



Hon. Mayor and Members of the City Council:

This is the report for the week ending September 4th, 2020.

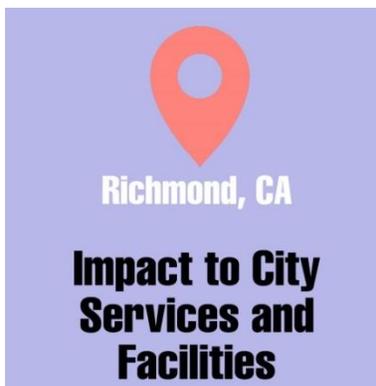


1. **Meeting Notes**

The next City Council meeting is scheduled for Tuesday, September 8th, 2020. Closed Session begins at 4:00 P.M., followed by the Special Meeting of the Richmond City Council at 5:30 P.M. The agenda may be found by clicking this link: [September 8th City Council Agenda](#).

2. **Coronavirus (COVID-19) Updates**

The following information is an ongoing list of resources and significant updates regarding COVID-19.



New COVID-19 Testing Site – Barrett Ave Parking Lot

The City Manager’s Office, Economic Development and Contra Costa County Health Services are happy to announce the opening of a new COVID-19 testing site. Testing will take place at the Civic Center Parking Lot on the corner of 24th and Barrett Ave. Free walk-thru and drive-thru testing are available by appointment or walk-ins Monday-Friday from 8:00 A.M. – 4:30 P.M. For an appointment, call 1-844-421-0804 seven days a week from 8:00 A.M. to 3:30 P.M. or cchealth.org/coronavirus and hit the “Get Tested” button for an appointment.

NEW COVID-19 TESTING SITE
Richmond Civic Center
 25th Street & Nevin Avenue, Richmond
 Opening August 26

 Get a fast, easy COVID-19 test at no cost to you*

 Appointment required
 8 a.m. - 4:30 p.m. Monday-Friday

 Drive-through and walk-in appointments available

* Testing will be at no cost to you and will be billed through your health insurance or free if you do not have coverage

For appointments, call 1-844-421-0804

 8 a.m. - 3:30 p.m.
 7 days a week

or visit cchealth.org/coronavirus and hit the "Get Tested" button for online appointments



NUEVO SITIO DE PRUEBA COVID-19 EN SU VECINDARIO
Richmond Civic Center
 25th Street & Nevin Avenue, Richmond
 Apertura 26 de Agosto

 Obtenga una prueba COVID-19 rápida y fácil sin costo para usted*

 Se requiere cita
 8 a.m. - 4:30 p.m. Lunes - Viernes

 Pruebas disponibles para todos, incluso si no se siente enfermo

*Las pruebas serán sin costo para usted y se facturarán a través de su seguro de salud o de forma gratuita si no tiene cobertura

Para hacer una cita, llame al 1-844-421-0804

 8 a.m. - 3:30 p.m.
 7 días a la semana

o visita www.cchealth.org/coronavirus y haga clic "Hágase la Prueba" para hacer una cita en línea



Now Accepting Applications: COVID-19 Mini-Grants

Richmond Love Your Block is now accepting applications for COVID-19 Mini-Grants! We will be awarding five mini-grants of up to \$500 to volunteer projects that will creatively support Richmond residents affected by COVID-19.

The application cycle opened on September 1, 2020 and will remain open until September 15, 2020 at 11:59 pm. Program information and applications are available in English and Spanish at www.richmondloveyourblock.org.

RICHMOND LOVE YOUR BLOCK

COVID-19 MINI GRANTS

APPLY BY SEPTEMBER 15, 2020

We are awarding five (5) mini-grants of up to \$500 to volunteer projects that will creatively support Richmond residents affected by COVID-19.

VISIT WWW.RICHMONDLOVEYOURBLOCK.ORG TO APPLY

Not sure how you want to help?
 Here are some examples of projects you can take on:

- Face mask making and distribution
- Grocery purchase/delivery to vulnerable residents
- Essential items giveaway
- Installation/stocking of Little Free Libraries
- COVID-19 temporary public artwork: plywood murals, chalk art campaigns, etc.
- Virtual community programs, such as virtual paint night and virtual fitness
- Virtual tour of your neighborhood

RICHMOND LOVE YOUR BLOCK

MINI SUBVENCIONES POR COVID-19

APLIQUE ANTES DE 15 SEPTIEMBRE 2020

Estamos otorgando cinco (5) mini-subsenciones de hasta \$500 para proyectos voluntarios que apoyarán creativamente a los residentes de Richmond afectados por COVID-19.

VISITE WWW.RICHMONDLOVEYOURBLOCK.ORG PARA APLICAR

¿No está seguro de cómo quiere ayudar?
 Estos son unos ejemplos de proyectos que puede empezar:

- Fabricación y distribución de mascarillas
- Compra/entrega de comestibles a residentes vulnerables
- Sorteo de comestibles o artículos esenciales
- Instalación o almacenamiento de las Bibliotecas Pequeñas y Gratuitas
- Obra de arte pública y temporal por COVID-19: murales de madera contrachapada, arte de tiza, etc.
- Programas comunitarios virtuales, como noches de pintura o días de acondicionamiento físico
- Visita virtual de su vecindario








Outdoor Dining, Curbside Retail, and Special Event Permits

Outdoor Dining, Curbside Retail, and Special Event Permits in Richmond, CA

as of July 16, 2020



The City of Richmond is providing opportunities for businesses impacted by the COVID-19 pandemic to utilize public and privately-owned outdoor areas, including parking lots, for outdoor dining and retail use.

