Virginia American Revolution 250 Commission (VA250)
Tuesday, April 18, 2023, 10:30 a.m.
Virginia Museum of History and Culture
Reynolds Leadership Center (2nd floor)

DRAFT AGENDA

Call to Order and Roll Call
The Honorable Terry L. Austin, Chair

Approval of Minutes from January 6, 2023
Chair Austin

Chair’s Report
Chair Austin

Recap of A Common Cause to All: A Convening of States on the 250th Anniversary of the Call for Committees of Correspondence
Cheryl Wilson, Cliff Fleet, Jamie Bosket, Christy Coleman

- Event summary, survey results, and economic impact analysis
- Media coverage
- Next steps
  - Friday, March 15 – Sunday, March 17, 2024
  - Friday, March 21 – Sunday, March 23, 2025

VTC-VA250 Marketing Leverage Grant Recommendations**
Staci Martin, Grants Director, Virginia Tourism Corporation
Noah Salaah ad-Deen, Partnership and Marketing Grants Coordinator, Virginia Tourism Corporation

Marketing Report
Diane Beschamps, Vice President of Marketing, Virginia Tourism Corporation

Development Report
Ben Dendy, President, Virginia Commemorations, Inc.

Staff Report
Cheryl Wilson

- VA250 promotional video
- Honorary Leadership Council
- Key anniversary dates and events
- Local VA250 committees
- Logo requests
- Grants to partners: VTC, Virginia Humanities, Virginia Commission for the Arts
- VMHC/JYF exhibition, Give Me Liberty: Virginia and the Forging of a Nation
- Mobile exhibition
Public Comment

Other Business; Adjournment

**Next meeting dates** (locations TBD)
Tuesday, July 18, 10:30 a.m.
Tuesday, October 17, 10:30 a.m.
Friday, January 5, 10:30 a.m.

**2/3 vote required for approval**

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