2021 GCV Supported Bills, Resolutions & Amendments

Prepared for Legislative Day, January 21, 2021

- HB1760 Conservation easements; certain easements be literally construed in favor of purpose which created. (HB 1760)
- **SB 1199** Conservation easements; construction. Provides that an easement held pursuant to the Virginia Conservation Easement Act or the Open-Space Land Act be liberally construed in favor of achieving the conservation purposes for which it was created. (SB 1199)
- **HB 1763** Tax credit; Agricultural best management practices (SB 1199)
- SB 1162 Tax credit; Agricultural best management practices (SB 1162)
- HB 1804 State parks; DCR to develop recommendations for funding, report.
 (HB 1804)
- HB 1902 Expanded polystyrene food service containers; prohibition, civil penalty. (HB 1902)
- HB 1925 Virginia Brownfield and Coal Mine Renewable Energy Grant Fund and Program; established, report. (HB 1925)
- **HB 1979** Electric vehicle rebate program; creation and funding; report. (<u>HB</u> 1979)
- HB 2030 Neonicotinoid pesticides; local regulation and notice; penalty. (<u>HB</u> 2030)
- HB 2042 Replacement and conservation of trees during development. (<u>HB</u> 2042)
- HB 2118 Electric Vehicle Grant Fund and Program; creation; report. (HB 2118)

- HB 2129 Chesapeake Bay; wastewater treatment; Enhanced Nutrient Removal Certainty Program; (HB 2129)
- HB 2159 Release of balloon prohibited; civil penalty. (HB 2159)
- HB 2189 Virginia Adventure Corridor and Trail Authority. (HB 2189)
- **HB 2201** Solar and energy storage projects; siting agreements throughout the Commonwealth. (HB 2201)
- **SB 1207** Solar and energy storage projects; siting agreements throughout the Commonwealth. (SB 1207)
- HJ 527 Invasive plant species; DCR, et al., to study the sale and use of species. (HJ 527)
- SB 1265 Natural gas pipelines; stop work orders. (SB 1265)
- SB 1274 Government planning; wildlife corridors. (SB 1274)
- SB 1282 Greenhouse gas emissions inventory; regulations. (SB 1282)
- **SB 1309** Local stormwater assistance; flood mitigation and protection. (<u>SB</u> 1290)
- Budget Amendments HB 1800 (Member Request) Item 374 #2h (HB 1800)

This amendment provides \$2.0 million the second year from the general fund to support the purchase of River Farm in Alexandria by the Northern Virginia Regional Park Authority for conservation and maintenance as a publicly accessible historic site.