Richmond businesses may apply for a permit to use a sidewalk or parking space in front of their location for business operation by contacting the Community Services Department, Recreation Division at csdregistration@ci.richmond.ca.us or by visiting www.richca-communityservices.org to obtain an application.

All business will be required to complete the following for an outdoor dining permit:

1. Outdoor dining and curbside retail application
2. Site diagram
3. ABC permit (if serving alcohol outdoors)
4. Certificate of liability insurance (if operating on public property)

In addition, special event permits are required for the following: protests, vigils, marches, and large gatherings. Visit the website listed for the process and forms.



Questions? Contact us:
510-620-6793
csdregistration@ci.richmond.ca.us
www.richca-communityservices.org



Comida al aire libre, venta al por menor en la acera, y permisos para eventos especiales en Richmond, CA

al partir del 16 de julio, 2020



La ciudad de Richmond está brindando oportunidades a las empresas afectadas por la pandemia de COVID-19 para utilizar áreas exteriores públicas y privadas, incluidos los estacionamientos, para cenas al aire libre y uso de la acera para venta al por menor.

Las empresas de Richmond pueden solicitar un permiso para usar las aceras o espacios de estacionamiento frente a su ubicación para operaciones comerciales comunicándose con el Departamento de Servicios Comunitarios de Richmond, División de Recreación por correo electrónico al csdregistration@ci.richmond.ca.us o visitando el sitio web en www.richca-communityservices.org para obtener una aplicación.

Todos los negocios deberán completar lo siguiente para obtener un permiso para comer al aire libre:

1. Aplicación para comer al aire libre y venta al por menor en acera
2. Diagrama del sitio
3. Permiso ABC (si va servir alcohol al aire libre)
4. Certificado de seguro de responsabilidad civil (si opera en propiedad pública)

Además, se requieren permisos de eventos especiales para lo siguiente: protestas, vigillas, marchas y reuniones grandes. Visite al sitio web para las formas y mas información.



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Richmond Partnership creating Personal Protective Equipment for residents and businesses in need

The City of Richmond's manufacturing sector, Richmond Main Street Initiative, and Travis Credit Union Foundation have partnered to provide Personal Protective Equipment (PPE) to in-need residents and businesses. Travis Credit Union Foundation will match each donation to Richmond Main Street Initiative, of up to \$20,000 by September 30, to raise \$40,000 for PPE Production. LeChat nails will produce FDA-approved hand sanitizers, Leftside Printing will produce face mask with logos designed by local artists, Five Star Cleaners will sew cloth facemasks, and the Fab Lab at Kennedy High School will produce face shields. If this partnership reaches its goal, it will provide 3,000 branded cloth face masks, 3,000 bottles of hand sanitizer, and 960 face shields. Donations can be made at tcufund.org/ways-to-give (select Richmond Main Street Initiative) through September 30, 2020.

3. Upcoming Events

Celebrate Bike to Wherever Days in Richmond & the East Bay

Since Bike to Work Day, normally scheduled in May, was cancelled due to COVID-19, the event has been rescheduled as Bike to Wherever Days. The event this year is a month-long celebration of bicycling in September. There are a few options for celebrating Bike to Wherever Days this month!

- **Pledge to Ride:** Instead of Energizer Stations and tote bags of goodies, digital goodie bags will be emailed out to all who [Pledge to Ride](#) on September 24th.
- **Bay Area Bike Challenge:** Sign-up as a team or individual for the [Bay Area Bike Challenge](#) to win prizes and participate in competitions. During September, there will be random prize drawings and competitions for those who sign-up and log rides.
- **Pick-up Souvenir Bike to Work Day 2020 tote bag** (empty bag): 511 Contra Costa has partnered with Richmond Library (Main Library location only), Rich City Rides, Contra Costa Library System, and The Pedaler in El Sobrante to be hubs where the community can pick up a souvenir 2020 tote bag (empty bag). Bags are estimated to be available for curbside pick-up after September 9th. To find the bag closest to you, visit <https://bikeeastbay.org/find-your-energizer-station-bike-wherever-day-2020>
- **West County Greenway Challenge:** Starting on September 1, banners with QR codes and specific websites for cyclists to scan and check in will be hung along the Richmond Greenway in Richmond and Ohlone Greenway in El Cerrito. Cyclists that check in to at least two stations will receive a \$10 Amazon gift card. (Limit 1 per person, while funding lasts). Locations of all the stations can be found here: www.bit.ly/BTWDDStations

Please stay safe. Consider the air quality and stay socially distanced. Follow your local health authority's guidelines at all times. For more information and updates about Bike to Work Day in Richmond visit: www.richmondenvironment.org

Visit Bike East Bay's website for more information about the event:
bikeeastbay.org/events/bike-wherever-day-2020



Public Notice- BART to Bus paper discount transfer ticket

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the AC Transit Board of Directors will conduct a Public Hearing at its meeting on Wednesday, September 23, 2020 at 6:00 P.M. to receive public comment on the matter listed below under "PROJECT DESCRIPTION". Due to the current Shelter-in-Place (SIP) order, the public hearing will be held through video conferencing. You may access the hearing through Zoom or telephone call (callers will be able to listen ONLY). Visit <https://actransit.legistar.com/Calendar.aspx>, call (510) 891-7209, or email districtsecretary@actransit.org after Friday, September 18, 2020 for Zoom links or call-in information.

