

2022 VRPS Boards, Key Leaders & Staff

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	Board Member	Arlana Fauntleroy, CPRP	James City Co. Parks & Recreation	757-259-5377	Arlana.Fauntleroy@jamescitycountyva.gov
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	Board Member	Tabitha Martinez	Hopewell Recreation & Parks	804-541-2353	TMartinez@hopewellva.gov
	Board Member	Emily Upton	Suffolk Parks & Recreation	757-514-7256	eupton@suffolkva.us
	Service Area Chairs	Central	Marlie Creasey-Smith	Chesterfield Co. Parks & Recreation	804-541-2353
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BOARD LIAISONS

SERVICE AREAS

Central	Tabitha Martinez
Eastern	Emily Upton
Northern	Karen Lussier
Southwestern	Dean Crane
Western	Justin Bullock

RESOURCE GROUPS

Aquatic	Kat Fish
Health and Wellness	Justin Bullock
Park Operations	Matt Spruill
Senior	Dean Crane
Special Events & Marketing	Tabitha Martinez
Therapeutic Recreation	Karen Lussier

ACTION TEAMS

Administrative	Kat Fish
Marketing & Communications	Tabitha Martinez
Technology	Matt Spruill
Transition/Finance	Dean Crane

EVENTS

LTI	Kat Fish
Annual Conference	Arlana Fauntleroy
Management Conference	Tabitha Martinez

COMMITTEES

Awards & Citations	Emily Upton
Legislation	
Nominations & Elections	Arlana Fauntleroy
Professional Education	Arlana Fauntleroy
Student Initiatives	Justin Bullock