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A recent reorganization in the Commonwealth shifted the home of the centralized fleet and caused Virginia to re-think how they provide approximately 3,500 passenger-type vehicles to over 175 state agencies. Solutions have included centralizing fleet maintenance management, creating a 24/7 call center, saving money on fuel purchases, developing a statewide rental car plan, and communicating these changes to diverse agencies. Learn Virginia's approach to modernizing the culture of our fleet management processes.

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Background- A brief history of fleet management in Virginia and how this created an inefficient culture and antiquated technology. Re-engineering Project- Changes Virginia is making to bring the fleet up to date with the current best practices and technology. Including these specific practices: Centralizing fleet maintenance management Creating a 24/7 call center for maintenance management and roadside assistance Implementing a new fleet management information system Using a new fuel card provider to decrease costs Implementing a statewide rental car contract to decrease personal reimbursement claims and add flexibility to the fleet system Communicating centralized polices to diverse agencies

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Richard F. Sliwoski, P.E. is Director of Virginia's Department of General Services, the agency responsible for the Commonwealth's centralized fleet. Mr. Sliwoski has served for over five years as the Director of DGS's Division of Engineering and Buildings. Previously, he was a US Army Corps of Engineers Officer. Mr. Sliwoski's educational background includes a Master's Degree in Civil Engineering from Worcester Polytechnic Institute, a MBA from Xavier University, a Master's Degree in International Relations from Salve Regina College, and a Master's Degree in National Security and Strategic Studies from the Naval War College.

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Don Unmussig, the Director of the Office of Fleet Management Services, has been with the State for five years. Prior to coming to DGS, he was a Transportation Specialist at the Virginia Department of Education, working with Virginia's public school bus fleets. Prior to coming into Commonwealth of Virginia employment, he spent fourteen years in the trucking industry, holding positions as Safety

Manager, Operations Manager, and General Manager. Mr. Unmussig is also a former Army Chief Warrant Officer, serving as a Utility Helicopter Pilot and Maintenance Test Pilot.

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