Public comments can be submitted in writing, by phone (voicemail), or live through Zoom teleconference at the hearing. Written/voicemail comments must be received no later than 5:00 P.M. on the Monday prior to the hearing and can be submitted as follows:

- By email to Planning@actransit.org
- Via online [eComment](https://actransit.legistar.com/Calendar.aspx)* (Go to <https://actransit.legistar.com/Calendar.aspx> and click on eComment link for the September 23, 2020 hearing).
- By U.S. Mail: AC Transit Board of Directors 1600 Franklin Street, Oakland, California, 94612
- By voicemail: (510) 891-7201 (English), (510) 891-7291 (Spanish) or (510) 891-7292 (Chinese).

*Exception: eComment will be available until 5:00 P.M. the night of the hearing.

It is anticipated that the Board will render a decision on this matter as early as the close of the public hearing on September 23, 2020.

Spanish and Chinese interpreters will be available at the hearing. Upon request, a sign language or foreign language interpreter for languages other than those mentioned in this notice may be provided, but must be requested by calling (510) 891-7209 by September 17, 2020 at 5:00 P.M. For TDD for hearing impaired, call 711, California Relay Service, and specify (510) 891-4700.

Information concerning the hearing is detailed on AC Transit's Public Meetings web page at <https://actransit.legistar.com/Calendar.aspx>, and is available in printed format by calling (510) 891-7175.

PROJECT DESCRIPTION:

AC Transit is considering elimination of the paper version of the BART-to-Bus paper discount transfer. Use of the paper transfer is very low and has declined in recent years, and it is believed this decline is largely a result of BART requiring the use of Clipper for all fare payment. All users of this fare media are both riders of AC Transit and BART. If this proposal is approved, the discount will still be available on Clipper, which is easily acquired at all BART stations.

If approved by the Board of Directors, the elimination of the paper transfer will be implemented as soon as practicable, but no later than November 9, 2020.



Alameda-Contra Costa Transit District

4. City Clerk's Office

Changes to the procedures for City Council public comments

Changes to public comment procedures highlighted in green for the September 8, 2020, and future City Council virtual meetings:

No member of the public may submit more than one written or verbal comment per agenda item. Public comments may be submitted in only one of the following ways:

- 1. Via mail received by 3:00 P.M. the day of the meeting sent to 450 Civic Center Plaza, 3rd Floor, Office of the Clerk, Richmond, CA 94804.**
- 2. Via email to cityclerkdept@ci.richmond.ca.us by 1:00 P.M. the day of the meeting.**

Emails MUST contain in the subject line 1) public comments – Open Session prior to Closed Session or 2) public comments - agenda item # [include the agenda item number]. All such email will be posted on-line and emailed to the City Council before the meeting is called to order. The Clerk will prepare summaries of all such email and the summaries will be read into the record. No individual email will be read into the record, only the summaries. Due to the high volume of emails received, emails that do not contain the correct identifying information in the subject line may be overlooked and may not become part of the record. Email received after 1:00 P.M. will not be summarized nor read into the record. Email received after 1:00 P.M. will, however, be posted on-line following the meeting as part of the supplemental materials attached to the meeting minutes.

3. Via Zoom by video conference or by phone - links will be posted in the agenda.

a. To comment by video conference, click on the Participants button at the bottom of your screen and select the “**Raise Your Hand**” button to request to speak when Public Comment is being asked for. Speakers will be called upon in the order they select the “Raise Your Hand” feature. When called upon, you will be unmuted. After the allotted time, you will then be re-muted. **

b. To comment by phone, you will be prompted to “Raise Your Hand” by pressing “*9” to request to speak when Public Comment is asked for. When called upon, you will be unmuted. After the allotted time, you will then be re-muted. Instructions of how to raise your hand by phone are available at: [https://support.zoom.us/hc/en-us/articles/201362663 -Joining-a-meeting-by-phone.](https://support.zoom.us/hc/en-us/articles/201362663-Joining-a-meeting-by-phone) **

**The clerk will announce the item or item number and ask individuals who would like to address the Council to raise their hand. After the clerk reads the item into the record, the request to speak period on the item will be closed.

Help represent Richmond!

The application process is now open to represent the City of Richmond on the Contra Costa Mosquito and Vector Control District’s Board of Trustees.

The [Contra Costa Mosquito and Vector Control District](#) is a tax-funded office that provides free services to all county residents for mosquitoes, rats and mice, ground-nesting yellowjackets, ticks, and skunks. The Richmond representative on the District’s [Board of Trustees](#) will represent the city’s interests on matters related to mosquito and vector control. The first term of service will be two years and additional terms of service will be two or four years. Regular board meetings are held on the second Monday of every other month starting in January. Meetings are held at the District office, [155 Mason Circle in Concord](#) at 7:00 P.M., and the meetings are open to the public. Trustees are not compensated for service but will be paid up to \$100 per month for official business expenses. Mayor Butt has been tasked with nominating an applicant for the trustee position and that individual must then be confirmed by the Richmond City Council. Applicants must be a City of Richmond resident and at least 18 years of age.

