

Constitutional Officers Legislative Days in Richmond

January 26-28, 2025

*All events are at the **Omni Hotel** unless indicated otherwise.*

Education Program

Joint **treasurer** and **commissioner of the revenue** Education Program is January 27.

Registration fee is **\$85** and includes continental breakfast (Monday), breaks, and breakfast buffet (Tuesday) plus handouts. **Deadline to Register: January 20.**

There is **no lunch with the education program**; we encourage attendees to register separately for **VALECO's 50th** annual meeting and luncheon. **See below.**

The **Education Program** is worth:

6.4 points for **Treasurers**

plus 1.0 additional point if you attend the **VALECO** annual meeting

2 points for **Commissioners of the Revenue**

plus 1 additional point if you attend the **VALECO** annual meeting

Treasurers can register on-line for the education workshop at this site:

<https://commerce.coopercenter.org/ccps/login.php>

When you register, remember to check off if you are staying through Tuesday morning and eating breakfast.

Also indicate if you need a special meal such as vegetarian, vegan, gluten-free or if you have a food allergy.

Commissioners can register through the Commissioner's website.

<https://www.vacomrev.com/>

VALECO

VALECO annual meeting & luncheon is **January 27** at the Omni Hotel, **12:00 to 1:30 p.m.**

The luncheon is **\$30 for members** and **\$35 for non-members**.

See above for the points for attending VALECO.

VALECO registration form can be found on the last page.

On Tuesday visit your Senators and Delegates

Senators and Delegates are in the
General Assembly Building, 201 N. Ninth Street

Talking sheets will be sent out ahead of time and will be available/discussed during the
Legislative Info session on Monday.

Hospitality Suite

Hospitality Suite on Sunday and Monday nights at the Omni sponsored by



Hosts: Patrick Smith

Leif Aagaard

Treasurer's Cancellation Policy: If you find you cannot attend, email Beth Bennett at Cooper Center (beaw3f@virginia.edu) a refund less cancellation fee of \$10 will be issued prior to January 17; half refund up to Tuesday January 21. No refunds for cancellations received after January 21 unless medical emergency.

If you have any questions excluding registration issues, please contact
Al Spengler, Special Assistant to TAV
AlSpengler@vatreas.org or 434 996-4555

Agenda

Sunday, January 26, 2025

All events are at the Omni Hotel

2:30 p.m. Refreshment Break

3:00 p.m. **Treasurers Board Meeting**

3:00 p.m. **Commissioners of the Revenue Board Meeting**

3:00 – 6:00 p.m. & 8:00 p.m. until Midnight **Hospitality Suite**
Times subject to change

Monday, January 27, 2025

All events are at the Omni Hotel

Treasurers & Commissioners of the Revenue **Legislative Day Education Program**

Sessions and Times Subject to Change

7:30 – 8:30 a.m. *Continental Breakfast and Conference Registration*

8:15 – 8:30 a.m. **Welcome**

Jody Acosta, MGT, Treasurer, City of Falls Church
President, Treasurers' Association of Virginia

Christopher Jones, CAE, MCR, Commissioner of the Revenue, Lee County
President, Commissioners of the Revenue Association of Virginia

8:30 – 9:20 a.m. **The Republican Candidate for Governor**
The Honorable Winsome Earle-Sears
Lieutenant Governor, Commonwealth of Virginia

9:20 – 9:45 a.m. **Economic Market Update and Forecast**
Mathew Freeman, Executive Director
JP Morgan Private Bank

9:45 – 10:00 a.m. *Break*

10:00 – 11:00 a.m. **FOIA**
Joe Underwood, Esq., Senior Attorney
Virginia Freedom of Information Advisory Council

11:00 - 11:50 a.m. **TBA**

11:50 a.m. - 1:30 p.m. **VALECO 50th Annual Meeting and Luncheon**
Separate registration is required!

Featured Speaker: **The Honorable Jason Miyares**
Attorney General, Commonwealth of Virginia

Concurrent Sessions: Commissioners in Salon TBA; Treasurers in Salon TBA

Commissioners of the Revenue

1:45 – 3:15 p.m. **COR Legislative Updates**
Page Johnson, MCR, Commissioner of the Revenue, Fairfax City
Joe Horbal, Lobbyist, CRAV

COR Reports from VP's and bill watch
Overview of role of each VP
Description of bills under watch by each VP

3:15– 3:30 p.m. **CORPAC**
Lori Stevens, MCR, Commissioner of the Revenue, Dinwiddie County

3:30 p.m. *Closing Announcements and Adjournment*

Treasurers

1:45 – 2:45 p.m. **Legislative Updates and TAVPAC**
Jody Acosta, MGT, Treasurer, City of Falls Church
Delores Smith, MGT, Treasurer, Wise County
Carla de la Pava, MGT, Treasurer, Arlington County
Daun Hester, MGT, Treasurer, City of Norfolk
Leigh Henderson, MGT, Treasurer, City of Virginia Beach
Kevin R. Appel, Legal Counsel, TAV
Kevin Hutchins, MGT, Treasurer, Roanoke County

2:45 – 3:00 p.m. *Break*

3:00 – 3:25 p.m. **Topic TBA**
Speaker TBA

3:25 – 4:25 p.m. **Roundtable**

4:25 p.m. *Closing Announcements and Adjournment*

4:00 - 6:00 p.m. & 8:00 p.m. until Midnight **Hospitality Suite: Room 321**



Hosts: Patrick Smith

Leif Aagaard

Certification/Re-Certification Credit

Treasurers: 7.0 points; 8.0 points if you attend VALECO Mtg.

