



## **VIRGINIA COMMISSION ON YOUTH**

### **Review of Virginia's Special Education Dispute Resolution System**

East Reading Room, Patrick Henry Building,  
1111 East Broad Street, Richmond

July 7, 2025  
2:00 p.m.

#### **AGENDA**

**I. Welcome and Introductions**

*The Honorable Barbara A. Favola, Senator, Senate of Virginia*

**II. Review of Draft Recommendations**

*Deusdedi Merced, Esq., Managing Member, Special Education Solutions, LLC*

*(Scheduled Break)*

**III. Small Group Breakout Sessions**

*The Spark Mill Facilitators*

- Development of Advisory Group draft recommendations.

**IV. Report Back From Small Group Sessions**

**V. Public Comment**

**VI. Next Steps and Adjournment**

NOTE: Meeting participants and members of the public will need to bring a government issued identification card to enter the Patrick Henry Building.