



# **2018 General Assembly**

**#It'sNotOver**

**#Takeaways**

**#LegislativeTrendsWeCareAbout**

# Legislation

- **Wireless Bills**
- **Sanctuary Cities Bill**
- **Vested Rights/Mulch Bills**

# Budget

- **Waiting on the Senate**
- **May 14, Senate Comes Back to Town**

# Speaking of the Budget

## VFC Budget Requests Well Positioned

- **Community Wealth Building (\$3m House/\$2m Senate)**
- **At-Risk Add-On (\$7.1m Senate)**
- **STEM Teacher Recruitment Incentives (<\$200k Senate)**
- **Increase VPI per Pupil Amount (Senate)**
- **Master Teacher Residency (\$1.5m + language)**
- **EZs (\$685k Senate) to avoid proration**
- **HB599 (Gov's Introduced Preference/House)**

# Takeaways

- **VFC well positioned in budget**
- **VFC legislative program budget amendments have traction**
- **The GOP Senate slim majority is imperiled in 2019 election**

**Governor Northam's governing style is impressive (Strong, yet compromising, listens, negotiates)**

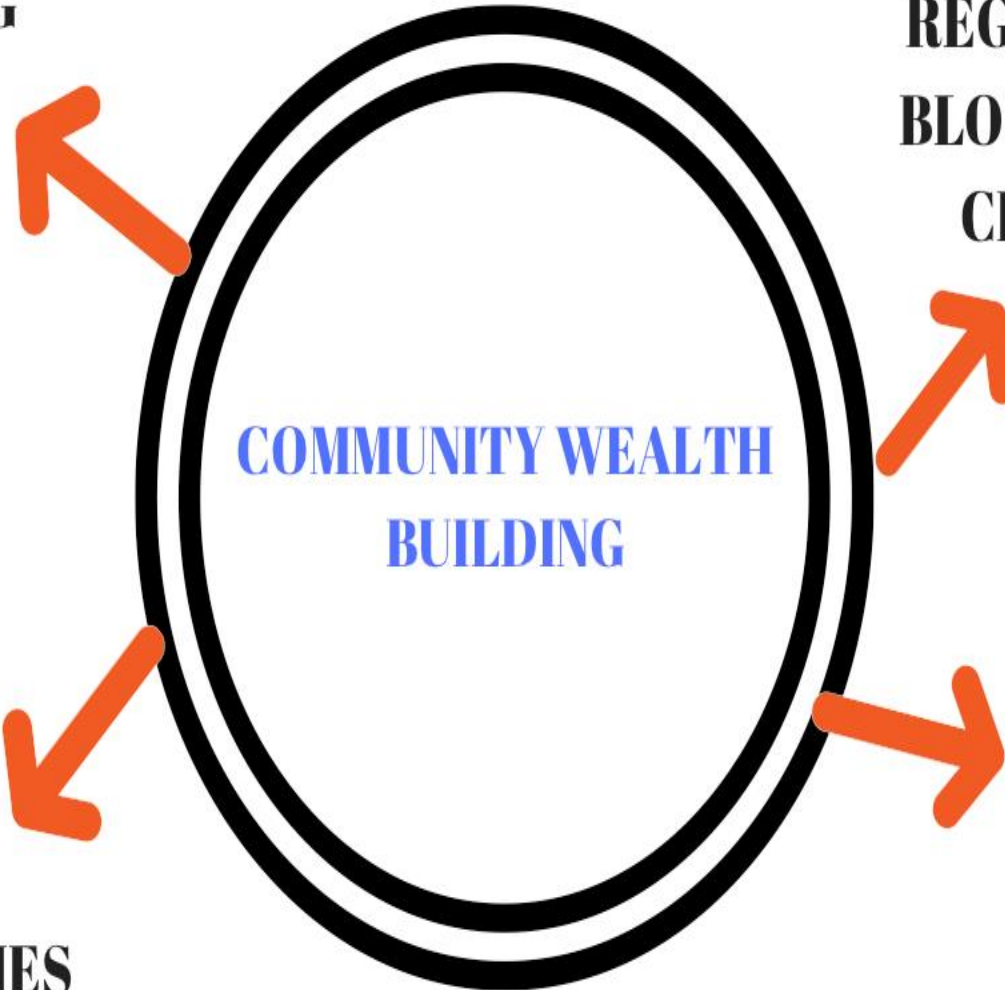


# **Legislative Trends, Special Study Committees**

- **Housing Commission/  
Eviction Data & Work  
Group on Financing  
for Public Housing  
Replacement**
- **Sen. Stanley Special  
Subcommittee -  
Recommendations  
School Facility  
Mondernization**

**HOUSING**

**FEDERAL  
REGULATORY  
BLOCK GRANT  
CHANGES**



**COMMUNITY WEALTH  
BUILDING**

**TAX REFORM  
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**K-12 FACILITIES  
MODERNIZATION**