Commissioners of the Revenue: 2 points; 3 with VALECO

Tuesday, January 28, 2025

7:30 – 8:30 a.m. *Breakfast Buffet*
Room TBA

8:30 a.m. – 12 Noon **Meet with your legislators**

On Tuesday visit your Senators and Delegates

Senators and Delegates are in the
General Assembly Building, 201 N. Ninth Street

Talking sheets will be sent out ahead of time and will be available/discussed during the Legislative Info session on Monday.

12 Noon General Assembly convenes.

LODGING

Omni Richmond Hotel

100 South 12th Street, Richmond
804 344-7000

NOTE

Our room block is sold out for Monday night. If you are only staying Sunday night, they still have rooms.
If you need a room for both nights see the info on the overflow hotel, [The Berkeley Hotel](#), which is diagonally across the street from the Omni.

Room Rate: \$157 single; \$167 double plus state & local taxes

Cut-off date: January 7, 2025

Check-In: 3:00 p.m.

Check-Out: 12 Noon

Hotel rooms feature executive work desks, free high-speed wireless Internet access, cable TV, iron and ironing board, hair dryer, and coffeemaker.
The Omni also has an indoor heated pool. See web site for info on fitness center.

Remember to enroll in the **Omni Select Guest Program**. It does not cost anything to enroll and by doing so you will be entitled to comp Wi-Fi Service, comp pressing and shoeshine, bottle water, and several other benefits.
To enroll and see the other benefits, go to this link:

<http://www.omnihotels.com/SelectGuestProgram/MemberBenefits.aspx>

Toll Free Number: 800-THE-OMNI

Room Block Name: Constitutional Officers Legislative Day 2025

Special website for making your reservations:

<https://bookings.omnihotels.com/event/richmond/2025-constitutional-officers-legislative>

The special room rate will be available for those arriving early and for those who need to stay longer for the VIP board meeting on January 29.

Map & Directions:

<https://www.omnihotels.com/hotels/richmond/property-details/directions>

Parking

Valet Parking: \$38 per night with unlimited in and out.

Self Parking \$36 full day in James Center garage underneath the hotel
(without in and out privileges)

FYI: Hourly parking in area decks charge from \$3-\$5 per hour.

NOTE: For those commuting, the self parking deck across the street from the Omni Hotel on 12th Street charges a max of \$20 per day for parking.

Parking rates are subject to change.

VIRGINIA ASSOCIATION OF LOCAL ELECTED CONSTITUTIONAL OFFICERS (VALECO)

Notice of 50th Annual Meeting & Awards Luncheon

January 27, 2025 • 12 Noon • Rain, shine or snow!

Omni Hotel

100 S. 12th Street • Richmond • 23219

To register for lunch: E-mail information below to Bonnie Dickson

bdickson@lancova.com or Fax form to Bonnie at (804) 462-0010

Last day for luncheon reservations is Tuesday, January 21, 2025

COST: \$30 VALECO member; \$35 non-member

***Buffet Menu: Roasted Pork Loin, Rosemary Demi Glace and
Herb Seared Chicken with Natural Jus***

Please check below if you would like to request a special meal.

Payment (checks payable to VALECO) may be presented at the door or mailed to:

Bonnie Dickson, Treasurer, Lancaster County

8311 Mary Ball Rd, Suite 204, Lancaster, VA 22503-2534

ATTN: VALECO Annual Meeting

Phone: 804-462-5630

Name

Locality

Office

Address

City

State

Zip Code

Telephone

FAX

E-Mail Address (required)

I would like to request the following special meal: ☐ Vegetarian ☐ Vegan ☐ Gluten Free

**Featured Speaker: The Honorable Jason Miyares
Attorney General, Commonwealth of Virginia**

Staying Overnight?

Rooms are available at the OMNI Richmond (100 S. 12th Street) on Sunday, January 26 at the government group rate of **\$157 single** or **\$167 double**.

Ask for the **Constitutional Officers Legislative Day 2025** room block.

Cut-off Date: **January 7, 2025**

Call 1-800-THE-OMNI (843-6664) or 804 344-7000 for reservations.

Overflow Hotel

If you need a room for Sunday night only, there may still be rooms left in our block at the Omni.

However, if you need a room for **both** Sunday and Monday nights, we have reserved a small block at **The Berkeley Hotel**.

If the block at **The Berkeley Hotel** fills up, please contact Al Spengler, AlSpengler@vatreas.org, and he will see about getting additional rooms added to the block.

The Berkeley Hotel

1200 E. Cary Street
Richmond, VA

<https://www.berkeleyhotel.com>

Room Rate: \$157 single; \$167 double plus state & local taxes

Cut-off date: January 3, 2025

Check-In: 4:00 p.m.

Check-Out: 12 Noon

Hotel rooms feature work desks, free high-speed wireless Internet access, cable TV, iron and ironing board, hair dryer, and coffeemaker.

microwaves and mini-fridges are available upon request

Phone Number: 804-780-1300

Room Block Name: Constitutional Officers Legislative Day 2025

Special website for making your reservations:

https://hotels.cloudbeds.com/reservation/dKJtrl?allotment_block_code=b089526#checkin=2025-01-26&checkout=2025-01-28&allotment_block_code=b089526

Map & Directions:

<https://www.berkeleyhotel.com/hotel-details#parkinganchor>

Parking

Valet Parking: \$32 per night with unlimited in and out.