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Federal Reserve Reverses Gay Pride Flag Decision

October 7, 2011, Manassas, VA- The Family Foundation and the Virginian Pilot today revealed that an internal memo circulated at the Richmond Federal Reserve and signed by President Jeff Lacker repealed the Richmond Fed's earlier decision to fly the gay pride flag to recognize gay pride month.

In response to this Delegate Bob Marshall (R-13) said, "I welcome the decision of President Lacker, of Richmond's Federal Reserve Bank. He reversed his earlier decision on flying the rainbow gay pride flag in front of the Federal Reserve Bank. This new policy is more in keeping with the bank's financial mission, and I thank him for it.

I hope those who enthusiastically supported flying the gay pride flag in front of the Richmond Fed will respect President Lacker for his decision and will be tolerant of this new policy."

Delegate Bob Marshall was the only Virginia elected official who publically challenged the June 2011 flying of the gay pride flag.