

KEEPING VIRGINIA COMPETITIVE: A NEW ROADMAP FOR ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT

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GOVERNOR'S ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT AND JOB CREATION COMMISSION



- Members:
 - Lt. Governor Bob Bolling
 - Advisor Bob Sledd
 - Virginia business leaders
 - Seven Cabinet secretaries
 - 50 citizen members

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- Research economic development best practices
- Respond to potential hurdles in Virginia's economic development process
- Seek opportunities for job creation
- Make policy recommendations

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- Six working groups that will focus on:
 - Business recruitment and retention
 - Economically challenged regions and communities
 - Energy research
 - Small business
 - Tourism and film marketing
 - Real estate and construction

OTHER LONG-TERM ACTIVITY



- Strategic Economic Development Plan
- Virginia Energy Plan

QUESTIONS?

