

Commission on Updating Virginia Law to Reflect Federal Recognition of Virginia Tribes

July 7, 2025, at 10:00 a.m.

House Room C-206, General Assembly Building

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Agenda

This meeting may be viewed *here*.

- 1. Call to order
- 2. Adoption of electronic meeting policy

3. Presentation - Potential Items for Legislative Consideration

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Christine Schulman, Student, University of Virginia School of Law

- Incorporating aspects of the Indian Child Welfare Act into the Code of Virginia
- Offering in-state tuition to members of Virginia's federally recognized tribes living outside Virginia
- Tribal eligibility for conservation and open space easements

4. Discussion

- Vetoes from 2025 Regular Session: HB 2134 (Krizek) and SB 949 (McDougle)
- Medicaid reimbursement rates for Tribal Clinics.
- 5. Public Comment
- 6. Adjournment

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