

# FORENSIC SCIENCE BOARD

Wednesday, April 10, 2024 at 9:30 a.m.

Central Laboratory, Classrooms 1 & 2

## Draft Agenda

- I. **Call to Order and Welcome** – *Board Chair Chief Maggie DeBoard*
- II. **Adoption of Agenda**
- III. **Approval of Draft Minutes of the January 3, 2024 Meeting**
- IV. **Board Chair’s Report, if any**
- V. **Scientific Advisory Committee Report** – *Richard Meyers, SAC Member*
- VI. **DFS Director’s Report** – *Director Linda Jackson*
  - Facilities
  - Agency Updates
  - Workloads/Backlogs
  - Resources
  - Grants
- VII. **Old Business**
  - Update on the Regulatory Requirement Reduction Action for 6 VAC 40-60 DNA Data Bank Regulation (Proposed Fast Track) – *Amy C. Jenkins, Department Counsel*
  - National Association of Forensic Science Boards (update) – *Mason Byrd, Chief Deputy Director*
  - Update on THC Testing of High BAC Drivers – *Dr. James Hutchings, Toxicology Program Manager*
- VIII. **New Business**
  - Regulatory Requirement Reduction Action for 6 VAC 40-40-80 and -90 DNA Regulations for the Implementation of the Law Permitting DNA Analysis Upon Arrest for All Violent Felonies and Certain Burglaries (Proposed Fast Track) – *Amy C. Jenkins, DFS Counsel*
  - Legislative Update – *Mason Byrd, Chief Deputy Director*
  - Election of Chair and Vice Chair
- IX. **Public Comment, if any**
  - The public comment period is limited to thirty (30) minutes.
  - Individual speaker comments will be limited to five (5) minutes, on a first-come first-served basis.
  - Speakers must be available at the time they are recognized, or they forfeit their opportunity to speak.
  - A speaker cannot transfer or delegate their time to others.
  - Public comment may be submitted by email to [elise.stroble@dfs.virginia.gov](mailto:elise.stroble@dfs.virginia.gov) no later than 5:00 p.m. of the workday prior to the meeting.
- X. **Confirm Next Meeting Date**
  - July 10, 2024
- XI. **Adjourn**