

City of Alexandria, Virginia

MEMORANDUM

DATE: APRIL 21, 2014
TO: THE HONORABLE MAYOR AND MEMBERS OF CITY COUNCIL
THROUGH: RASHAD M. YOUNG, CITY MANAGER 
FROM: NELSIE L. SMITH, DIRECTOR, OFFICE OF MANAGEMENT AND BUDGET 
SUBJECT: BUDGET MEMO #30: BUSINESS TAX REFORM TASK FORCE FINAL REPORT

The Business Tax Reform Task Force (BTRTF) has completed its analysis of the City's business taxes for Council's consideration. This is in accordance with the Committee's mission to examine and make recommendations on:

1. Changes to the Business License Tax, Business Personal Property Tax, or any other revenue stream that will promote business growth and align to the City's strategic economic development objectives;
2. Revenue or other incentives that the City can deploy to attract businesses and encourage beneficial development aligning with the City's Strategic Plan, as well as appropriate criteria for evaluating these incentives; and
3. Changes to the administration of any revenue stream that can assist small businesses.

The BTRTF will discuss this report with City Council at the budget work session on April 24, 2014. The report has been posted on the City's website at the following address:
<http://www.alexandriava.gov/BusinessTaxReform>.