

## **Department of Historic Resources Code of Ethics**

As employees of the Commonwealth of Virginia, and to earn the confidence of those we serve, we will not:

- Accept anything of value as a means to influence our decisions.
- Use public resources for personal gain.
- Engage in business that is inconsistent with the conscientious performance of our governmental duties.
- Knowingly allow release of information that contains a misstatement or omission of a material fact.

As employees of the Commonwealth of Virginia and to earn the confidence of those we serve, we will:

- Fully comply with all laws and regulations applicable to the Commonwealth.
- Uphold the Virginia Standards of Conduct for Employees and related regulations.
- Seek to discover and implement more efficient and economical ways of achieving the tasks expected of us.
- Act with honesty and integrity in our work and all relationships.
- Respect the dignity and diversity of all individuals, treating all persons in a fair and courteous manner.

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Commit to the highest ideals in the stewardship of public, environmental, and historic resources.