Please use this [link](#) to complete the online application. Please submit your completed application via email to CityClerkDept@ci.richmond.ca.us.

City of Richmond Notice of Public Hearing

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the report of the Public Services Director of the City of Richmond has been filed with the City Clerk describing each premise connected with the sewer system and receiving sewer service from the City of Richmond as of the first Monday in March 2019, and that the Richmond City Council, on behalf of the City of Richmond, will conduct a public hearing on Tuesday, September 8, 2020, at 5:30 P.M., or as soon thereafter, in the Council Chamber located at 440 Civic Center Plaza, Richmond, California, to consider the adoption of this report. This notice is given pursuant to provisions of Chapter 12.20 of the Municipal Code of the City of Richmond, which provide that sewer service charges may be collected in the same manner, at the same time and together with the general real property taxes of the City of Richmond, and that said charges shall be delinquent at the same time and thereafter subject to the same penalties as are provided for all general real property taxes or assessments of the City.

Any questions regarding this hearing may be directed to Mary Phelps at (510) 621-1269. Due to COVID-19, objections or protests shall be filed in writing (via U.S. mail) with the City Clerk at: Richmond City Hall, 450 Civic Center Plaza, Suite 300 or e-mailed to the City Clerk at: cityclerkdepartment@ci.richmond.ca.us. All objections and/or protests must be received **no later than Friday, September 4, 2020, at 4:00 P.M.**

The protest or objection must contain the following information to be considered filed:

- Address of the property owned
- Parcel number (APN) of the property owned
- Name and mailing address of the owner of the property owned

5. Community Development Department

Get counted on Census 2020! September 30th is the last day to respond.

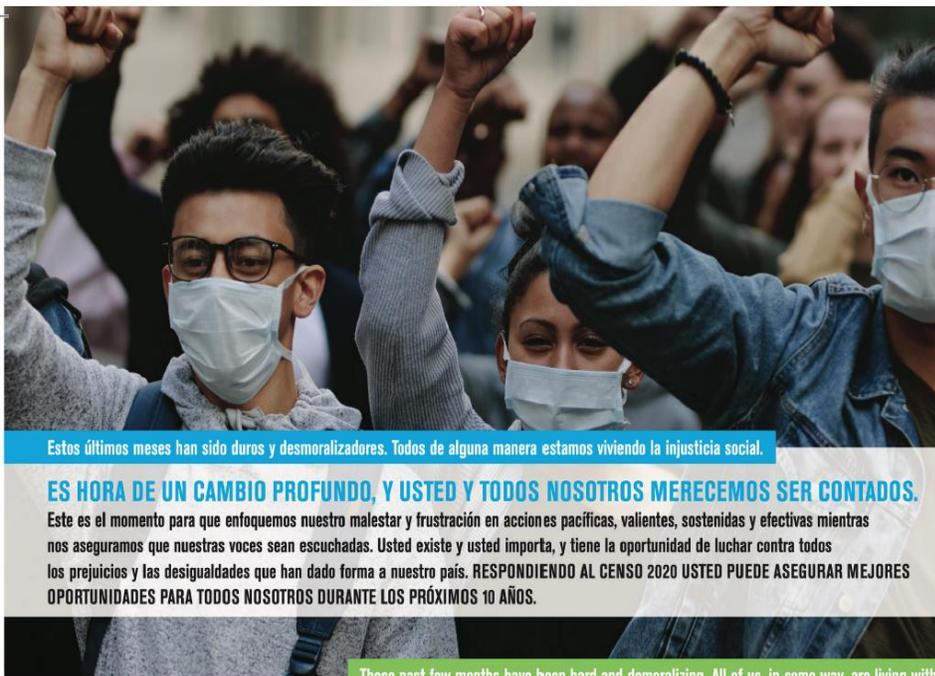
Starting on August 11th, Census Takers or Census Enumerators will be knocking on doors and collecting Census 2020 responses from households that have not yet responded. If you have not responded to Census 2020, be prepared for a Census Taker to knock on your door. If you respond online or by phone today, a census taker is less likely to have to visit your home to collect your response.

The Census takers:

- Have completed a COVID-19 training on social distancing and safety protocols
- Will be wearing masks and following the County's public health guidelines
- Work between 9:00 A.M. and 9:00 P.M., including weekends
- Will keep your census data confidential and protected

- Have a photo ID, with a U.S. Department of Commerce watermark, and expiration date
- Will provide supervisor contact information/regional office phone number, if asked
- Were hired from the City of Richmond by the Census Bureau or a nearby community
- If no one is home when they visits, the census taker will leave a notice.

As of August 26, 2020, 68.3% of Richmond households have responded to Census 2020. With this response rate, the City has surpassed 2010 census response rate by 0.8%. While this is a great achievement, there is still one third of the city’s population that has not been counted. Every person undercounted will represent a loss of approximately \$2,000 per year. With Richmond’s current response rate, our community could miss out on an estimated \$70.4 million of funding per year over the next ten years.



