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Happy New Year everybody and welcome back.

2020 gets off to a fast start this week with the General Assembly session starting Wednesday, our first Leadership Roundtable meeting of the year tomorrow and our first Board of Forestry meeting on Thursday. It will be an exciting couple of months in Richmond with the sweeping changes that occurred in the legislature. We will be focused on increasing awareness of the great work that the DOF does and making sure our agency budget amendments make it into the final budget.

I hope you all are able to take advantage of the mild weather these days and get outside. Whatever you are doing, and whatever your role is at DOF, look for opportunities to serve the citizens of Virginia and to talk to folks about the work you do for them.

There are a lot of opportunities in front of us this year and I'm looking forward to working with you all.

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