority of the members voting, not less than 2/5 of the members elected.....16  
(Const. Art. IV, Sec. 11)
  
- (11) Division of question required
  -
 -- 1 Senator.....1  
(Rule 31)

- (12) Election of “Interim” Clerk -- a majority of committee members present and voting at least 5 Senators
- (13) Emergency Clause -- 4/5 of the members voting, not less than.....17 (Const. Art. IV, Sec. 13)
- (14) Expulsion of a Senator -- 2/3 of the members elected, not less than.....27 (Const. Art. IV, Sec. 7; Sec. 10; Rule 18(h) and Rule 53(b))
- (15) Extended Session 30 days -- 2/3 of the members elected, not less than.....27 (Const. Art. IV, Sec. 6)
- (16) Governor, disability of -- 3/4 of the members elected, not less than.....30 (Const. Art. V, Sec. 16)
- (17) Governor's recommendation for amending bill -- a majority of the members present. In case of refusal, bill again sent to Governor (Const. Art. V, Sec. 6)
- (18) Impeachment -- 2/3 of the members present, not less than.....14 (Const. Art. IV, Sec. 17; Sec. 10)
- (19) Interruption of the Calendar -- unanimous consent of members present (Rule 25 (d))
- (20) Journal, reading waived

- (a) All sessions except reconvened special sessions with no business -- a majority of the members voting, not less than.....11 (Rule 3)
- (b) Reconvened special sessions with no business -- 2 Senators.....2 (Rules 3 and 5)
- (21) President pro tempore's substitute to continue to preside over the Senate -- unanimous consent of members present (Rule 2 (c))
- (22) Protest entered upon Journal -- 1/3 of the members present, not less than.....7 (Rule 32)
- (23) Quorum
  - (a) Emergency -- at least 16 Senators (Const. Art. IV, Sec. 8)
  - (b) Daily session -- a majority of members elected, not less than.....21 (Const. Art. IV, Sec. 8; Rule 5)
  - (c) Reconvened Session -- a majority of members elected, not less than .....21
  - (d) Certain Special Session -- at least 2 Senators (Rule 5)
  - (e) Certain Reconvened Session of a Special Session -- at least 2 Senators (Rule 5)
  - (f) Committee -- at least 8 Senators (Rule 20 (e))



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| (24) Reading or printing of<br>a Bill dispensed   | -- 4/5 of the members voting,<br>not less than.....17<br>(Const. Art. IV, Sec. 11)                          |
| (25) Recorded vote, yeas<br>and nays  |   |
| (a) Floor   | -- 1/5 of the members present<br>(Const. Art. IV, Sec. 10<br>and Rule 30)                                   |
| (b) Committee   | -- 1/5 of the Committee<br>members present  |
| (26) Referring certain<br>violations of<br>Conflict of Interest<br>Act to Attorney<br>General | -- a majority of the members voting,<br>not less than.....11<br>(Rule 18 (h) and Rule 53 (b))               |
| (27) Reprimand of a Senator   | -- a majority of the members present<br>and voting,<br>not less than.....11<br>(Rule 18 (h) and Rule 53(b)) |
| (28) Resolutions other than<br>those proposing a<br>Constitutional<br>amendment               | -- a majority of the members voting,<br>not less than.....16  |
| (29) Suspending or amending<br>Rules  |   |
| (a) Regular quorum  | -- 2/3 of the members present<br>and voting,<br>not less than.....14<br>(Rule 49)                           |
| (b) Lesser quorum<br>pursuant to Art. IV, Sec. 8<br>of the Constitution                       | -- 2/3 of the quorum<br>not less than.....11<br>(Rule 49)   |

- (30) (a) Special and Continuing Order -- a majority of the members present and voting, not less than.....11 (Rule 23 (a))
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