Commonwealth of Virginia State Board of Social Services

VA Dept. of Social Services 7 N. Eighth Street Richmond, VA 23219

February 20-21, 2008

Wednesday, February 20 9:00 a.m.

Call to Order Nettie Simon-Owens, Chairperson

Welcome and Introductions

Jane Clements, Director

Central Region

Paul McWhinney, Director Richmond Dept. of Social Services

Review of AgendaRichard Martin, Manager
Office of Legislative and Regulatory Affairs

Ad hoc Committee Meetings

Public Comment Process,(Peppy Linden, Chair; Danny Brown; & Bela Sood)

Updates and New Initiatives Guidelines, (Marilyn Rigby, Chair; Shirley Culpepper; & Trudy Brisendine)

New Member Orientation and Acclimation Process, (Brenda Hornsby, Chair; Maggi Luca; & Nettie Simon-Owens)

Information Items

Nominating Committee Selection Chair

Regulation Status Report Richard Martin

Legislative Update

Carolynne Stevens Appreciation Resolution

Comment Period 1:30 p.m.

Public Comment

Local Boards and Directors of Social Services Comments

Virginia League of Social Service Executives' Comments

Sarah Snead, President Virginia League of Social Service Executives

Virginia Community Action Programs Comments

Jim Schuyler, Director

Commissioner's Comments

Anthony Conyers, Jr., Commissioner

Information Items

Child Protective Services Out-of-Family

Nan McKenny CPS Policy Supervisor

Structured Decision Making Mock Interview

Lynette Isbell, Director Family Services

Assisted Living Facility Closure Statistics Follow-up

Lynne Williams, Acting Director Licensing Programs

Impact on Aging

Margaret Schultze Assistant Commissioner

Guidance Document Update

Margaret Schultze

Action Items

1. Approval of Minutes

2. Social Worker Appreciation Resolution

 22 VAC 40-211, Resource, Foster and Adoptive Home Approval Standards Proposed Regulation Lynette Isbell

Thursday, February 21, 2008

9:00 a.m.

Information Items

Richmond City Dept. of Social Services Initiatives

Paul McWhinney

Earned Income Tax Credit Project Update

Margaret Friedenberg, Program Manager

Carolyn Spohrer, EITC Project Manager VACAP

Erik Beecroft, Research Director

Podcast Project Update

Marianne McGhee, Director

Public Affairs

Committee Reports

Nominating Committee Chair

AD hoc Committee Reports

Ms. Linden

Public Comment Process

Updates and New Initiatives Guidelines

Ms. Rigby

New Member Orientation and
Acclimation Process

Ms. Hornsby

Unfinished Business

New Business

Future Meeting Schedule

April 16-17 TBA -Roanoke
June 18-19 Winchester LDSS
August 20-21 Montgomery LDSS
October 15-16 Norfolk LDSS

December 10-11 Prince Edward LDSS

Board Member Comments

Adjournment