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This is the moment for us to focus our anger and frustration into peaceful, courageous, sustained, and effective action while making sure that our voices will be heard. You exist and you matter, and together we have the opportunity now to fight against all the prejudice and inequality that has shaped our country. RESPONDING TO THE CENSUS 2020 YOU ARE ENSURING BETTER OPPORTUNITIES FOR ALL OF US FOR THE NEXT 10 YEARS.



Every neighborhood in the city has reached a self-response rate over 51%; however, there are still six neighborhoods that are located in the top 10 lowest self-response rate census tracts in Contra Costa County: North Richmond, Iron Triangle, Belding Woods, Coronado, Santa Fe, and Atchison Village. If you know anyone who lives in these neighborhoods, remind them to be counted. Remember, we all lose when someone is not counted! Please help spread the word of the importance of responding to the census!

The following table has the response rate by neighborhood and the response rate growth over the past three weeks:

Table 1. Census 2020 response-rate by neighborhood in the City of Richmond as of August 26th.

NEIGHBORHOODS	Response rate (%)	Increase (%)
City of Richmond	68.3	2.6
ATCHISON VILLAGE	59.6	2.0
BELDING WOODS	57.7	1.7
CARRIAGE HILLS NORTH	82.9	3.0
CARRIAGE HILLS SOUTH	78.3	1.7
CASTRO HEIGHTS (COUNTRYSIDE)	78.3	1.7
CORONADO	57.8	1.9
CORTEZ/STEGE	60.6	2.9
COUNTRY CLUB VISTA	73.7	1.6
EASTSHORE	65.0	2.7
EL SOBRANTE HILLS	82.9	3.0
FAIRMEDE HILLTOP	64.3	1.9
GREENBRIAR	82.9	3.0
GREENRIDGE HEIGHTS	73.3	2.0
HILLTOP DISTRICT	61.8	3.0
HILLTOP BAYVIEW	61.8	3.0
HILLTOP GREEN	71.6	2.8
HILLTOP VILLAGE	61.8	3.0
IRON TRIANGLE	52.7	1.6
LAUREL PARK	65.0	2.7
MARINA BAY	81.9	3.2
MAY VALLEY	79.9	3.0
NORTH & EAST	68.9	2.3
NORTH RICHMOND (SHEILDS-REID)	52.0	2.1
PANHANDLE ANNEX	65.0	2.7
PARCHESTER VILLAGE	70.3	2.8
PARK PLAZA	62.3	3.0
PARKVIEW	65.0	2.7
POINT RICHMOND	73.7	1.6
PULLMAN	62.3	3.0
QUAIL HILL	73.3	2.0
RICHMOND ANNEX	79.8	3.1
RICHMOND HEIGHTS	81.1	3.2
RICHMORE VILLAGE/METRO SQUARE	62.3	3.0
SANTA FE	57.8	1.9
SOUTHWEST ANNEX	79.8	3.1

Census Bureau. Response rate comparison between August 5th and 26th 2020

Even though the response rate has grown for every neighborhood in the City, Richmond did not surpass Oakland's response rate before August 10th. Oakland Mayor Libby Schaaf was the final winner of the Census 2020 challenge. The challenge's objective

was to get as many residents in Richmond and Oakland counted. Richmond's response rate grew by 2.7% while Oakland's grew by 2.9% during the challenge. As of August 26th, Richmond's response rate is 0.3% ahead of Oakland (68.0%).

If you haven't completed your census questionnaire, or want to assist your neighbors, family or friends to complete their census, remember it can be done through one of the following options:

- **Online.** Click this link and start your questionnaire: <https://my2020census.gov/>
The census questionnaire can be responded to online in 12 languages, besides English.

- **Phone.** Every day from 4:00 A.M. to 11:00 P.M. on the following phone lines:

- English: 844-330-2020
- Spanish: 844-468-2020

Monday through Friday from 5:00 A.M. to 7:00 P.M. for the following languages on the following phone lines:

- Chinese (Mandarin): 844-391-2020
- Chinese (Cantonese): 844-398-2020
- Vietnamese: 844-461-2020
- Korean: 844-392-2020
- Russian: 844-417-2020
- Arabic: 844-416-2020
- Tagalog: 844-478-2020
- Polish: 844-479-2020
- French: 844-494-2020
- Haitian Creole: 844-477-2020
- Portuguese: 844-474-2020
- Japanese: 844-460-2020

Please help us spread the word about Census 2020 to make sure we're all counted! You can share the following videos with your friends, neighbors, and family through text messages or social media:

- Census 2020 Video (English and Spanish) <https://youtu.be/RbSSpEILSSY>
- Census 2020 Video (English) <https://youtu.be/lya3JbpH2cU>
- Census 2020 Video (Spanish) <https://youtu.be/YiBiFK6CsZc>



