Reynolds Community College to host VCCS Fall Listening Tour

RICHMOND, Va. (December 4, 2013) – J. Sargeant Reynolds Community College will host the seventh and final stop of the VCCS Fall Listening Tour on Thursday, December 5 at 10:00 a.m. at the Parham Road Campus. The listening tour, conducted by Glenn DuBois, chancellor of the VCCS, seeks to hear from business, community, K-12 education and elected leaders as the VCCS shapes the third strategic plan of DuBois’ tenure as chancellor. The next plan will begin in 2016 and carry through the beginning of the next decade. Under the current plan, Achieve 2015, Virginia’s Community Colleges have more than doubled the number of minority and first generation students served; increased both graduation and transfer rates; weathered an unprecedented combination of historic budget cuts and enrollment increases; and more than doubled the number of Virginia employers served with tools like customized training.

The listening tour will take place in Room A of the Workforce Development & Conference Center at the Parham Road Campus (1651 E. Parham Road). Members of the media planning to attend are asked to notify Joe Schilling at the contact information above.

Serving over 20,000 students annually, J. Sargeant Reynolds Community College is the youngest and third largest of 23 community colleges in Virginia. The College operates three campuses serving residents in the City of Richmond and the counties of Henrico, Hanover, Goochland, Powhatan and Louisa.