

**Joint Subcommittee to Study
Long-Term Funding Sources for the Purchase of Development Rights
to Preserve Open-Space Land and Farmlands**

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**HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 692 (2007)
SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 401 (2007)**

June 19, 2007

1:30 p.m.

General Assembly Building, House Room C
Richmond, Virginia

Proposed Agenda

1. Call to order.
2. Election of chairman and vice chairman.
3. Opening remarks of joint subcommittee members.
4. Review of 2006 study and 2007 Session-related legislation;
Staff.
5. Guidelines for Virginia's new purchase of development rights program and proposed changes in the federal Farm and Ranch Lands Protection Program;
Mr. Kevin Schmidt, Coordinator, Office of Farmland Preservation, Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services.
6. Expansion of parks in Northern Virginia;
Mr. William C. Dickinson, Chairman, Northern Virginia Regional Park Authority Board.
7. Other business.
8. Adjournment.

MEMBERS

The Honorable Emmett W. Hanger, Jr.
The Honorable John Watkins
The Honorable Mark R. Herring
The Honorable Robert D. Orrock, Sr.
The Honorable Thomas C. Wright, Jr.

The Honorable Benjamin L. Cline
The Honorable Edward T. Scott
The Honorable Lynwood W. Lewis, Jr.
The Honorable Albert C. Eisenberg

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