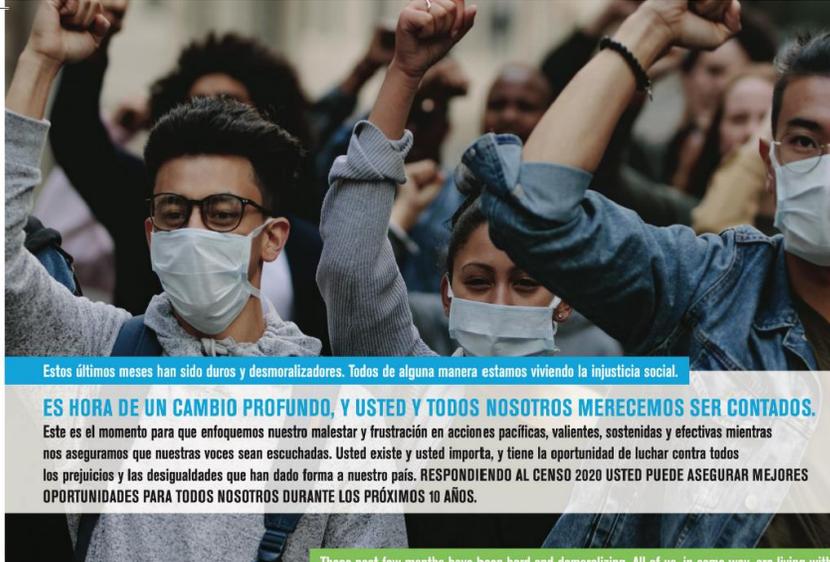
¡Cuéntese en el Censo 2020! El 30 de septiembre es el último día para responder.

Iniciando el 11 de Agosto, las y los enumeradores del Censo estarán tocando a su puerta para recolectar las respuestas del Censo 2020 de los hogares que no han respondido. Si usted no ha respondido al Censo 2020, prepárese para que un enumerador o enumeradora toque a su puerta. Si responde hoy en línea o por teléfono, es menos probable que un enumerador(a) visite su hogar para obtener su respuesta.

Las enumeradoras y enumeradores:

- Han concluido un entrenamiento de COVID-19 en distanciamiento social y protocolos de seguridad
- Usarán cubre bocas y seguirán los lineamientos de salud pública del Condado
- Trabajan de 9:00 A.M. a 9:00 P.M., incluyendo fines de semana
- Mantendrán su información del censo confidencial y protegida
- Tienen una identificación con fotografía, con marca de agua del Departamento de Comercio de Estados Unidos y fecha de expiración
- Le darán el contacto de su supervisor y de la oficina regional, si lo solicita
- Fueron contratados en Richmond o alguna ciudad cercana por el Census Bureau
- Si no hay nadie en casa cuando lo visiten, dejarán una nota con información

Al 26 de Agosto de 2020, 68.3% de los hogares de Richmond han respondido al Censo 2020. Con este nivel respuesta, la ciudad ha superado el nivel de participación del censo de 2010 en 0.8%. A pesar de este gran logro, casi un tercio de la población de nuestra ciudad no ha sido contada en este censo. Cada persona que no se cuente representa la pérdida de aproximadamente \$2,000 por año. Con la actual tasa de respuesta de Richmond, nuestra comunidad puede perder un presupuesto estimado de hasta \$70.4 millones anuales por los próximos 10 años.



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This is the moment for us to focus our anger and frustration into peaceful, courageous, sustained, and effective action while making sure that our voices will be heard. You exist and you matter, and together we have the opportunity now to fight against all the prejudice and inequality that has shaped our country. RESPONDING TO THE CENSUS 2020 YOU ARE ENSURING BETTER OPPORTUNITIES FOR ALL OF US FOR THE NEXT 10 YEARS.



Todos los vecindarios de la ciudad han alcanzado una tasa de respuesta mayor a 51%; sin embargo, aún hay seis vecindarios que se encuentran en los 10 tractos censales con la menor tasa de respuesta del Condado de Contra Costa: North Richmond, Iron Triangle, Belding Woods, Coronado, Santa Fe y Atchison Village. Si conoce a alguien que vive en estos vecindarios, recuérdelos que se cuenten. ¡Recuerde, todos perdemos cuando una persona no se cuenta! ¡Por favor, ayúdenos a informar lo importante que es responder al censo!

A continuación, se presenta una tabla con el porcentaje de respuesta de cada vecindario de la ciudad y el crecimiento de la tasa de respuesta de las últimas tres semanas:

Tabla 1. Porcentaje de respuesta del Censo 2020 por vecindario en la Ciudad de Richmond al 26 de agosto.

VECINDARIOS	Respuesta (%)	Crecimiento (%)
City of Richmond	68.3	2.6
ATCHISON VILLAGE	59.6	2.0
BELDING WOODS	57.7	1.7
CARRIAGE HILLS NORTH	82.9	3.0
CARRIAGE HILLS SOUTH	78.3	1.7
CASTRO HEIGHTS (COUNTRYSIDE)	78.3	1.7
CORONADO	57.8	1.9
CORTEZ/STEGE	60.6	2.9
COUNTRY CLUB VISTA	73.7	1.6

