Governor Northam's Proposed Amendments to the 2020-2022 Biennial Budget HB 5005/SB 5015 2020 General Assembly, Special Session I

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Establishing the Starting Point

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Changes in the Starting Balance

The current budget, Chapter 1289, is the starting point for the Governor's introduced budget

Chapter 1289, 2020 Acts of Assembly General Fund Only

	FY 2021	FY 2022	<u>Biennium</u>
General Fund Resources			
Prior Year Balance	\$1,185.3		\$1,185.3
Additions to Balance	120.1	(0.5)	119.6
Revenue Forecast	22,687.8	23,538.3	46,226.1
Revenue Stabilization Fund	0.0	0.0	0.0
Transfers	655.8	666.2	1,321.9
Total GF Resources	\$24,649.0	\$24,203.9	\$48,853.0
General Fund Appropriations			
Operating	\$23,618.0	\$24,592.8	\$48,210.7
Capital	21.0	0.0	21.0
Total GF Appropriations	_\$23,638.9	<u>\$24,592.8</u>	\$48,231.7
General Fund Balance at Year-End	\$1,010.1	(\$388.8)	\$621.3

^{*}Amounts shown in millions

The balance sheet from FY 2020 reflects strong balances even after the revenue shortfall of \$234.2 million

Preliminary Balance Sheet - June 30, 2020 General Fund - Cash Basis (Unaudited) (Dollars in Thousands)

Assets			
Cash, Cash Equivalents, and Investments	\$ 3,653,40	5	
Cash and Travel Advances	49		
Other Assets	36		
Due From Other Funds	12	<u>5</u>	
Total Assets		\$	3,654,391
Liabilities and Fund Equity			
Liabilities:	122,72	4	
Payments Awaiting Disbursement Deposits Pending Distribution	122,72 5,95		
Due To Other Funds	1,11		
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Total Liabilities		\$	129,792
Fund Equity:			
Restricted Fund Balance:			
Revenue Stabilization Fund	558,43	2	
Revenue Stabilization Reserve 2021	77,41	0	
Lottery Proceeds Fund	12,93	0	
Water Supply Assistance Grant Fund	1,76	8	
Total Restricted Fund Balance	650,54	0	
Compiled Fired Delegation			
Committed Fund Balance: Amount Required for Reappropriation of 2020 Unexpended Balances for Capital Outlay and Restoration Projects	7.83	0	
Virginia Health Care Fund	44,89		
Central Capital Planning Fund	5,42		
Communication Sales and Use Tax	32,88		
Commonwealth's Development Opportunity Fund	40,31		
Natural Disaster Sum Sufficient	54,75		
Amount Required for Mandatory Reappropriation	298,02		
Virginia Water Quality Improvement Fund	64,97		
Virginia Water Quality Improvement Fund - Part A 2019	32,38	6	
Virginia Water Quality Improvement Fund - Part B 2019	14,64	0	
Virginia Water Quality Improvement Fund - Part B 2020	30,35	0	
Revenue Reserve Fund	513,24		
Taxpayer Relief Fund	17		
COVID-19 General Fund	3,30		
Local Government Fiscal Distress	75		
Amount Required by Chapter 1289	1,185,28		
Amount Required for Discretionary Reappropriations	273,14		
Other Nongeneral Fund Balances Reported in the General Fund	271,67	_	
Total Commitments and Assignments	2,874,05	<u> 9</u>	
Total Unassigned Fund Balance		<u>-</u>	
Total Fund Equity		\$	3,524,599
Total Liabilities and Fund Balance		\$	3,654,391

FY 2020 concluded with an unrestricted year-end balance of \$2.9 billion

- The unrestricted balance reported by the State Comptroller represents the cash after accounting for liabilities and setting aside the balances for the restricted funds, including the Revenue Stabilization Fund, the Lottery Proceeds Fund, and the Water Supply Assistance Grant Fund.
- This balance includes:
 - balances in the Revenue Reserve Fund;
 - unexpended general fund operating appropriations mandatory and discretionary;
 - unexpended general fund capital appropriations;
 - other funds on deposit in the Treasury that is counted as general fund cash according to GASB standards.
- This unrestricted general fund balance as of June 30, 2020, replaces the \$1.2 billion beginning balance previously anticipated in Chapter 1289 for an increase of approximately \$1.7 billion.

