

Virginia Addiction & Recovery Council (VARC)

April 25, 2024 1:00 – 3:00 P.M.

**Physical Location: Virginia Association of Community Services Boards (VACSB)
10128 West Broad Street #B
Glen Allen, Virginia 23060**

Senator John Bell, Interim Chair

Victor McKenzie, Jr., Secretary

- I. **WELCOME AND INTRODUCTIONS.....**John Bell, Senator, Interim Chair
Attendance: We ask that each member share his/her role on the council and agency/organization
- II. **Review of Minutes from December 7, 2023 Meeting.....** John Bell, Senator, Interim Chair
- III. **Old Business**
 - A. Presentation of nominees for VARC Chair & Secretary- Nathanael Rudney, DBHDS
 - B. Opportunity for nominees to share about themselves
 - C. Vote for VARC Chair & Secretary Nominees w/ election determined by plurality
- IV. **New Business**
 - A. Summary of General Assembly bills that passed and budget that effect substance use services and relevant populations- Nathanael Rudney & Candace Roney- DBHDS
 - B. Presentation- AliveRVA- Lynda Clark, AliveRVA Supervisor
 - Peer Recovery Warmline and Coaching
 - C. Solicitations for presentations to the Council in 2024
- V. **Public Comment (5-minute speaking limit)**
- VI. **Adjournment**