

Governor Bob McDonnell
Richmond, Virginia

June 22, 2010

Dear Friend:

I want to thank you for your continued efforts to make Virginia a better place to live and work.

I have worked closely with the Jefferson Institute and its Founder and President Mike Thompson for many years. The Thomas Jefferson Institute is viewed as a leading factory of ideas to reform state government, improve public education, and strengthen environmental stewardship.

Please join me in support of my friends at the Thomas Jefferson Institute for Public Policy.

The Jefferson Institute's studies, conferences and newspaper columns provide a great blueprint for how to reform our state government and I appreciate their efforts in contributing to our review of state government functions.

The Institute helps educate our political and business leaders about innovative ideas and solutions to the problems that are faced by Virginians and I look forward to working with their team as it continues to promote good government reform here in the Commonwealth.

I need the Thomas Jefferson Institute to continue to provide the kind of influence and creativity it has for so many years.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Bob". The signature is stylized and cursive.

Governor Bob McDonnell