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Amherst County Building Official Nathan Young Recognized by the Virginia Building and Code Official Association

The County Administration Office congratulates Amherst County Building Official Nathan Young for receiving the Jack A. Proctor Meritorious Service Award at the September 2025 Virginia Building and Code Official Association (VBCOA) Meeting. Mr. Young was recognized for his work as the Education Committee Chair and for actively fostering growth in others, and offering his time, insight, and experiences to help his fellow professionals achieve success.

The Jack A. Proctor Meritorious Service Awards were initiated by the VBCOA in 1982 and renamed in 2011 in honor of Jack A. Proctor, encompassing five categories of awards. Mr. Young received an award in the Richard “Rick” Witt Meritorious Services Award for Building Officials category. This award was named after Mr. Witt in 2022 in recognition of his exceptional service, interest, and commendable initiative in promoting better building code enforcement and code development, as well as enhancing public safety, health, and welfare as they relate to construction.



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