

2022 Legislative Priorities

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1. Authority to Issue Personal Property Tax Refunds

- Authorize localities to return surplus personal property tax revenues to taxpayers.

2. Education K-12 Funding

- Provide additional state funding for school capital needs.
- Provide hold-harmless funding for sales tax distributions and direct aid payment based on ADM.

3. Authority to Impose Civil Penalties

- Allow localities to impose civil penalties for violations of local codes, in lieu of criminal penalties.

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4. Mental Health and Public Hospital Needs

- Relieve law enforcement from maintaining custody of individuals subject to temporary detention orders while such individuals are receiving medical evaluation or treatment; alternatively, provide additional funding for law enforcement to assist in maintaining custody of such individuals.
- Provide funding to address the urgent needs of Virginia's state mental health hospitals.

5. Children's Services Act

- Assist localities with contracting for CSA services, including private-day placements.
- Provide increased state funds for CSA programs.