

SCORECARD AT A GLANCE: NORTHERN Region

Economy

Goal: Be a national leader in the preservation and enhancement of our economy.

Personal Income	↓
Employment Growth	↓
Poverty	→
Unemployment	↑
Workforce Quality	↑
Business Startups	→
Patents Awarded	↑
High-tech Firms	→

Health and Family

Goal: Inspire and support Virginians toward healthy lives and strong and resilient families.

Cancer	↑
Cardiovascular Disease	→
Child Abuse and Neglect	→
Foster Care	→
Health Insurance	→
Infant Mortality	↑
Obesity	→
Suicide	→
Teen Pregnancy	↑

Performance Trend

Improving	↑
Maintaining	→
Worsening	↓

Public Safety

Goal: Protect the public's safety and security, ensure a fair and effective system of justice, and provide a prepared response to emergencies and disasters of all kinds.

Crime	↑
Juvenile Intakes	↑
Traffic Fatalities	↑

Transportation

Goal: Ensure Virginia has a transportation system that is safe, enables the easy movement of people and goods, enhances the economy, and improves our quality of life.

Alternative Commuting	→
Traffic Congestion	↓

Education

Goal: Elevate the levels of educational preparedness and attainment of our citizens.

School Readiness	→
3rd Grade Reading	↑
High School Graduation	↑
High School Dropout	↑
College Degrees Awarded	→
Educational Attainment	↑

Natural Resources

Goal: Protect, conserve, and wisely develop our natural, cultural, and historic resources.

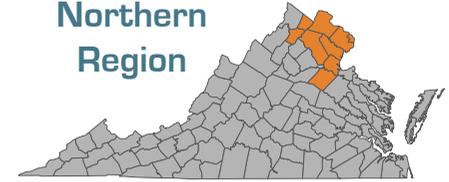
Land Preservation	↑
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Government and Citizens

Goal: Be recognized as the best-managed state in the nation.

Internet Access	↑
Tax Burden	↑
Voter Registration	→
Voter Turnout	↓

Virginia's Northern Region



Localities within the Northern Region:

Alexandria, Arlington, Clarke, Fairfax (city and county), Falls Church, Fauquier, Fredericksburg, Loudoun, Manassas, Manassas Park, Prince William, Spotsylvania, Stafford, Warren

Population Statistics:

Total Population (2014):	2,811,698
State Share of Total Population:	33.8%
Percent Growth (since 2000):	7.2%

Some Key Performance Measures:

- Economic "engine" for Virginia, but with a heavy reliance on technology firms and government spending
- Inflation-adjusted personal income fell by more than 2.3% in 2013
- One of several regions where employment declined slightly from 2013 to 2014
- Consistently experiences the highest traffic congestion of all the regions

Measuring what matters to Virginians

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