

Virginia Commission on the Bicentennial of the War of 1812



Framework for the 2014 Commemoration of the British Occupation of Alexandria

FOR DISCUSSION PURPOSES ONLY

August 5, 2014

Options

- Reenactment of the Invasion
- A Moment in History
- Library Lectures on Various War of 1812-related Matters by Historians and Other Scholars
- Engage Students in Writing Contest Concerning the Invasion and Current American-British Relations
- Exhibits and Displays
- Old Alexandria Dinner (typical 1812-era menu, attire, and ambience)
- Editorials and News Articles About the Invasion
- Other Suggestions

Suggested Partners

- Library of Virginia
- Virginia Historical Society
- Alexandria Historical Society
- Northern Virginia Public Schools
- Area Museums
- Area Institutions of Higher Education
- Others Suggestions

Suggested Dates for Events and Activities

- Week of August 24, 2014

Location(s)

- Available Sites and Times

Publicity

- Press Releases
- Press Conferences
- Editorials
- Interviews
- Advertisements
- Community Calendars

Costs

- Establish budget
- Fiscal Resources
- Fundraising