The 2024 Area Convention will take place August 9-11, 2024 at Natural Bridge Hotel and Conference Center, Natural Bridge, VA.

We have all our speakers confirmed and are working on firming up our entertainment. We should have workshop topics sorted by December. We are planning a site visit, possibly in November and should have pricing and meal options worked out by the end of the year.

We are currently working on a webpage to advertise the event and ultimately provide a means to register and make hotel reservations. The later won't be open until early next year.

We are looking for people who would like to host speakers. This consists of being their 'buddy' during the weekend and answering any questions they might have. It does not include transporting speakers anywhere.

We are also looking for someone to head up the Silent Auction and another person to head up the Grateful Gifts Boutique.

Anyone who would like to be part of the Committee may reach out to Diana A. at <u>aldenpropertiesllc@gmail.com</u> or Wendy R. at <u>windexx@mac.com</u>.

Wendy R 2024 Virginia Area Convention, Co-Chair