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Telework!VA

Technical Assistance Program

- Technical Assistance Program through VDOT & DRPT partnership
- Available to Northern Virginia employers
- Provides FREE technical assistance to implement or expand a telework program
- Helps manage traffic congestion and reduce transportation emissions



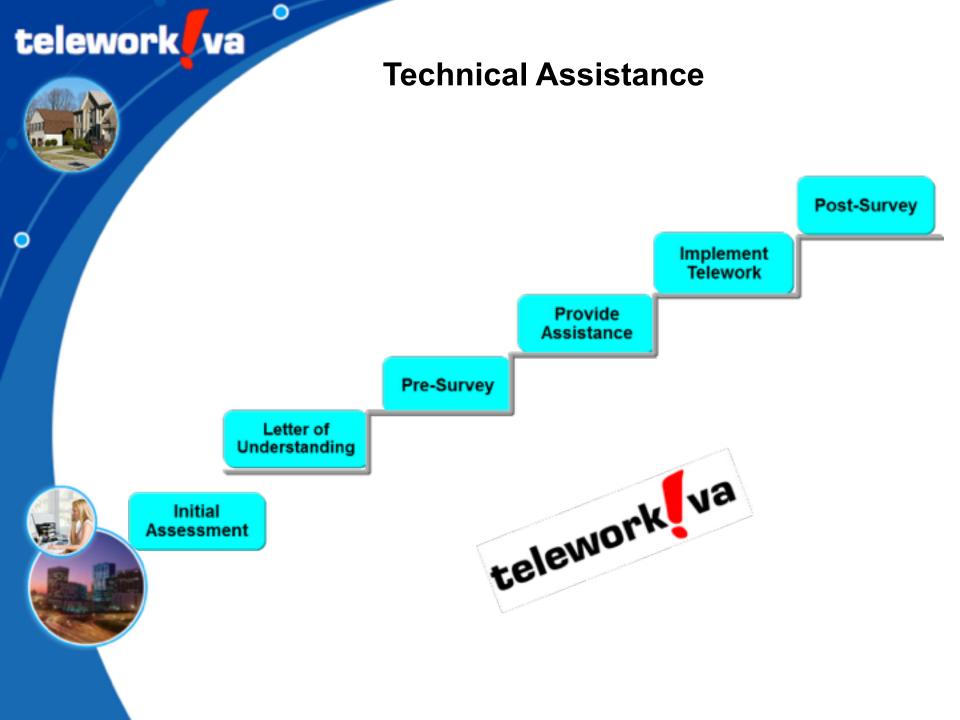




Technical Assistance

- Help businesses understand telework as a *business management/operations model*
- Develop Telework Policies and Agreements
 - Incorporate with Continuity of Operations (COOP) plan
- Implement disciplined/proven approach including *identifying positions* suited for telework
- Train Managers and Employees
- Develop Budgets
- Assist with a Technology Plan





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Telework Tax Credit



- Up to **\$50,000** credit per employer per calendar year
- Up to **\$20,000** for a telework assessment
- Up to **\$1,200** per employee for telework expenses (credit issued to company)
- Home Based Businesses and non-profits are not eligible



Telework Tax Credit



Critical Deadlines

- Form TEL-1 must be filed between **September 1 and October 31.**
- Tentative approval from the Virginia Department of Taxation by **December 31**.
- A signed Telework Agreement must be on file for employee on or after July 1, 2012 but before January 1, 2017.
- Form TEL-2 must be submitted by **April 1** of the year following the calendar year that the eligible expenses were incurred.



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Telework Benefits

- Business Continuity
- Recruit and Retain Highly-Skilled Employees
- Increased Productivity
- Work-life Balance
- Reduced Absenteeism
- Reduced Overhead Costs
- Environmental Impacts



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