



American Revolution Commission (VA250)

Full Commission Meeting
Tuesday, April 8, 2025, 10:00 AM
General Assembly Building
House Room A (Lower level)

AGENDA

- 10:00 am **Call to Order and Roll Call**
Chair's Remarks
The Honorable Terry Austin
- Remarks from Vice Chair and National Honorary Chair**
The Honorable Mamie Locke, Vice Chair
Carly Fiorina, National Honorary Chair
- 10:20 am **Approval of Minutes from October 15, 2024**
- 10:25 am **VA250 Preservation Grant Fund Update**
Julie Langan, Virginia Department of Historic Resources
- 10:35 am **VTC-VA250 Marketing Leverage Grants: Round 4 Recommendations \$**
Staci Martin and Noah Salaah ad-Deen
- 10:50 am ***Give Me Liberty: Virginia and the Forging of a Nation***
Jamie Bosket, Virginia Museum of History and Culture
Christy Coleman, Jamestown-Yorktown Foundation
- 11:00 am **Advisory Council Updates**
- African American Advisory Council**
Senator Mamie Locke, Chair
- Tribal Nations Leadership Advisory Council**
Chief Stephen Adkins, Chair
- Education Steering Committee update**
Secretary of Education Aimee Guidera, Chair
- 11:20 pm **Staff Updates**
Cheryl Wilson, Executive Director
- Routine approvals: logo requests, electronic meeting policy
 - **America. Made in Virginia.**
 - Statewide engagement; Commemorative partners
 - Development report
 - Mobile Museum experience

- Past events
 - **Salute to Southwest Virginia: 250th Anniversary of Fincastle Resolutions**
Roanoke History Museum: Saturday, January 18
 - **Opening of *Give Me Liberty: Virginia and the Forging of a Nation***
VMHC: Saturday, March 22
 - **250th anniversary of Patrick Henry’s “Give Me Liberty” speech**
St. John’s Church: Sunday, March 23
 - ***A Common Cause to All***
The Williamsburg Lodge: Monday, March 24- Wednesday, March 26
- Save the Dates/Upcoming events
 - **Two Lights for Tomorrow**
Locations across Virginia: Friday, April 18 and Saturday, April 19
 - **Gunpowder Incident**
Colonial Williamsburg: Monday, April 21
 - **Virginia International Tattoo: Tribute to the 250th Anniversary of the Army, Navy, and Marine Corps**
Norfolk Scope: Friday, April 25
 - **250th Anniversary of the US Army**
Various locations: Saturday, June 14
 - **Juneteenth Freedom Fest**
Hampton: Sunday, June 15
Locations across Virginia: June 14-19
 - **July 4 at Fort Monroe**
Fort Monroe: Friday, July 4

11:40 pm **Other Business; Adjournment**

Full Commission Meeting Dates: 2025 Interim

Tuesday, April 8, 2025

Tuesday, July 22, 2025

Tuesday, October 21, 2025

Thursday, January 8, 2026

Members

*The Honorable Terry L. Austin, *Chair, Virginia House of Delegates*

*The Honorable Mamie E. Locke, *Vice Chair, Senate of Virginia*

*Carly Fiorina, *VA250 National Honorary Chair*

*The Honorable Alex Q. Askew, *Virginia House of Delegates*

*Chief Stephen R. Adkins, *Chickahominy Indian Tribe*

*Edward H. Baine, *Dominion Energy Virginia*

Jean Ann Bolling, *Mechanicsville VA*

*Jamie O. Bosket, *Virginia Museum of History and Culture*

Dr. Douglas Bradburn, *Mount Vernon*

Gretchen Bulova, *Office of Historic Alexandria*

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Dennis Clark, *Library of Virginia*

*Christy S. Coleman, *Jamestown-Yorktown Foundation*

*H. Benson Dendy III, *Chairman Emeritus, Jamestown-Yorktown Foundation*

David Duncan, *American Battlefield Trust*

*Clifford B. Fleet, *Colonial Williamsburg Foundation*

Sue Gerdelman, *Jamestown-Yorktown Foundation Board of Trustees*

*The Honorable Aimee R. Guidera, *Secretary of Education*
Peter Hedlund, *Virginia Humanities*
Dr. Jane Kamensky, *Monticello*
*The Honorable Paul E. Krizek, *Virginia House of Delegates*
Julie Langan, *Department of Historic Resources*
Jerri Marr, *Colonial National Historical Park*
The Honorable Elizabeth McClanahan, *Former Justice, Supreme Court of Virginia*
Rita McClenny, *Virginia Tourism Corporation*
*The Honorable Ryan T. McDougle, *Member, Senate of Virginia*
Eric Monday, *Virginia Bar Association*
*The Honorable Thomas K. Norment, *Former Member, Senate of Virginia*
*Antone Pierucci, *Gunston Hall*
*The Honorable Kenneth R. Plum, *Former Member, Virginia House of Delegates*
Alyson Ramsey, *Thomas Jefferson's Poplar Forest*
Katherine A. Rowe, *William & Mary*
Chief Anne Richardson, *Rappahannock Tribe*
Jackie Stone, *McGuire Woods LLP*

*Member of Executive Committee
\$ Requires 2/3 vote