VECINDARIOS	Respuesta (%)	Crecimiento (%)
EASTSHORE	65.0	2.7
EL SOBRANTE HILLS	82.9	3.0
FAIRMEDE HILLTOP	64.3	1.9
GREENBRIAR	82.9	3.0
GREENRIDGE HEIGHTS	73.3	2.0
HILLTOP DISTRICT	61.8	3.0
HILLTOP BAYVIEW	61.8	3.0
HILLTOP GREEN	71.6	2.8
HILLTOP VILLAGE	61.8	3.0
IRON TRIANGLE	52.7	1.6
LAUREL PARK	65.0	2.7
MARINA BAY	81.9	3.2
MAY VALLEY	79.9	3.0
NORTH & EAST	68.9	2.3
NORTH RICHMOND (SHEILDS-REID)	52.0	2.1
PANHANDLE ANNEX	65.0	2.7
PARCHESTER VILLAGE	70.3	2.8
PARK PLAZA	62.3	3.0
PARKVIEW	65.0	2.7
POINT RICHMOND	73.7	1.6
PULLMAN	62.3	3.0
QUAIL HILL	73.3	2.0
RICHMOND ANNEX	79.8	3.1
RICHMOND HEIGHTS	81.1	3.2
RICHMORE VILLAGE/METRO SQUARE	62.3	3.0
SANTA FE	57.8	1.9
SOUTHWEST ANNEX	79.8	3.1

Census Bureau. Comparación de la tasa de respuesta entre el 5 y el 26 de Agosto.

Aun cuando la tasa de respuesta creció en todos los vecindarios de la ciudad, Richmond no supero la tasa de respuesta de Oakland antes del 10 de agosto, La Alcaldesa de Oakland Libby Schaaf fue la ganadora de Reto del Censo 2020. El objetivo del reto era lograr que el mayor número de personas en sus ciudades respondiera al Censo 2020. La tasa de respuesta de Richmond creció en 2.7%, mientras que la de Oakland creció 2.9% durante el reto. Al 26 de agosto, la tasa de respuesta de Richmond se encuentra 0.3% arriba de la de Oakland (68.0%).

Si no ha respondido su cuestionario del censo, o quiere ayudar a sus vecinos, amigos o familiares a completar el suyo, recuerde que realizarlo a través de las siguientes opciones:

- **Internet.** Dé click en este link e inicie su cuestionario: <https://my2020census.gov/>
El cuestionario del censo puede responderse en línea, en 12 idiomas, además de inglés.
- **Teléfono.** Todos los días de 4:00 A.M. a 11:00 P.M. en los siguientes números:
 - Inglés: 844-330-2020
 - Español: 844-468-2020

Lunes a viernes, de 5:00 A.M. a 7:00 P.M., para los siguientes idiomas en los siguientes teléfonos:

- | | |
|----------------------------------|----------------------------------|
| • Chino (Mandarín): 844-391-2020 | • Chino (Cantonés): 844-398-2020 |
| • Vietnamés: 844-461-2020 | • Coreano: 844-392-2020 |
| • Portugués: 844-474-2020 | • Creole Haitiano: 844-477-2020 |
| • Ruso: 844-417-2020 | • Japonés: 844-460-2020 |
| • Francés: 844-494-2020 | • Polaco: 844-479-2020 |
| • Tagalo: 844-478-2020 | • Árabe: 844-416-2020 |

¡Por favor ayúdenos a correr la voz sobre del Censo 2020, para asegurar que todos y todas seamos contados! Pueden compartir los siguientes videos con sus amigos, familias y vecinos a través de mensajes de texto y redes sociales:

- Video Censo 2020 (Inglés y Español) <https://youtu.be/RbSSpEILSSY>
- Video Censo 2020 (Inglés) <https://youtu.be/lya3JbpH2cU>
- Video Censo 2020 (Español) <https://youtu.be/YiBiFK6CsZc>

6. **Fire Department**

Community Emergency Volunteers Continue Preparedness Activities During the Pandemic

Throughout the pandemic, Richmond Community Emergency Response Teams (CERT) continue their efforts to maintain preparedness and communications with training and drills to sharpen their response skills and knowledge.

With the need to socially distance, on-line training is conducted by CERT volunteer trainers to a wide ranging audience in consideration of our diverse community. The following are the upcoming on-line trainings. To register, click on the links.

- **Home Disaster Preparedness Training.** Learn what you can do before, during, and after a disaster to protect your household and home. Thursday, September 17 at 3 PM. To sign-up, click on this link: <https://www.eventbrite.com/e/115268382836>
- **Rapid Damage Assessment and Safety.** Learn how to rapidly assess and report hazards and emergencies in your neighborhood after an earthquake.

Saturday, September 19th at 10:00 A.M. to 12 NOON. To sign-up, click on this link: <https://www.eventbrite.com/e/112715810022>

More Preparedness Ongoing Training:

2nd Wednesday CERT General Meetings. The on-line meetings are monthly and feature a variety of preparedness topics. If you are CERT-trained, learn about “CERT During Pandemic” on Wednesday, September 9 at 6:30 PM. CERT graduates receive invitations to attend. To request an invitation, please email: CERT@ci.richmond.ca.us.

Emergency Radio Communications. Are you a HAM radio operator or use a GMRS radio to communicate within or outside of your neighborhood? Join the 1st Wednesday West Contra Costa Emergency Communications Net. To learn more about community emergency radio communications, click on this link. Also, be sure to visit “HOME” for more information:

<https://sites.google.com/view/mbcert1stwedemcomm/home/emcomm-information>

For more information about Richmond’s emergency preparedness programs, please visit: <http://www.ci.richmond.ca.us/206/Office-of-Emergency-Services> or call (510) 620-5429.



