

# VIRGINIA HOUSING COMMISSION

## Local Revitalization and Blight Removal Work Group

Thursday, September 23, 2004  
10:00 a.m.

House Room D  
General Assembly Building

### Agenda

**Charge:** Identify community revitalization trends, issues and opportunities at the local, regional and state levels; review existing statutory provisions dealing with blight removal and the enforcement of the Uniform Statewide Building Code and other relevant regulatory provisions to determine which statutes and enforcement provisions are successful and which are not successful.

**Objectives:** Review statutory provisions pertaining to blight removal; obtain perspective on local revitalization efforts and problems; develop work plan.

1. Call to Order and Welcome.
2. Introduction of work group members.
3. Overview of blight removal authorities.  
*(Walter C. Erwin, III, Lynchburg City Attorney)*
4. Overview of current conditions in cities and strategies for revitalization.  
*(Linda McMinimy, Virginia First Cities Coalition Coordinator)*
5. Discussion and development of work plan.
6. Other Business.
7. Adjournment.