Secretary of Technology
OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY OF TECHNOLOGY

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Karen Jackson .............................................................................................................. Secretary
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The Secretary of Technology and its agencies are responsible for the efficient and effective use of information technology to simplify government operations, advance technology applications to improve public services, and drive the innovation economy through the Commonwealth's leadership.

The Secretary of Technology oversees two agencies: Virginia's Center for Innovative Technology (CIT) and the Virginia Information Technologies Agency (VITA).
INNOVATION AND ENTREPRENEURSHIP INVESTMENT AUTHORITY

Location: 2214 Rock Hill Road, Suite 600
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Internet: http://www.cit.org/

Reference: § 2.2-2219 et seq.

Purpose, Powers and Duties: To (i) promote the economic development of the Commonwealth by attracting and retaining high technology jobs and businesses in Virginia; (ii) increase industry competitiveness by supporting the application of innovative technologies that improve productivity and efficiency; (iii) mobilize support for high technology industries to commercialize new products and processes, including organizing assistance for small business and supporting select industry sectors and regional high technology efforts; (iv) enhance and expand the scientific and technological research and development capabilities of the institutions of higher education in the Commonwealth and coordinate such capabilities with the scientific and technological research and development activities and requirements of the public and private sectors, including transferring technological advances to the private sector; (v) expand knowledge pertaining to scientific and technological research and development among public and private entities; (vi) attract research and development (R&D) facilities and contracts from the federal government and private sector, including coordinating efforts to identify and compete for large federal and private sector R&D facilities, tracking federal technology initiatives and recommending state actions, and developing a statewide strategy to compete for large R&D contracts; and (vii) facilitate and coordinate the marketing, organization, utilization and development of scientific and technological research and development in the Commonwealth.

The Authority is operated by the Center for Innovative Technology.

Composition: The Authority shall be governed by a board of directors consisting of 17 members appointed as follows: (i) two presidents of the major research public institutions of higher education, and one president representing the other public institutions of higher education, appointed by the Governor; (ii) three nonlegislative citizen members appointed by the Governor; (iii) eight nonlegislative citizen members appointed by the General Assembly as follows: four nonlegislative citizen members appointed by the Speaker of the House from a list recommended by the House Committee on Science and Technology and the Joint Commission on Technology and Science and four nonlegislative citizen members appointed by the Senate Committee on Rules from a list recommended by the Senate Committee on General Laws and Technology and the Joint Commission on Technology and Science; and (iv) the Secretary of Technology, the Secretary of Commerce and Trade, and the Secretary of Education, who shall serve ex officio with full voting privileges.

One nonlegislative citizen member appointed by the Governor, one nonlegislative citizen member appointed by the Speaker of the House, and one nonlegislative citizen member appointed by the Senate Committee on Rules shall each have experience as a founding member of a technology company based upon intellectual property that has secured private investment capital. One nonlegislative citizen member appointed by the Governor, one nonlegislative citizen member appointed by the Speaker of the House, and one nonlegislative citizen member appointed by the Senate Committee on Rules shall each have experience as an institutional venture capital investment partner. One nonlegislative citizen member appointed by the Governor, one nonlegislative citizen member appointed by the Speaker of the House, and one nonlegislative citizen member appointed by the Senate Committee on Rules shall each have
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experience as a senior executive in a technology or scientific research and development company with annual revenues in excess of $5 million. One nonlegislative citizen member appointed by the Governor, one nonlegislative citizen member appointed by the Speaker of the House and one nonlegislative citizen member appointed by the Senate Committee on Rules shall be from rural areas of the Commonwealth.

Term:
The Secretary of Technology, Secretary of Commerce and Trade, and Secretary of Education shall serve terms coincident with their terms of office. After the initial staggering of terms, nonlegislative citizen members and presidents shall be appointed for terms of two years. Vacancies in the membership of the Board shall be filled in the same manner as the original appointments for the unexpired portion of the term. No nonlegislative citizen member or president shall be eligible to serve for more than three successive two-year terms; however, after the expiration of a term of one year, or after the expiration of the remainder of a term to which appointed to fill a vacancy, three additional terms may be served by such member if appointed thereto. Members of the Board shall be subject to removal from office in like manner as are state, county, town and district officers under the provisions of §§ 24.2-230 through 24.2-238. Immediately after appointment, the members of the Board shall enter upon the performance of their duties.

