Virginia Port Authority (VPA) Board of Commissioners Nominating Committee Meeting

Monday, July 28, 2025 - 12:30 PM - 1:00 PM

Meeting Location:

VPA Waterside Conference Room, 600 World Trade Center, 101 West Main Street, Norfolk

Nominating Committee Members

Jim Burnett Chair

Mike Coleman Board Commissioner
Eva Teig Hardy Board Commissioner
Bill Kirk Board Commissioner

Open Session

- 1. Call to Order, Chair Burnett
- 2. Board Chair Selection Policy
- 3. Opportunity for Public Comment
- 4. Adjourn

Virginia Port Authority (VPA) Board of Commissioners Finance and Audit Committee Meeting

Monday, July 28, 2025 – 1:00 p.m. – 2:30 p.m.

Meeting Location:

VPA Board Room, 600 World Trade Center, 101 West Main Street, Norfolk

Finance and Audit Committee Members

Ex-Officio Members

James C. Burnett Chair Aubrey L Shaza L. Andersen Vice Chair Faith B. I Maurice A. Jones

Aubrey L. Layne Board Chair
Faith B. Power Board Vice Chair

David L. Richardson

Presenters

Rodney W. Oliver Chief Financial Officer
Randy Pullens Cavanaugh Nelson
Stephen A. Edwards
Nina Malone CEO/Executive Director
Principal Economist

- 1. **Open Session** Call to Order, Chair Burnett
- 2. Safety Briefing Stephen A. Edwards
- 3. Closed Session Motion to convene a closed meeting in accordance with The Virginia Freedom of Information Act, pursuant to the requirements of §2.2-3711(A)(37), and the provisions of §62.1-132.4, to discuss proprietary financial data and information relating to tonnages and cargoes furnished to the VPA in confidence by Virginia International Terminals, LLC ("VIT") and "HRCP II, LLC; and pursuant to §2.2- 3711(A)(6) to discuss the consideration of investment of public funds where competition or bargaining is involved, where, if made public initially, the financial interest of the VPA would be adversely affected.
- 4. Vote on the motion
- 5. **Open Session** Certification of closed session
- 6. Opportunity for Public Comment
- 7. Adjourn

CLOSED SESSION LANGUAGE

VPA Board Finance and Audit Committee Closed Meeting – July 28, 2025

TO CONVENE CLOSED MEETING:

"I move that the VPA Board's Finance and Audit Committee convene a closed meeting in accordance with The Virginia Freedom of Information Act, pursuant to the requirements of §2.2-3711(A)(37), and the provisions of §62.1-132.4, to discuss proprietary financial data and information relating to tonnages and cargoes furnished to the VPA in confidence by Virginia International Terminals, LLC ("VIT") and the Hampton Roads Chassis Pool II, LLC ("HRCP II"); and pursuant to §2.2-3711(A)(6) to discuss the consideration of investment of public funds where competition or bargaining is involved, where, if made public initially, the financial interest of the VPA would be adversely affected."

[Motion] [Second needed] [Voice Vote]

CERTIFICATION AFTER CLOSED MEETING:

"I move the following resolution,

Whereas, the Finance and Audit Committee has convened a closed meeting on this date pursuant to an affirmative recorded vote and in accordance with the provisions of The Virginia Freedom of Information Act; and

Whereas, §2.2-3712 of the Code of Virginia requires a certification that such closed meeting was conducted in conformity with Virginia law;

Now, therefore, be it resolved, that the committee member certifies that, to the best of each member's knowledge, (i) only public business matters lawfully exempted from open meeting requirements under this chapter were discussed in the closed meeting to which this certification resolution applies, and (ii) only such public business matters as were identified in the motion by which the closed meeting was convened were heard, discussed or considered by the Committee."

[Motion] [Second needed] [Roll Call Vote]

Committee Members:	Ex Officio Members:
Chair Burnett	Board Chair Layne
Vice Chair Andersen	Board Vice Chair Power
Commissioner Jones	
Commissioner Richardson	

Virginia Port Authority (VPA) Board of Commissioners Executive Session

Monday, July 28, 2025 - 2:30 p.m. - 4:45 p.m.

Meeting Location:

VPA Boardroom, 101 W. Main Street, 600 World Trade Center, Norfolk

Executive Session Attendees

Aubrey L. Layne **Board Chair** Faith B. Power **Board Vice Chair** Shaza Andersen **Board Commissioner Board Commissioner** John C. Asbury **Board Commissioner** George H. Brown **Board Commissioner** James C. Burnett **Board Commissioner** Michael W. Coleman **Board Commissioner** Jason El Koubi **Board Commissioner** Ellen Smith Gajda **Board Commissioner** Eva Teig Hardy **Board Commissioner** Maurice A. Jones **Board Commissioner** John W. Kirk **Board Commissioner** David L. Richardson

Presenters:

Stephen Edwards CEO/Executive Director, VPA

Ashley Fisher Vice President, Strategy, Virginia International Terminals, LLC ("VIT")

Executive Team

1. Call to Order

2. Safety Briefing - Joseph P. Ruddy, Chief Operations Officer, VIT

3. Closed Session

Motion to a convene a closed meeting in accordance with The Virginia Freedom of Information Act, pursuant to the requirements of §2.2-3711(A)(5), to discuss prospective business or industry or the expansion of an existing business or industry where no previous announcement has been made of the business' or industry's interest in locating or expanding its facilities in the community and pursuant to §2.2-3711(A)(6) for the discussion or consideration of the investment of public funds where competition or bargaining is involved, where, if made public initially, the financial interest of the governmental unit would be adversely affected, and the provisions of §2.2-3711(A)(37), to discuss proprietary information gathered by or for the VPA in confidence.