The FY 2021 beginning balance must be adjusted before determining the amounts available for appropriation

Adjustments to Balance

-	FY2021	FY2022
Adjustments to Balance - CH 1289		
Intergovernmental Cash Management Act	(\$0.5)	(\$0.5)
Appropriate Revenue Stabilization Fund	73.6	
Appropriate Water Quality	47.0	
Adjustments per CH 1289	\$120.1	(\$0.5)
Adjustments to Balance - from balance sheet		
Committed Fund Balance:		
Reappropriation of 2020 Unexpended Balances for Capital		
Outlay and Restoration of Projects	(\$7.8)	
Virginia Health Care Fund	(44.9)	
Central Capital Planning Fund	(5.4)	
Communication Sales and Use Tax	(32.9)	
Commonwealth's Development Opportunity Fund	(40.3)	
Natural Disaster Sum Sufficient	(54.8)	
Amount Required for Mandatory Reappropriation	(298.0)	
Virginia Water Quality Improvement Fund	(65.0)	
Virginia Water Quality Improvement Fund - prior year reserves	(47.0)	
Virginia Water Quality Improvement Fund - Part A	0.0	
Virginia Water Quality Improvement Fund - Part B	(30.4)	
Revenue Reserve Fund	(513.2)	
Taxpayer Relief Fund	(0.2)	
COVID-19 General Fund	(3.3)	
Local Government Fiscal Distress	(0.8)	
Other Nongeneral Fund Commitments	(211.2)	
Assigned Fund Balance:	,	
Amount Available for Discretionary Reappropriations	(273.1)	
Other Nongeneral Fund Assignments	(60.4)	
Additional Adjustments		
Revert Unexpended Prior Year Balances	273.1	0.0
Reserve funds for reappropriation	(25.0)	0.0
Adjust balance for Water Quality B Appropriation	0.0	30.4
Adjust balance for EO 69 - Hurricane Isaias	(1.0)	0.0
Subtotal of New Adjustments	(\$1,441.6)	\$30.4
TOTAL Adjustments to Balance	(\$1,321.5)	\$29.9

Summary of Available Resources

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In summary, six adjustments account for the change in general fund resources

	FY 2021	FY 2022	<u>Biennium</u>
Resource Adjustments			
GACRE Revisions - revenue	(1,334.7)	(1,352.8)	(2,687.5)
GACRE Revisions - transfers	(61.2)	(57.8)	(119.0)
Adjustments to Balance			
Revert Unexpended Prior Year Balances	273.1	0.0	273.1
Reserve funds for reappropriation	(25.0)	0.0	(25.0)
Adjust for Water Quality B Appropriation	0.0	30.4	30.4
Adjust for EO 69 - Hurricane Isaias	(1.0)	0.0	(1.0)
Total Resource Adjustments	(1,148.8)	(1,380.3)	(2,529.0)

Reductions in revenue and transfers result in a net decrease of \$2.5 billion in funds available for spending

	FY 2021	FY 2022	<u>Bienni</u>	<u>ium</u>
BASE RESOURCES - CH 1289				
Prior Year Balance	\$1,185.3	\$0.0	\$1,185.3	
Additions to Balance	120.1	(0.5)	119.6	
Revenue Forecast	22,687.8	23,538.3	46,226.1	
Revenue Stabilization Fund	0.0	0.0	0.0	
Transfers	655.8	666.2	1,321.9_	
Total GF Resources	\$24,64	9.0 \$24	4,203.9	\$48,853.0
Revisions				
Prior Year Balance	\$1,688.8	\$0.0	\$1,688.8	
Additions to Balance	(1,441.6)	30.4	(1,411.3)	
Revenue Forecast - GACRE	(1,334.7)	(1,352.8)	(2,687.5)	
Revenue Stabilization Fund	0.0	0.0	0.0	
Transfers - GACRE	(61.2)	(57.8)	(119.0)_	
Total Revisions	(\$1,148	(\$1	,380.3)	(\$2,529.0)
Revised Resource Forecast				
Prior Year Balance	\$2,874.1	\$0.0	\$2,874.1	
Additions to Balance	(1,321.5)	29.9	(1,291.6)	
Revenue Forecast	21,353.1	22,185.5	43,538.6	
Revenue Stabilization Fund	0.0	0.0	0.0	
Transfers	594.6	608.4	1,202.9_	
Total GF Resources	\$23,50	0.3 \$2	2,823.7	\$46,324.0