Membership:

Gubernatorial Appointees

Timothy Sands, Blacksburg .................................................. term expires 6/30/18
Michael Steed, Chevy Chase, Maryland ................................. term expires 6/30/18
Teresa Sullivan, Charlottesville ............................................. term expires 6/30/18
Jonathan Moss Aberman, McLean ....................................... term expires 6/30/19
Ángel Cabrera, Fairfax ....................................................... term expires 6/30/19
Bernard A. Mustafa, Ashburn ............................................. term expires 6/30/19

Senate Appointees

J.S. Gamble ................................................................. term expires 6/30/18
Robert Quartel ................................................................. term expires 6/30/18
Marilyn Crouther ............................................................. term expires 6/30/19
Angela D. Kellett ............................................................. term expires 6/30/19

House Appointees

Charles A. Williamson ..................................................... term expires 6/30/18
Walter “Duffy” L. Mazan, II .............................................. term expires 6/30/19
Christy T. Morton ........................................................... term expires 6/30/19
Stephen R. Chapin, Jr.

Ex Officio

Todd Haymore, Secretary of Commerce and Trade
Karen Jackson, Secretary of Technology
Dietra Trent, Secretary of Education

OFFICE OF TELEWORK PROMOTION AND BROADBAND ASSISTANCE

Location:

1111 East Broad Street, 4th Floor
Richmond, Virginia 23219
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Internet: https://www.wired.virginia.gov/

Reference:

2.2-225.1

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and Duties: To encourage the development of a family-friendly, business-friendly public policy environment that promotes workplace efficiency, reduces strain on transportation infrastructure and encourages the deployment and adoption of affordable broadband level telecommunication services.

BROADBAND ADVISORY COUNCIL

Reference: § 2.2-2699.3

Purpose, Powers and Duties: To advise the Governor on policy and funding priorities to expedite deployment and reduce the cost of broadband access in the Commonwealth.

Composition: The Council shall have a total membership of 14 members that shall consist of six legislative members, four nonlegislative citizen members, and four ex officio members. Members shall be appointed as follows: four members of the House of Delegates to be appointed by the Speaker of the House of Delegates in accordance with the principles of proportional representation contained in the Rules of the House of Delegates; two members of the Senate to be appointed by the Senate Committee on Rules; and four nonlegislative citizen members to be appointed by the Governor, of whom one shall be a representative of the Virginia Cable Telecommunications Association, one shall be a representative of the Virginia Telecommunications Industry Association, one shall be a representative from local government recommended by the Virginia Municipal League and Virginia Association of Counties, and one shall be a representative of the Virginia Wireless Internet Service Providers Association. The Secretaries of Agriculture and Forestry, Commerce and Trade, and Technology, or their designees, and the executive director of the Center for Rural Virginia shall serve ex officio.

Term: Ex officio members shall serve terms coincident with their terms of office. Other members shall be appointed for a term of two years and shall be eligible for reappointment.

Membership: 

Gubernatorial Appointees
James Carr, Leesburg ............................................ term expires 6/30/19
Raphael C LaMura, Richmond............................ term expires 6/30/19
Duront A. Walton, Richmond........................... term expires 6/30/19
Rosemary A Wilson, Virginia Beach .................. term expires 6/30/19

Senate Appointee
Senator Charles W. Carrico, Sr., Galax
Senator Frank M. Ruff Jr., Clarksville

House Appointees
Delegate Jennifer B. Boysko, Herndon
Delegate Kathy J. Byron, Lynchburg
Delegate James Leftwich, Chesapeake
Delegate J. Randall Minchew, Leesburg

Ex Officio
Todd Haymore, Secretary of Commerce and Trade
Karen Jackson, Secretary of Technology

VIRGINIA INFORMATION TECHNOLOGIES AGENCY
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Location: Commonwealth Enterprise Solutions Center
11751 Meadowville Lane
Chester, Virginia 23836
Tel. (804) 416-6100 │ Fax (804) 416-6355
Internet: https://www.vita.virginia.gov/

Code Reference: § 2.2-2005

Purpose, Powers, and Duties: Formulate policies, guidelines, standards, and specifications for the purchase, development, and maintenance of information technology and telecommunications for state agencies; consolidate the procurement and operational functions of information technology, including but not limited to servers and networks, for state agencies in a single agency.

Term: The Governor shall appoint the Chief Information Officer.

Chief Information Officer: Nelson P. Moe

INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY ADVISORY COUNCIL

Reference: § 2.2-2699.5

Purpose, Powers and Duties: The Information Technology Advisory Council (ITAC) is established as an advisory council, within the meaning of § 2.2-2100, in the executive branch of state government. The ITAC shall be responsible for advising the CIO and the Secretary of Technology on the planning, budgeting, acquiring, using, disposing, managing, and administering of information technology in the Commonwealth.

Composition: The ITAC shall consist of not more than 16 members as follows: (i) one representative from an agency under each of the Governor's Secretaries, as set out in Chapter 2 (§ 2.2-200 et seq.), to be appointed by the Governor and serve with voting privileges; (ii) the Secretary of Technology and the CIO who shall serve ex officio with voting privileges; (iii) the Secretary of the Commonwealth or his designee; and (iv) at the Governor's discretion, not more than two nonlegislative citizen members to be appointed by the Governor and serve with voting privileges.

