

THE BOUNDARIES OF THE VIRGINIA SECTION

The charter that was issued to the Virginia Section in 1915 set the section's territory as the entire state of Virginia, with the exception of Alexandria County in Northern Virginia (Alexandria County is now the City of Alexandria and Arlington County).

In March, 1931, the Virginia Blue Ridge Section was established and the Virginia Section ceded the counties of Allegheny, Amherst, Bedford, Botetourt, Campbell, Craig, Floyd, Franklin, Montgomery, Pulaski, Roanoke, and Rockbridge to the new section.

In October, 1936, the ACS changed the Section's boundaries by removing the counties of Bath, Highland, Augusta, Rockingham, Shenandoah, Frederick, Page, Rappahannock, Warren, Clarke, Princess Anne, Northampton, and Accomac. However, in April, 1937 the ACS Council rescinded this action and the 13 counties were restored to the Virginia Section.

In April, 1944, the Hampton Roads Section was established and the Virginia Section ceded the counties of Accomac, Elizabeth City, Gloucester, Isle of Wight, Nansemond, Norfolk, Northampton, Princess Anne, Southampton, Surry, Sussex, Warwick, and York to the new section. Over the years, counties have changed and independent cities have grown and annexed parts of counties. Here are the current territorial entities within the Virginia Section:

Counties of:

Albemarle	Clarke	Hanover	Mathews	Prince George
Amelia	Culpeper	Henrico	Mecklenburg	Prince William
Appomattox	Cumberland	Highland	Middlesex	Rappahannock
Augusta	Dinwiddie	James City	Nelson	Richmond
Bath	Essex	King & Queen	New Kent	Rockingham
Brunswick	Fauquier	King George	Northumberland	Shenandoah
Buckingham	Fluvanna	King William	Nottoway	Spotsylvania
Caroline	Frederick	Lancaster	Orange	Stafford
Charles City	Goochland	Louisa	Page	Warren
Charlotte	Greene	Lunenburg	Powhatan	Westmoreland
Chesterfield	Greensville	Madison	Prince Edward	

Cities of :

Charlottesville	Manassas
Colonial Heights	Petersburg
Culpeper	Richmond
Emporia	Staunton
Farmville	Waynesboro
Fredericksburg	Williamsburg
Front Royal	Winchester
Harrisonburg	
Hopewell	

