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**County Manager** John A. Vithoulkas

# Supervisors' Agend-O-Gram



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# Summary of Actions Taken by the Board on October 27, 2015

Mr. Thornton led the recitation of the Pledge of Allegiance.

Rabbi Dovid Asher from Keneseth Beth Israel delivered the invocation.

The Board approved the minutes of the October 13, 2015, Regular and Special Meetings.

## MANAGER'S COMMENTS

There were no comments from the Manager.

# **BOARD OF SUPERVISORS' COMMENTS**

Mrs. O'Bannon reminded the Board that a group of folk artists from the China Federation of Literary and Art Circles performed at the Cultural Arts Center at Glen Allen in February 2000. At the Federation's invitation, several performing artists from the local community joined her and then Deputy County Manager Angela Harper in October 2002 on a cultural exchange visit to Beijing and Shanghai, China. Robbin Thompson, a professional musician and co-founder of Richmond's In Your Ear recording studio, was one of the artists she and Mrs. Harper interviewed and selected to participate in the visit. Mrs. O'Bannon noted that Mr. Thompson, who highlighted the artists on the trip and very ably represented Henrico County while performing in several different venues in Beijing and Shanghai, passed away on October 10. Although he was battling cancer at the time, Mr. Thompson graciously endured the long and grueling trip to China and was enthusiastically received by his Chinese audiences, who asked him always to perform his song "Sweet Virginia Breeze."

Mr. Thornton mentioned that he and Mrs. O'Bannon recently attended a stellar program at The Academy at Virginia Randolph celebrating the school's centennial and honoring a great Henrico County educator and the school's namesake, Virginia Estelle Randolph.

## **RECOGNITION OF NEWS MEDIA**

Mr. Thornton recognized Laura Kebede from the Richmond Times-Dispatch.

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#### **RESIGNATION/APPOINTMENT**

227-15 Approved	Resolution - Resignation of Member - The Cultural Arts Center at Glen Allen Foundation Board of Directors.
228-15 Approved	Resolution - Appointment of Member - The Cultural Arts Center at Glen Allen Foundation Board of Directors.

#### **PUBLIC COMMENTS**

Michael Dickinson, a resident of the City of Richmond and representative of RVA Adult Expo, expressed concerns regarding public safety and zoning obstacles to holding a private adult business event at the Magnuson Grand Hotel on West Broad Street. He asked the Board to investigate the hotel owner's allegations of police harassment and intimidation.

#### GENERAL AGENDA

229-15 Approved	Resolution - Award of Contract - Administration Building HVAC Upgrades - Brookland District.
230-15 Approved	Resolution - Award of Construction Contract - Phase 1, Tuckahoe Creek Park - Tuckahoe District.
231-15 Approved	Resolution – Award of Construction Contract – Bridge Maintenance Plan for Access Road over Upham Brook – County Project #2101.50704.28004. 06861 – Fairfield District.
232-15 Approved	Resolution - Award of Annual Contracts - Engineering Services for Drainage Projects.