Term: Nonlegislative citizen members shall be appointed for terms of four years. Appointments to fill vacancies, other than by expiration of a term, shall be for the unexpired terms. All members may be reappointed. However, no nonlegislative citizen member shall serve more than two consecutive four-year terms. The remainder of any term to which a member is appointed to fill a vacancy shall not constitute a term in determining the member's eligibility for reappointment. Vacancies shall be filled in the same manner as the original appointments.

Chairman: John Newby
Vice Chairman: Ernest F. Steidle, Ph.D.

Membership: Gubernatorial Appointees
Sandra J. Adams, Richmond .......................................................... term expires 6/30/18
Christopher Beschler ................................................................. term expires 6/30/18
Clyde E. Cristman, Richmond ................................................... term expires 6/30/18
Elizabeth Lu El-Nattar, Mclean ................................................ term expires 6/30/18
David Ihrie, Herndon ............................................................... term expires 6/30/18
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Monte Johnson, Ashburn ............................................. term expires 6/30/18
Charlie Kilpatrick, P.E., Fredericksburg ......................... term expires 6/30/18
Bobby F. Keener, Richmond ........................................ term expires 6/30/18
Judy Napier, Richmond ............................................... term expires 6/30/18
John Newby, Richmond ............................................. term expires 6/30/18
Jeffrey Ryan ............................................................. term expires 6/30/18
Ernest F. Steidle, Ph.D., Richmond ................................ term expires 6/30/18
Kelly Thomasson Mercer, Ashland ................................. term expires 6/30/18
David A. Von Moll, Chesterfield ................................. term expires 6/30/18

Ex Officio
Karen Jackson, Secretary of Technology
Nelson Moe, Chief Information Officer
Kelly Thomasson, Secretary of the Commonwealth

VIRGINIA GEOGRAPHIC INFORMATION NETWORK ADVISORY BOARD

Code Reference: § 2.2-2423

Purpose, Powers and Duties: To facilitate the cost-effective development and use of spatial data, GIS, and related technologies in organizations throughout the Commonwealth and to advise the Division of the Virginia Geographic Information Network on issues which foster the creative utilization of geographic information and oversee the development of a catalog of GIS data available in the Commonwealth.

Composition: The Board shall consist of 16 members appointed as follows: seven non-legislative citizen members to be appointed by the Governor that consist of one agency director from one of the natural resources agencies, one official from a state university, one elected official representing a local government in the Commonwealth, one member of the Virginia Association of Surveyors, one representative of a utility or transportation industry utilizing geographic data, and two representatives of private businesses with expertise and experience in the establishment, operation, and maintenance of geographic information systems; four members of the House of Delegates, to be appointed by the Speaker of the House of Delegates; two members of the Senate, to be appointed by the Senate Committee on Rules; the Chief Information Officer, the Commissioner of Highways, and the Chief Executive Officer of the Economic Development Partnership Authority or their designees who shall serve as ex officio, voting members, Gubernatorial appointees may be nonresidents of the Commonwealth. All members of the Board appointed by the Governor shall be confirmed by each house of the General Assembly. The agency director and state university official appointed by the Governor may each designate a member of his organization as an alternate who may attend meetings in his place and be counted as a member of the Board for the purpose of a quorum.

Term: Five years; except for the initial appointees whose terms were staggered. Members appointed by the Governor shall serve no more than two consecutive full terms. Legislative members shall serve for terms coincident with their term of office.

Chairman: Delegate Richard L. Anderson

Membership: Gubernatorial Appointees

Charles W. Donato, Richmond ................................. term expires 6/30/16
Christopher R. Knights, Barboursville ......................... term expires 6/30/16
Hua Liu, Norfolk ...................................................... term expires 6/30/21
Douglas Richmond, Fredericksburg ............................ term expires 6/30/21
Elaine Roop, Roanoke ............................................. term expires 6/30/21
John C. Watkins, Midlothian ..................................... term expires 6/30/21
Senate Appointees

Senator Adam P. Ebbin, Alexandria
Senator David R. Suetterlein, Cave Spring

House Appointees

Delegate Lashrecse D. Aird, Petersburg
Delegate Richard L. Anderson, Woodbridge
Delegate James A. Leftwich, Jr., Chesapeake
Delegate L. Scott Lingamfelter, Woodbridge

Ex Officio

Nelson Moe, Chief Information Officer, VITA
Stephen Moret, President and Chief Executive Officer, Virginia Economic Development Partnership
Clyde Cristman, Director, Virginia Department of Conservation and Recreation
Charles Kilpatrick, Commissioner, Virginia Department of Transportation

E-911 Services Board

Code Reference: § 56-484.13

Purpose, Powers and Duties: Promote and assist in the statewide development, deployment, and maintenance of enhanced wireless emergency telecommunications services and technologies. The Board shall similarly promote and assist in the development and deployment of enhanced wireline emergency telecommunications services and technologies only in specific local jurisdictions that are not currently wireline E-911 capable.

