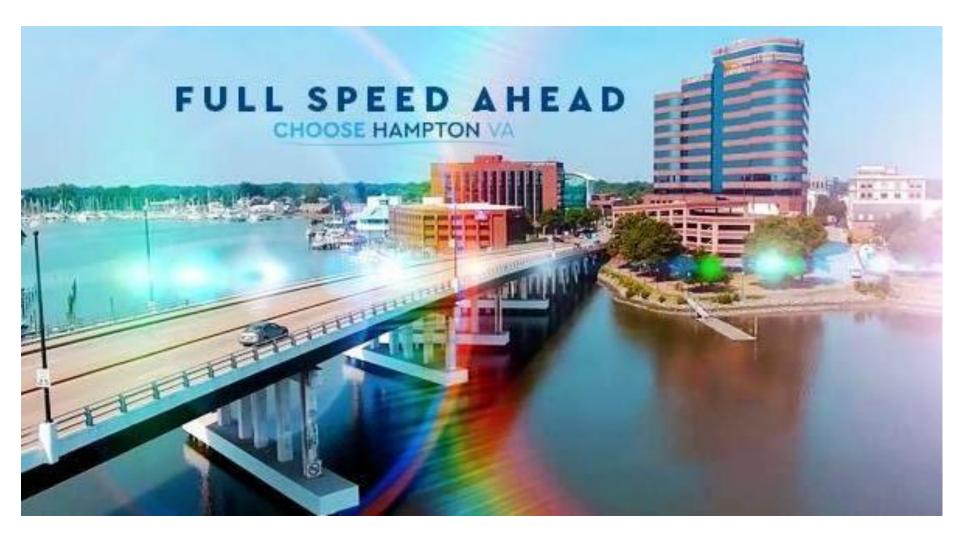
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Hampton's 2019 Legislative Successes

- Added Language To Expedite Testing In Certain Instances Of Possible HIV, Hepatitis B, Or Hepatitis C Exposure
- Clarified The Definition Of Fort Monroe Authority's Area Of Operation
- Added Fort Monroe Authority To Existing
 List Of Non-profit Organizations In Virginia
 That Are Granted The Authority To Enter
 Into A Closed Session To Discuss Donations
 And Grants From Private Sources
- Created A Mechanism To Pass-through Tax Assessments To Certain Lessees

- Secured An Additional \$200,000 For Hampton To Purchase Land Encroaching Langley Air Force Base
- Clarified Language Regarding The Removal Of Vehicles In Emergency Situations
- Added \$3,855 Funding For 7 of Hampton's Historical African American Cemeteries
- Added Budget Language To Secure 150 Acre Parcel Of State Surplus Property For The Eastern Virginia Regional Industrial Facility Authority (EVRIFA)
- Secured \$500,763 for the Academies of Hampton

2020 Legislative Agenda Planning

The Two Capitols team has been engaging with the City Council, City Manager, City Attorney, department and agency heads, as well as various coalition groups and stakeholders to build a comprehensive legislative package over the summer and fall.

Areas for Continued Work in 2020

- Create an Annual Fund to Address
 Needs of Virginia's Military and Federal
 Facilities
- Clarify Language Regarding the Parking of Overweight Vehicles
- Support and Fund Education Initiatives
- Provide for Local Ability to Maintain Appearance of Certain Properties (Overgrown Shrubs and Trees)

- Continue To Fund Resiliency Efforts
- Modernize The Communications
 Sales And Use Tax
- Increase Funding For Transportation
 Including Public Transit

Other Possible Topics

- State Assistance to Local Police Departments (HB 599)
- Affordable Housing Solutions
- Equal Rights Amendment
- Distracted Driving
- Appealing Property Assessments

- Peer-to-peer Carsharing Apps
- Gaming (Casino, Games of Skill, iLottery)
- Bi-annual budget
- Gun violence/local control
- Re-districting

Partner Priorities

- Hampton Roads Planning District Commission
- Hampton Roads Transportation
 Planning Organization
- Hampton Roads Transportation
 District Commission
- Virginia Municipal League

- Virginia First Cities
- Hampton University
- Hampton-Newport News
 Community Services Board
- Hampton Roads Regional Jail
- Fort Monroe Authority

2020 Legislative Agenda Timeline

Mid-October

Finalize legislative agenda with coordination from City Council and City Manager

November

Finalize legislation for General Assembly members and have bills pre-filed (deadline for pre-filed drafting is December 5, 2019)

Beginning of October

Present ideas for the legislative package to City Council for discussion

End of October/Early

November

Present legislative agenda for approval by City Council Start shopping legislation with members (pre-file begins November 18, 2019)

December

Finalize any budget amendments Collect legislative priorities from Hampton delegation to present to Council/staff

Session starts January 8, 2020 at 12 noon

Questions/Comments?