



Pre Session Agenda

December 3, 2025

Virtual Event 9:00 AM - 12:40 PM

9:00 AM Welcome **Joan Porte**, President, League of Women Voters of Virginia

9:05 – 9:20 AM **Stephen E. Cummings**, Secretary of Finance, Commonwealth of Virginia <https://www.finance.virginia.gov/about-us/>

9:20 - 9:35 AM **Barbara Boardman**, LWV-VA Advocacy Chair

9:35 - 9:45 AM **Rob Poggenklass**, Executive Director, Justice Forward, <https://justiceforwardva.com>

9:45 - 9:55 AM **Chris Kaiser**, Policy Director, ACLU Virginia <https://www.aclu.org/affiliates/virginia>

9:55 - 10:05 AM **Alison Fox**, President, Voter Registrars Association of Virginia <https://www.varegistrars.org>

10:05 - 10:15 AM **Nancy Morgan**, Big Money Out Virginia <https://www.bigmoneyoutva.org/>

10:15 - 10:25 AM **C. Jay Coles**, Senior Policy and Advocacy Director, Verified Voting <https://verifiedvoting.org/>

10:25 - 10:35 AM **Sheba Williams**, Executive Director, Nolef Turns <https://www.nolefturns.org>

10:35 - 10:45 AM **Isabel McLain**, Director of Policy and Advocacy, Virginia Housing Alliance <https://vahousingalliance.org> and **Christie Marra**, Director of Housing Advocacy, Virginia Poverty Law Center <https://www.vplc.org>

10:45 - 10:55 AM **Chad Stewart**, Virginia Education Association
<https://www.veanea.org/>

10:55 - 11:05 AM **BREAK**

11:05 - 11:15 AM **LaKeisha Cook**, Executive Director, Virginia Interfaith Center For Public Policy <https://virginiainterfaithcenter.org/>

11:15 - 11:25 AM **Jamie Lockhart**, Executive Director, Planned Parenthood Advocates of Virginia <https://plannedparenthoodaction.org>

11:25 - 11:35 AM **Helena Burger** and **Susan Lydick**, Directors, Rev Up Virginia <https://revupva.com>

11:35 - 11:45 AM **Andrew Goddard**, Legislative Director, Virginia Center for Public Safety <https://www.vacps.org>

11:45 - 11:55 AM **Trip Pollard**, Land and Community Program Leader, Southern Environmental Law Center <https://www.selc.org>

11:55 AM - 12:05 PM **Monica Sarmiento**, Executive Director, Virginia Coalition for Immigrant Rights <https://www.virginiaimmigrantrights.org/>

12:05 - 12:15 PM **Megan Rhyne**, Director, Virginia Coalition for Open Government <https://opengovva.org/>

12:15 - 12:25 PM **Liz White**, Executive Director, UpVote Virginia
<https://upvoteva.org>

12:25 - 12:30 PM **Levi Goren**, Research Director, The Commonwealth Institute, <https://thecommonwealthinstitute.org>

12:30 - 12:40 PM **Chris Pearson**, Policy Coordinator, National Popular Vote
<https://www.nationalpopularvote.com/>