^{*}Amounts shown in millions

Summary of Proposed Spending Changes

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Guideposts of the Governor's budget

 "Cash is king." Preserve liquidity to operate government, deliver services, and pay the bills

Don't use one-time money to fund recurring expenses

Use one-time funds for one-time investments

Preserve financial options

The Governor's proposed budget reduces total appropriations by \$2.4 billion

Cha	anges in Gene	ral Fund App	ropriations			
Current General Fund Appropriations – CH 1289	FY 20	<u>)21</u>	FY 20	022	<u>Bienn</u>	<u>ium</u>
Operating	\$23,618.0		\$24,592.8		\$48,210.7	
Capital	21.0		0.0		21.0	
Total GF Appropriations	_	\$23,638.9	_	\$24,592.8	_	\$48,231.7
Proposed Changes in Appropriations						
Operating						
Savings	(\$1,186.0)		(\$1,429.1)		(\$2,615.2)	
Technical Adjustments	89.1		101.9		191.0	
Policy-Based	45.9_		1.0_		47.0_	
Total Operating	_	(\$1,051.0)	_	(\$1,326.3)	_	(\$2,377.2)
Capital		(21.0)		0.0		(21.0)
Total Change in Appropriations		(1,071.9)		(1,326.3)		(2,398.2)
Revised General Fund Appropriations						
Operating	\$22,567.0		\$23,266.5		\$45,833.5	
Capital	0.0		0.0		0.0_	
Total Revised GF Appropriations		22,567.0		23,266.5	_	\$45,833.5

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Savings from the enhanced federal match for Medicaid combined with converting unallotments to reductions produce \$2.6 billion in savings

<u>Savings</u>	FY 2	<u>021</u>	FY 2	022
Capture eFMAP savings - DMAS		\$331.0		\$0.0
Capture eFMAP savings - DSS		5.8		0.0
Capture savings from K12 sales tax reduction		95.2		93.6
Convert Unallotments to Reductions - operating	853.6		1,380.3	
add removal of funding for confederate graves	0.0		0.1	
less restoration of one-time spending	(74.6)		(44.9)	
less restoration of cultural investments	(9.6)		0.0	
less restoration of VSU specific assistance	(6.5)		0.0	
less restoration of VSU Extension state matching				
funds	(1.5)		0.0	
less restoration of NSU specific assistance	(7.5)		0.0	
Subtotal of Reductions		754.0		1,335.5
Convert Unallotments to Reductions - capital	_	21.0	_	0.0
Total Savings		\$1,207.0		\$1,429.1

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New spending totals \$237.9 million – driven largely by technical spending requirements, which total \$191 million

