



Prince Edward County Administration Accomplishments 2025

The following is a summary of activities and accomplishments of the County staff over the course of the past year.

General Government

MONTH	INITIATIVE
January	FY 2024 Audit Completed
March	Adopted Ordinance Amendment to Chapter 70 (Taxation) of the Prince Edward County Code – Land Use Taxation
March	Approved proclamation – Child Abuse Prevention Month – April 2025
April	Approved funding for mile markers for US 360
April	Approved 2025 Tax Levies & FY 2025-2026 Prince Edward County/School Budget
May	Recognized as a Storm Ready Community by National Weather Service
June	Approved ordinance for payment of one-time 1.5% bonus for all FT and PT employees
June	Board approved creation of a Joint Emergency Communications Center
June	Board approved contract with IT Noble, Inc. for offsite backup data service
June	Board approved contract with Elite Recycling Services for County Solid Waste Facilities
June	Eclipsed 5,000 Likes on the County Facebook page
July	Board approved annual contract with LaBella for Solid Waste Engineering & Environmental Consulting Services
September	PEVRS/Prospect truck 90-day trial implemented
October	Joint Communications Center with the Town of Farmville, Longwood, and H-SC
October	Completed PEC Annual Report for 2025
October	Board approved Solid Waste Management Plan withdrawal from existing plan, submit just for Prince Edward County with DEQ
October	Implementation of Landfill Billing Software
November	Approved tower lease with Verizon for Emergency Radio System
November	2 nd Annual Household Hazardous Collection Day held
November	DCR approved Sandy River Reservoir Dam Certification
December	Board of Equalization completes Reassessment work
December	Worsham Convenience Site renovation completed

Planning/Community Development

MONTH	INITIATIVE
March	Approved Special Use Permit (SUP) for Cardinal's Roost, LLC
March	Approved Special Use Permit (SUP) for Commercial Kennel – Lindsay Mulvey
April	Approved Rezoning and Special Use Permit (SUP) for Mini Warehouse in Rice – Anthony Q. & Tracey Ellington
April	Board approved Special Use Permit (SUPs) and siting agreement for Oak Lane Sale Farm, LLC for 5MWac project
June	Board approved Special Use Permit (SUP) and siting agreement for Green Bay Solar Farm, LLC for 5MWac project
June	Board approved Special Use Permit (SUP) for Dogwood Properties Green Bay, VA LLC for a restaurant in Green Bay

	Board approved Special Use Permit (SUP) for Michael and Helen Royea for a rural event facility in Rice
June	Adopted 2045 Forward Together Comprehensive Plan
October	Board approved Special Use Permit (SUP) for Arcola Towers for a 197' cell tower
November	Approved lease for Stockton Lake tower site for emergency radio system

Capital Improvement Planning

MONTH	PROJECT
March	Approved 2025-2027 Capital Improvement Plan (CIP)
April	Cell F opened at Landfill
May	Approved VDOT 2026-2031 Six-Year Plan
June	Completed Website Upgrade
June	Board approved funding for renovation of Barbara Rose Johns Auditorium at PECHS and security fencing at PECEs
July	Approved \$1.3m+ contract Webb Development for upgrade of Worsham Convenience Site
August	Completed upgrades at Virso Park to include slide, storage building, new fencing, and bleachers.
August	Completed Virso Convenience Site drainage improvements
September	Completed sealing and striping of Courthouse Parking Lot
September	Re-Installed “Farmer Jenkins Dam” sign at Sandy River Reservoir
December	Completed improvements to Worsham Convenience Site

Economic Development/Tourism

MONTH	PROJECT
January	Signed Master Agreement and Purchase and Sale Agreement for HIT Park
January	Visitor Center/VA 250 Permanent Exhibit Grand Opening titled “Celebrating Virginia’s History: A Look at Prince Edward County”
March	WaWa Grand Opening
May	Harbor Freight Grand Opening
May	VTC DMO Grant Awarded for Explore PEC website and content harvesting - \$10,000
June	Adopted Economic Development Strategic Plan
June	Board approved Special Use Permit for Restaurant in Green Bay
September	Grand Opening of 5 Pillar Meats
September	TRRC Grant Awarded for Trailblazer Signage Project - \$74,800

Grants

MONTH	PROJECT	AMOUNT
January	Byrne Justice Assistance Grant	\$3,200
March	Grant – VA DEQ, Litter Prevention & Recycling Program activities (covers recycling televisions, electronics through Synergy)	\$11,294
April	VDEM GIS Maintenance Grant	\$5,000
	Office of Fire Programs – SCBA Mobile Air Trailer	\$15,000
May	Tobacco Commission awarded a grant for design of road improvements for Persimmon Tree Fork Road, acquisition of Right-of-Way, and utility relocation for the HIT Park	
May	Virginia Tourism Commission Grant for DMO Marketing Program	\$10,000
June	Virginia Opioid Abatement Grant – Matching funds to provide drug counseling/treatment	\$50,000
June	Virginia Opioid Abatement Grant – Matching funds to evidence-based treatments for opioid use disorder as well as long-term recovery efforts	\$115,000

July	Board approved resolution for grant with the Tobacco Region Revitalization Commission for FY26 Southern Virginia Project	\$20,000
August	Assistance for Firefighter's Grant (AFG) – The County was awarded the Countywide AFG grant for Mobile Air Trailer	\$135,069
September	Farmville-Prince Edward County Communications Center Grant	\$900,000
September	Tobacco Commission awarded a grant for Wayfinding Signage Project	\$74,800
December	VDFP PPE Grant awarded which will provide 16 full sets of PPE	\$69,906
	Total	\$1,409,269