



VAPT State Road-E-O 2025 Announcement

Due to the demanding schedule of the VAPT/SESPTC Conference, we will not be hosting a Road-E-O during that time. However, we remain committed to providing our drivers with an opportunity to showcase their skills.

We are pleased to announce that the **2025 VAPT State Road-E-O** will be held on **Saturday, May 17, 2025**, in **Newport News, VA**. To ensure a smooth and efficient process, we ask that all district-level Road-E-O competitions be completed before this date. The **completed VAPT Road-E-O packet must be submitted no later than Wednesday, May 7, 2025**.

This timeline allows the state winner to qualify for the **International Safety Competition in Austin, TX, on June 28–29, 2025**, provided their district permits participation. Please note that due to financial constraints, **VAPT is unable to provide funding for travel or lodging** for the International competition.

Event Location & Accommodations

The event will take place in **Newport News**, and additional details will be shared as they become available. While VAPT cannot provide financial assistance, we have compiled a list of nearby hotels for those traveling from out of town:

- **Newport News Marriott City Center** – 740 Town Center Dr | (757) 873-9299
- **Days Inn by Wyndham Newport News City Center Oyster Point** – 11829 Fishing Point Dr | (757) 873-6700
- **Holiday Inn Newport News - Hampton, an IHG Hotel** – 980 Omni Blvd | (757) 223-2110
- **Holiday Inn Express & Suites Newport News, an IHG Hotel** – 943 J Clyde Morris Blvd | (757) 596-6417

Acknowledgments & Contact Information

We extend our sincere gratitude to **Blue Bird Bus of Virginia** for their generous support of the **2025 VAPT State Road-E-O** along with our host **Newport News Public Schools**.

Drivers, start your engines! We look forward to an exciting competition and hope to see you there. If you have any questions or suggestions, please contact: **Beverly Young**, VAPT Road-E-O Chair beverlyyoung@spsk12.net (757) 925-5573, Option 5 Thank you for your support in making this event a success!