

**FAIRFAX WATER**  
**Minutes of Government Relations Committee Meeting**  
**December 14, 2023**

At 6:00 p.m. on Thursday, December 14, 2023, a Meeting of the Fairfax Water Government Relations Committee was held at the Bill G. Evans Boardroom at 8570 Executive Park Avenue, Fairfax, with the following in attendance:

**Committee Members:** Begovich, Colleton, Griffin, Rubin (Chair)

**Other Members:** Allin, Dotson, Roberson

**Staff:** Dooley, Goldberg, Grimes, Hack, Hedges, Kingsbury, B. Miller, S. Miller, B. Nguyen, Prelewicz, Sinopole, Spiesman

**Counsel:** John McGranahan, Hunton Andrews Kurth LLP

**Others:** Preston Bryant, McGuire Woods Consulting (remote)

Upon separate motions duly made, seconded, and unanimously carried, unless otherwise noted, the following actions were taken:

**Approval of Minutes**

The Committee approved the minutes of the November 16, 2023, Meeting.

**Update on the 2024 General Assembly Session**


Mr. Bryant provided an update on the upcoming 2024 General Assembly session, including the calendar, assignment of Committee chairs in the House and Senate, and the budget. He reviewed Fairfax Water's areas of legislative interest and noted that following the Committee's last meeting he has worked with the Virginia Municipal Drinking Water Association to secure Senator Marsden and Delegate Bulova as sponsors for PFAS monitoring and reporting legislation. After the PFAS monitoring and reporting legislation has been assigned bill numbers, staff will work with Fairfax County legislative staff and others to secure wider support for the bills.

**Regulatory Updates**

Mr. Kingsbury provided a brief presentation regarding what staff has learned to date on the Environmental Protection Agency's Lead and Copper Rule Improvements, which were recently advertised for public comment. Staff continues to review the draft rule, anticipates preparing comments, and will provide further updates.

**Adjournment**

There being no further business, the Meeting was adjourned at 6:38 p.m.

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Burton J. Rubin, Committee Chairman