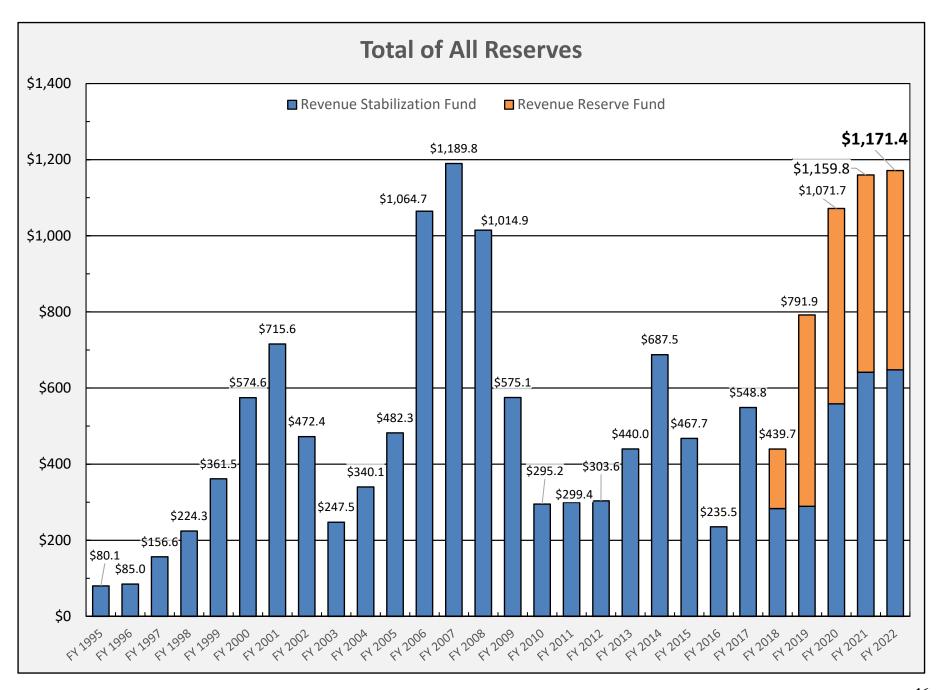
Technical Spending Adjustments	FY 2021	FY 2022
Medicaid - continuation of coverage	(89.1)	0.0
Adjust Revenue Stabilization Fund deposit	0.0	(71.5)
Appropriate required Water Quality B deposit from		
FY 2020 year-end-close	0.0	(30.4)
Subtotal Technical Adjustments	(89.1)	(101.9)
Policy Spending		
Pre-paid postage for absentee ballots	(2.0)	0.0
New equity and diversity initiatives	(0.3)	0.0
Adjust base funding for early childhood - transfer of GF	0.0	0.0
Statue removal	(1.1)	0.0
Criminal justice reform initiatives	(2.6)	(1.0)
Broadband	(15.0)	0.0
Housing Trust Fund	(25.0)	0.0
Subtotal Policy Spending	(45.9)	(1.0)
Total Technical and Policy Spending	(135.0)	(102.9)

The introduced budget reduces revenues and spending – leaving an unappropriated general fund balance of \$490.5 million

General Fund (GF) Only

	FY 2021	FY 2022	Biennial Total
Revised GF Resources			
Prior Year Balance	\$2,874.1	\$0.0	\$2,874.1
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Revenue Stabilization Fund	0.0	0.0	0.0
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Total GF Resources	\$23,500.3	\$22,823.7	\$46,324.0
Proposed Appropriations			
Operating	\$22,567.0	\$23,266.5	\$45,833.5
Capital	\$0.0	\$0.0	\$0.0
Total GF Spending	<u>\$22,567.0</u>	<u>\$23,266.5</u>	\$45,833.5
Unappropriated Balance	\$933.3	(\$442.8)	\$490.5

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For More Details About Governor Northam's Introduced Budget

including specific language amendments, please refer to the Department of Planning and Budget's Web site at:

http://dpb.virginia.gov/

Appendix

One-time Only Initiatives - Restored

Agency	Description	FY 2021	FY 2022
165: Department of Housing and Community Development	Increase funding for the Virginia Housing Trust Fund	\$23,000,000	\$23,000,000
165: Department of Housing and Community Development	Increase support for the Virginia Telecommunication Initiative (VATI) for broadband deployment	\$16,000,000	\$16,000,000
199: Department of Conservation and Recreation	Supplemental Water Quality Improvement Fund amount	\$3,840,000	
199: Department of Conservation and Recreation	Increase funding for dam rehabilitation projects	\$15,000,000	
199: Department of Conservation and Recreation	Increase funding for the Virginia Land Conservation Fund	\$5,500,000	\$5,500,000
156: Department of State Police	Fund record sealing reform legislation	\$108,800	
194: Department of General Services	DGS review of DBHDS capital outlay operations (DGS)	\$350,000	
312: Economic Development Incentive Payments	Support the Virginia Jobs Investment Program	\$2,000,000	
165: Department of Housing and Community Development	Establish an Eviction Prevention and Diversion Pilot Program	\$3,300,000	
409: Department of Mines, Minerals and Energy	Establish office of offshore wind	\$387,500	\$387,500
197: Direct Aid to Public Education	Increase support for Jobs for Virginia Graduates	\$1,670,000	
197: Direct Aid to Public Education	Recruit and retain early childhood educators	\$3,000,000	
202: The Library Of Virginia	Provide funding to expedite release of gubernatorial records	\$400,000	
262: Department for Aging and Rehabilitative Services	Jewish Social Services Agency	\$50,000	