Composition: The Board shall consist of 16 members as follows: the Director of the Virginia Department of Emergency Management, who shall serve as chairman of the Board; the Comptroller, who shall serve as the treasurer of the Board; the Chief Information Officer; and the following 13 members to be appointed by the Governor: one member representing the Virginia State Police; one member representing a local exchange carrier providing E-911 service in Virginia; one member representing VoIP service providers affiliated with cable companies and authorized to transact business in Virginia; two members representing wireless service providers authorized to do business in Virginia; three county, city, or town PSAP directors or managers representing diverse regions of Virginia; one Virginia sheriff; one chief of police; one fire chief; one emergency medical services manager; and one finance officer of a county, city, or town.

Term: All members appointed by the Governor shall serve five-year terms. The CIO and the Comptroller shall serve terms coincident with their terms of office. No gubernatorial appointee shall serve more than two consecutive terms.

Chairman: Jeffrey Stern, Virginia Department of Emergency Management

Membership: Gubernatorial Appointees

Dennis E Hale, Church Road ........................................... term expires 6/30/18
Jim L. Junkins, Broadway ........................................... term expires 6/30/18
Robert Layman, Chesterfield ....................................... term expires 6/30/18
Jeffrey Thomas Merriman, Glen Allen ......................... term expires 6/30/18
Lehew Wilson Miller, Mechanicsville .......................... term expires 6/30/18
Kathleen T. Seay, Mechanicsville ............................... term expires 6/30/18
Jolena B Young, Woodlawn ........................................ term expires 6/30/18
Richard C. Clark, Hillsville ....................................... term expires 6/30/20
Kevin W Hall, Covington ........................................ term expires 6/30/20
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Terry R. Ellis, Sutherland ......................................................... term expires 6/30/21
Danny W. Garrison, Petersburg ............................................. term expires 6/30/21

Designated Members

Nelson Moe, Chief Information Officer of the Commonwealth
David A. Von Moll, State Comptroller
Jeffrey Stern, Director, Department of Emergency Management
Brandon Smith, Advisor, State Interoperability Coordinator

MODELING AND SIMULATION ADVISORY COUNCIL

Location: VMASC-Old Dominion University
1030 University Boulevard
Suffolk, Virginia 23435
Tel. (757) 686-6200

Reference: § 2.2-2698

Purpose, Powers and Duties: To advise the Governor on policy and funding priorities to promote the modeling and simulation industry in the Commonwealth.

Composition: The Council shall consist of 15 members as follows: three legislative members of the House of Delegates to be appointed by the Speaker of the House of Delegates; one legislative member of the Senate to be appointed by the Senate Committee on Rules; six citizen representatives of the modeling and simulation industry and two citizen members representing Virginia public institutions of higher education with modeling and simulation capabilities to be appointed by the Governor; the Secretary of Technology and the Secretary of Commerce and Trade or their designees; and the Executive Director of the Virginia Modeling, Analysis and Simulation Center.

Term: Beginning July 1, 2012, the Governor’s appointments shall be staggered as follows: two members for a term of two years, two members for a term of three years, and two members for a term of four years. Thereafter, appointments by the Governor shall be for terms of four years, except an appointment to fill a vacancy, which shall be for the unexpired term. Ex officio members and legislative members shall serve terms coincident with their terms of office. All members shall be eligible for reappointment. Vacancies shall be filled in the manner of the original appointments.

Membership: Gubernatorial Appointees

John T. Kenney, Sterling ......................................................... term expires 6/30/15
Jeanine McDonnell Zubowsky, Virginia Beach........................ term expires 6/30/15
Christopher L. Barrett, Blacksburg ........................................ term expires 6/30/16
Paul Gustarson, Fredericksburg .......................................... term expires 6/30/16
James D. McArthur, Jr., Suffolk ............................................ term expires 6/30/16
Bill Thomas, Hampton......................................................... term expires 6/30/16
Gianna Zoe Fernandez, Arlington ...................................... term expires 6/30/17
Beverly Seay, Winter Park, Florida ...................................... term expires 6/30/17

Senate Appointee

Senator Lynwood W. Lewis, Jr., Accomac

House Appointees

Delegate L. Scott Lingamfelter, Woodbridge
Delegate David E. Yancey, Newport News
Delegate Jeion A. Ward, Hampton

**Ex Officio Members**

Todd Haymore, Secretary of Commerce and Trade  
Karen Jackson, Secretary of Technology  
John A. Sokolowski, Executive Director, Virginia Modeling, Analysis and Simulation Center