

# 2024 Virginia General Assembly – Position Summary

March 4, 2024

Key	
ChamberRVA Supports Bill <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	ChamberRVA Opposes Bill <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Bills printed in black are active	Bills printed in red are no longer active

## Education and Workforce Development

Bill	Patron	Status	Description	Chamber Position
<a href="#">HB 1345</a> <a href="#">SB 199</a>	Anthony Diggs	S. Ed rep w/sub H. passed 99-0	Allows industry-recognized workforce credentials to be substituted for certain high school graduation requirements	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
<a href="#">HB 1087</a>  <a href="#">SB 627</a>	Coyner  Lucas	S. passed w/sub 39-0 In Confer. Comm.	Requires schools to provide opportunities for high school students to take postsecondary dual enrollment courses Substitute requires development of framework for the above	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
<a href="#">HB 1051</a> <a href="#">SB 563</a>	<b>Batten</b> <b>Hackworth</b>	<b>Contin. to 2025</b> <b>Contin. to 2025</b>	<b>Requires school boards to coordinate with community colleges to offer high-demand industry-recognized credentials</b>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
<a href="#">HB 632</a> <a href="#">SB 352</a>	Rasoul Peake	S. Ed. rep w/sub H passed w/ sub	Establishes an expedited path for schools to hire teachers based on relevant work experience or subject expertise	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
<a href="#">Item 200 #1h</a> <a href="#">Item 200 #2h</a> <a href="#">Item 200 #11h</a> <a href="#">Item 201 #2h</a>	House Budget	House passed	Provides additional \$51.1 million over two years to community colleges to increase degrees and workforce credentials in high demand industries (energy, healthcare, IT, manufacturing, skilled trades and transportation)	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
<a href="#">Item 130 #3h</a>	House Budget	House passed	Provides \$15.5 million over two years for community colleges for workforce credential grants for students (21 <sup>st</sup> Century Workforce Credential Grant Program)	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
<a href="#">HJR 67</a>	Simonds	Senate Finance	Establishes joint committee to study school funding, starting with JLARC's K-12 funding report	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
<a href="#">HB 805</a> <a href="#">SB 14</a>	Rasoul McPike	Passed H & S Passed S & H	Allows localities to hold referendum on additional local sales tax up to 1% for school construction	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
<a href="#">Item 132 #7h</a> <a href="#">Item 132 #1s</a>	H. Budget S. Budget	House passed Senate passed	\$29 million over two years for VTOP internships \$24 million over two years for VTOP internships	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>

Early Childhood Care				
Bill	Patron	Status	Description	Chamber Position
<a href="#">Item 203 #1h</a> <a href="#">Item 203 #1s</a> <a href="#">HB 419</a>	<del>Carr</del> Deeds	<del>Not included</del> Not included	Provides \$8 million over two years for Network2Work	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
<a href="#">Item 124 #14h</a> <a href="#">SB 419</a>	Bulova H. Budget	Senate Finance House passed w/ sub	Establishes nonreverting Early Childhood Care and Education Fund and provides for a formula for funding	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
<a href="#">Item 124 #56s</a> <a href="#">HB 1375</a>	Hashmi Gardner	<del>Not included</del> Sen Fin continued to 2025	Reallocates funding for Career and Technical Education	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
<a href="#">Item 124 #66h</a>	Carr	<del>Not included</del>	Provides \$1 million over two years for Code RVA Regional High School	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
<a href="#">Item 125.04 #1h</a> <a href="#">Item 125.10 #1h</a>	<del>Gov</del> Budget	<del>Not included</del> House passed	Consolidates funding for Childcare Subsidy Program, Mixed Delivery and Virginia Preschool Initiative in Early Childhood Care and Education Fund. Provides additional \$70.8 million above Governor's budget over two years to maintain and increase slots, and maintain copay and LCI caps	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
<a href="#">HB 475</a> <a href="#">HB 1277</a>	Coyner Laufer	<del>Incorp in HB 1277</del> H & S passed	Allows childcare employee applicant to work before receiving full background check approval if has received fingerprint check approval	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
<a href="#">HB 1216</a>	McClure	Senate Finance	Provides state match for employer contribution for employee childcare (Employee Child Care Assistance Program)	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
<a href="#">Item 125.10 #1h</a>	H. Budget	House passed	Provides \$4 million over two years for a pilot program for a state match for employer contributions for childcare	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>

Economic Development				
Bill	Patron	Status	Description	Chamber Position
<a href="#">Item 101 # 1h</a> <a href="#">Item 101 #1s</a>	H. Budget S. Budget	House passed Senate passed	\$40 million over two years for Business Ready Sites \$100 million over two years for Business Ready Sites	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Item 101R	Gov. Budget	House passed	\$25 million in first year for Business Ready Sites Acquisition	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
<a href="#">HB 1125</a> <a href="#">SB 217</a>	Carr Locke	S passed w/ sub In Confer Comm.	Allows two sites to be designated annually for expedited permitting.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
<a href="#">HB 960</a> <a href="#">SB 556</a>	Lopez	In Confer Comm In Confer Comm	Increases the maximum historic tax credit from \$5 million to \$10 million	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>

	Williams Graves			
<a href="#">HB237</a> <a href="#">SB496</a>	Austin Carroll Foy	H & S passed H passed w/ sub	Reduces match amount for grants from Virginia Growth and Opportunity Fund to 50%	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>

## Business

Bill	Patron	Status	Description	Chamber Position
<a href="#">HB 990</a> <a href="#">SB 370</a>	Lopes Maldonado Boysko	H & S passed S & H passed	Requires employers to list salary range on job postings and prohibits asking applicant about salary history	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
<a href="#">SB 360</a>	VanValkenburg	S. def 11-28-1	As amended, prohibits all non-compete agreements	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>

## Affordable Housing

<a href="#">Item 102 #1h</a>	House Budget	House passed	Provides additional \$37.5 million over two years above Governor's budget for Virginia Housing Trust Fund for low-income households	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
<a href="#">Item102 #1h</a> <a href="#">Item102 #3h</a> <a href="#">Item102 #3s</a>	Coyner Bennett-Parker Hashmi	Not included Not included Not included	Provides \$100 million over two years for rental assistance for households with a child and AMI below 50% AMI (5000 Families pilot program)	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
<a href="#">HB 721</a> <a href="#">SB 366</a>	Clark Boysko	Contin. to 2025 S. Gen Laws def 5-8-2	Allows localities to adopt ordinances limiting rent increases to no more than increase in CPI	<input type="checkbox"/>

## Infrastructure

Item 365K	Gov. Budget	H & S passed	Provides \$50 million in first year for Richmond combined sewer overflow	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
<a href="#">Item365 #1h</a> <a href="#">Item365 #1s</a>	Carr Hashmi	Not included Not included	Provides additional \$200 million over two years Provides additional \$200 million over two years	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
<a href="#">HB71</a>	Bulova	H & S passed	Extends deadline to 2026 for compliance of combined sewer overflows	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
<a href="#">HB660</a> <a href="#">SB451</a>	Kilgore Marsden	Left in H. Fin. Contin to 2025	Designates 5% of corporate income tax revenues for state parks	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>

## Legal

<a href="#">HB 418</a> <a href="#">SB 259</a> <a href="#">SB 587</a>	Simon Surovell Bagby	H & S passed S & H passed Incorp in SB 259	Allows class action lawsuits	<input type="checkbox"/>
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