TOTALS 74,606,300 44,887,500

Cultural Investments - Restored

Agency	Description	FY 2021	FY 2022
197: Direct Aid to Public Education	Support African American history education	1,300,000	-
197: Direct Aid to Public Education	Support history education through the American Civil War Museum	1,000,000	-
423: Department of Historic Resources	Provide additional funding to support the Historical Highway Marker program	200,000	1
423: Department of Historic Resources	Provide additional funding for Montpelier	1,000,000	-
423: Department of Historic Resources	Provide funding to the County of Brunswick (St. Paul's College Museum)	50,000	-
423: Department of Historic Resources	Provide funding for the Center for African-American History and Culture at Virginia Union University	1,000,000	-
423: Department of Historic Resources	Provide funding to digitize highway markers for the Virginia African American History Trail	100,000	1
423: Department of Historic Resources	Provides funding to the City of Alexandria to support cultural initiatives	2,443,000	•
423: Department of Historic Resources	Provides funding to the City of Charlottesville for cultural initiatives	500,000	-
423: Department of Historic Resources	Provides funding to the City of Richmond for cultural initiatives	1,000,000	-
995: Central Appropriations	Provide funding for Slavery and Freedom Heritage Site in Richmond	1,000,000	-

TOTAL 9,593,000

University Specific Initiatives for Historically Black Colleges and Universities - Restored

Virginia State University (212)

Agency	Description	FY 2021	FY 2022
Virginia State University (212)	Expand Supplemental Instructional program	320,000	
Virginia State University (212)	Implement Summer Bridge program	319,900	
Virginia State University (212)	Implement UTeach program	250,000	
Virginia State University (212)	Launch Virginia College Affordability Network	3,773,490	
Virginia State University (212)	Provide funding for data center modernization	1,644,000	
Virginia State University (212)	Support Intrusive Advising Early Warning System	150,000	

Virginia State University (212) Total

6,457,390

VSU - Cooperative Extension and Agricultural Research Services (234)

Agency	Description	FY 2021	FY 2022
Cooperative Extension and Agricultural Research Services (234)	Increase funding for state match	1,461,956	

University Specific Initiatives for Historically Black Colleges and Universities - Restored

Norfolk State University (213)

Agency Description		FY 2021	FY 2022
		450.000	
Norfolk State University (213)	Ensure continuation of Spartan Pathways	150,000	
Norfolk State University (213)	Implement academic advising model	300,000	
Norfolk State University (213)	Implement UTeach program	250,000	
Norfolk State University (213)	Increase storage and expand information technology services	3,000,000	
Norfolk State University (213)	Launch Virginia College Affordability Network initiative	3,459,590	
Norfolk State University (213)	NSU - Center for African American Policy	250,000	
Norfolk State University (213)	Support First-Day Success program	75,000	

Norfolk State University (213) Total

7,484,590

Criminal Justice Reform Initiatives

				Positions	
Agency	Description	FY 2021	FY 2022	FY 2021	FY 2022
DCJS	Expand Decertification	94,825	113,790	1.00	1.00
DCJS	Standards of Conduct - Decertification	208,079	249,695	2.00	2.00
DCJS	Civilian Review Boards	200,000	-	-	-
DCJS	Mandatory Curriculum	1,504,321	605,185	5.00	5.00
DCJS	Information Sharing about LEOs	50,000	50,000	-	-
VSP	Mandatory Curriculum	500,000	-	-	-
	Total	2.557.225	1.018.670	8.00	8.00