



VIRGINIA INITIATIVE FOR
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Opening

- ▶ Call to Order
 - ▶ “Due to the nature of the Declaration of a State of Emergency Due to Novel Coronavirus (COVID-19) pursuant to Code § 2.2-3708.2 this meeting is being held by electronic communications. The catastrophic nature of this declared emergency makes it impractical and unsafe to assemble a quorum in a single location and the purpose of this meeting is to discuss or transact the business statutorily required or necessary to continue operations of the public body.”
- ▶ Roll Call
- ▶ Public Comment
- ▶ Approval of Consent Agenda
 - ▶ December 21, 2020 Meeting Minutes Approval

Presentation on CIT Advisory Committee and GO Virginia Site Workgroups

- ▶ Past Meetings
- ▶ Moving Forward

Discussion of Growth and Diversification Plan Amendments

- ▶ Draft Guidance in Packet
 - ▶ DHCD will collect data
 - ▶ Region 6 Staff focus on Skills Gap Analysis
 - ▶ Region 6 Council recommendation to focus on Identification of Plan Goals and Strategies and Identification of Strategic Partners for Collaboration
- ▶ Region 6 Staff recommends
 - ▶ Gap Analysis of Entrepreneurial Ecosystem
 - ▶ Sites Prioritization
 - ▶ Facilitator
 - ▶ Stakeholder Engagement focused around newly formed Workgroups

Discussion of GO Virginia Region 6 Capacity Building Budget Amendment

- ▶ Budget Amendment
 - ▶ Growth and Diversification Plan Update - \$80,000
 - ▶ Administrative Assistant - FY21 \$7,300

Discussion of Regional Council Workgroups

- ▶ Entrepreneurship
- ▶ Sites
- ▶ Workforce

- ▶ Plan
 - ▶ Hold introductory meetings
 - ▶ Engage in G&D Plan Update

Discussion of Council Nominations and Reappointments

- ▶ 9 members for reappointment

Discussion of General 2021 Planning

▶ Open Discussion



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