- 4. Open Session Certification of closed session
- **5.** Opportunity for public comment

CLOSED SESSION LANGUAGE

VPA Board Executive Session Closed Meeting – July 28, 2025

TO CONVENE CLOSED MEETING:

"I move that the VPA Board convene a closed meeting in accordance with The Virginia Freedom of Information Act, pursuant to the requirements of §2.2-3711(A)(5), to discuss prospective business or industry or the expansion of an existing business or industry where no previous announcement has been made of the business' or industry's interest in locating or expanding its facilities in the community and pursuant to §2.2-3711(A)(6) for the discussion or consideration of the investment of public funds where competition or bargaining is involved, where, if made public initially, the financial interest of the governmental unit would be adversely affected, and the provisions of §2.2-3711(A)(37), to discuss proprietary information gathered by or for the VPA in confidence."

[Motion] [Second needed] [Voice Vote]

CERTIFICATION AFTER CLOSED MEETING:

"I move the following resolution,

Whereas, the Board has convened a closed meeting on this date pursuant to an affirmative recorded vote and in accordance with the provisions of The Virginia Freedom of Information Act; and

Whereas, §2.2-3712 of the Code of Virginia requires a certification that such closed meeting was conducted in conformity with Virginia law; Now, therefore be it resolved, that the Board member certifies that, to the best of each member's knowledge, (i) only public business matters lawfully exempted from open meeting requirements under this chapter were discussed in the closed meeting to which this certification resolution applies, and (ii) only such public business matters as were identified in the motion by which the closed meeting was convened were heard, discussed or considered by the Board."

[Motion] [Second needed] [Roll Call Vote]

Board Members:
Chair Layne
Vice Chair Power
Commissioner Andersen
Commissioner Asbury
Commissioner Brown
Commissioner Burnett
Commissioner Coleman
Commissioner El Koubi
Commissioner Gajda
Commissioner Hardy
Commissioner Jones
Commissioner Kirk
Commissioner Richardson

Virginia Port Authority (VPA) Board of Commissioners Executive Committee Meeting

Monday, July 28, 2025 – 5:00 p.m. – 5:45 p.m.

Meeting Location:

VPA Board Room, 600 World Trade Center, 101 West Main Street, Norfolk

Executive Committee Members

Aubrey L. Layne Board Chair
Faith B. Power Board Vice Chair

John C. Asbury Chair, Growth Committee

James C. Burnett Chair, Finance and Audit Committee

John W. Kirk, III Chair, Operations and Infrastructure Committee

Presenter:

Stephen A. Edwards CEO/Executive Director

- 1. **Open Session** Call to Order, Chair Layne
- 2. Safety Briefing Stephen A. Edwards
- 3. Closed Session Motion to a convene a closed meeting in accordance with The Virginia Freedom of Information Act, pursuant to the requirements of §2.2-3711(A)(6) for the discussion or consideration of the investment of public funds where competition or bargaining is involved, where, if made public initially, the financial interest of the governmental unit would be adversely affected, and the provisions of §2.2-3711(A)(37), to discuss proprietary data furnished to the VPA in confidence, and the provisions of §2.2-3711(A)(1), to discuss assignment, appointment, promotion and performance of employees of a public body.
- 4. Vote on the motion
- 5. **Open Session** Certification of closed session
- 6. Opportunity for public comment
- 7. Adjourn

CLOSED SESSION LANGUAGE

VPA Board Executive Committee Closed Meeting – July 28, 2025

TO CONVENE CLOSED MEETING:

"I move that the VPA Board's Executive Committee to a convene a closed meeting in accordance with The Virginia Freedom of Information Act, pursuant to the requirements of §2.2-3711(A)(6) for the discussion or consideration of the investment of public funds where competition or bargaining is involved, where, if made public initially, the financial interest of the governmental unit would be adversely affected, and the provisions of §2.2-3711(A)(37), to discuss proprietary data furnished to the VPA in confidence, and the provisions of §2.2-3711(A)(1), to discuss assignment, appointment, promotion and performance of employees of a public body."

[Motion] [Second needed] [Voice Vote]

CERTIFICATION AFTER CLOSED MEETING:

"I move the following resolution,

Whereas, the Executive Committee has convened a closed meeting on this date pursuant to an affirmative recorded vote and in accordance with the provisions of The Virginia Freedom of Information Act; and

Whereas, §2.2-3712 of the Code of Virginia requires a certification that such closed meeting was conducted in conformity with Virginia law;

Now, therefore be it resolved, that the committee member certifies that, to the best of each member's knowledge, (i) only public business matters lawfully exempted from open meeting requirements under this chapter were discussed in the closed meeting to which this certification resolution applies, and (ii) only such public business matters as were identified in the motion by which the closed meeting was convened were heard, discussed or considered by the Committee."

[Motion] [Second needed] [Roll Call Vote]

Committee Members:
Chair Layne
Vice Chair Power
Commissioner Asbury
Commissioner Burnet
Commissioner Kirk