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~OCTOBER 2007 LUNCHEON MEETING AND PROGRAM ~

*James Talbot, Asst. Dir. of Emergency
Preparedness and Response for Norfolk*

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 25TH, 2007

11:30 AM to 1:00 PM

Radisson Hotel, 700 Monticello Avenue, downtown Norfolk

\$15.00 per person. Buffet with Chef's Choice, Vegetable and Starch of the day,
Tossed Salad, Rolls and Butter, Iced Tea and Coffee, and assorted Desserts.

*RSVP to Ellen Smith at 626-3591 by Monday evening, OCT 22nd or email slgiffin@cox.net
You may bring cash or check (made out to NRW) to the luncheon.*

Norfolk/Richmond Emergency Preparedness & Response Plan



Jim Talbot, Assistant Director of Norfolk Emergency Preparedness and Response, will address a new Richmond/Norfolk emergency response and evacuation plan where the 2 cities agree to use their facilities to support each other. The plan incorporates lessons

"...What I take from the past is inspiration for the future, and what we accomplished during our years at the White House must never be lost amid the rhetoric of political revisionists."

--President Ronald Reagan



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learned from Hurricane Katrina and other disasters and is hailed as a model for other cities. Mr. Talbot, who has worked in emergency response for Norfolk for 36 years, will provide an overview of this new, innovative joint city response plan for Norfolk and Richmond.

As Norfolk's Deputy Director of Emergency Preparedness & Response Mr. Talbot is in charge of Norfolk's All-Hazard emergency planning and Norfolk's Emergency Shelter Program. Mr. Talbot has been involved in a host of disaster operations. Most recently, he was involved in emergency operations for Hurricane Isabel in 2003. In June 1999, Mr. Talbot was selected as one of 50 International Emergency Managers who traveled to Italy to discuss the evacuation problems if Mount Vesuvius were to erupt and how the United States would provide assistance. On March 10, 1994, Mr. Talbot received the prestigious National Hurricane Conference Distinguished Service Award for his outstanding leadership in hurricane preparedness. And on April 8, 1998, he received the National Hurricane Conference's "Outstanding Achievement Award".

-- ***Nominating Committee for 2008 NRW Officer Slate*** --

*The Nominating Committee will present their proposed slate of 2008 NRW officers for your consideration at the October meeting. Jo Manuele, Beverly Graeber, and Mary Haase, the Committee Chair, comprise the panel. If you would like to be considered as an NRW Officer and are not contacted, you may still be nominated from the floor. NRW will elect officers from these nominees in November and install them at the **Christmas Party at NYCC on Dec 9th, 2007.***

Please mark your calendars for the remaining NRW dates this year. Your attendance is important to this Club! Make note of these dates in order that you can schedule your other commitments on dates other than NRW meeting times/Christmas Party:

November 15th meeting and December 9th Christmas Party

We meet on the 4th Thursday of each month January through May, recess for June, July and August, and then resume meetings in September. **In November we meet the third Thursday to avoid Thanksgiving.** Instead of a meeting in December, we have a Christmas Party and install the newly elected officers on a date to be determined.

Our November 15th Guest Speaker will be VA Attorney General, Bob McDonnell.

Pictures from the NRW SEP 27th 2007 Meeting.

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Maria Escobar, speaks about an upcoming fundraiser for Congresswoman Drake to be conducted at her home.



Terry Scholl speaks about Alzheimers urging all to support this worthy cause.



Mike Lukach, Hank Giffin's Campaign Manger talks About upcoming fundraisers for Hank



Alicia Collins urges support for Senator Nick Rerras and asks all to attend upcoming fundraisers



Hank Giffin speaks about his campaign for Delegate



Senator Nick Rerras provides his campaign update.



Sen. Nick Rerras & Del. Candidate Hank Giffin each ,receive \$2,000 from NRW presented by Yvonne Reid, President.



Charlie Judd, Exec. Dir. of the Republican Party of Virginia, speaks about the upcoming elections.