Wildfire Preparedness and Evacuation Guide

The Richmond Fire Department takes every precaution to help protect you and your property from wildland fire. However, in a major wildland fire event, there simply may not be enough resources or firefighters to defend every home.

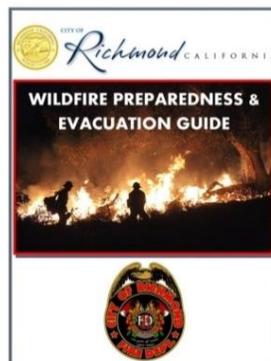
Successfully preparing for a wildland fire enables you to take personal responsibility to protect yourself, your family, and property. In this guide, we provide the tips and tools you need to prepare for a wildland fire threat, to have situational awareness when a fire starts, and to act early as directed by local officials.

This guide works in collaboration with other existing wildland fire public education efforts, but attempts to capture pertinent information into one document for your convenience. Additional resources are listed within this document for further information.

You are a key leader to creating change. You and the members of your community can take simple steps to increase your wildland fire preparedness. Your knowledge and actions may empower others to follow your lead, increasing their safety and potentially decreasing property loss and damage. Being prepared for a wildland fire is vital, as responders' resources can be spread thin quickly during a wildfire event. Taking advanced personal action can result in improved safety for all involved.

Fire is, and always has been, a natural occurrence. Hills, canyons, and forests burned periodically long before homes were built. Wildland fires are fueled by a build-up of dry vegetation and driven by seasonal hot and dry winds, called "Diablo winds." These winds can quickly spread wildfires, making them extremely dangerous and difficult to control. Many people have built homes in the wildland urban interface, or "WUI," without fully understanding the impact a wildfire may have on their lives. Few have adequately prepared their families and homes for a timely evacuation in the event of a wildland fire.

It is not a question of if the next major wildfire will occur, but when. Through advanced planning, understanding, and preparation, we can all be partners in the wildland fire solution. The tips on the following pages are designed to help create awareness and a safer environment for you, your family, and the Richmond Fire Department.

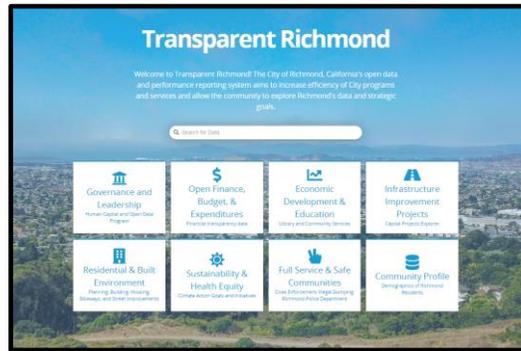


7. **Information Technology**

Transparent Richmond

Check out Transparent Richmond (www.transparentrichmond.org), the City of Richmond's citywide open data and performance reporting system. The open data platform currently spans 11 city departments and contains over 300 datasets,

visualizations, and performance measures, many of which feature monthly, weekly or daily updates.

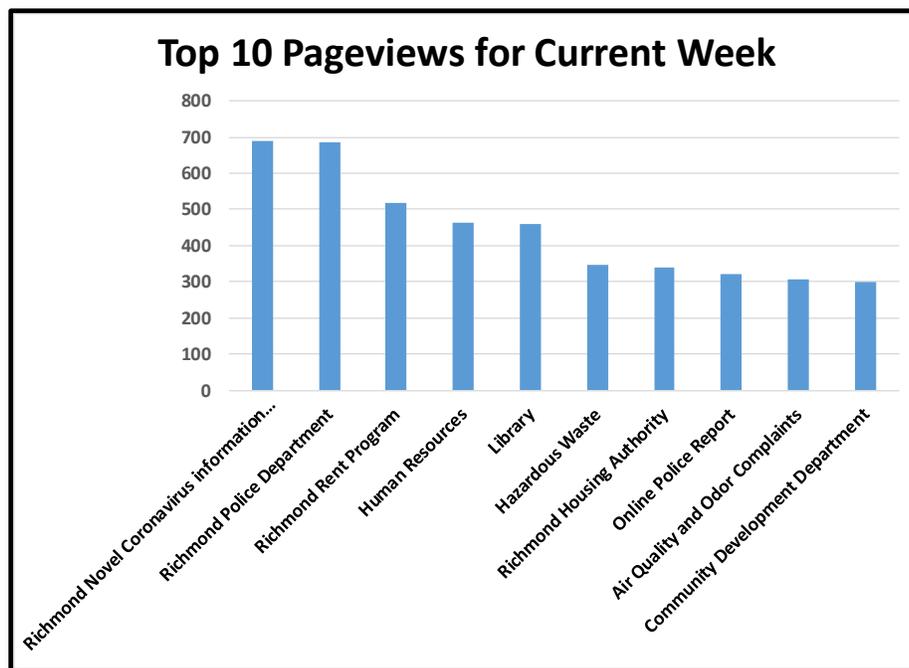


Transparent Richmond aims to accomplish the following:

- Improve the collective understanding of all city services.
- Automate performance data to help track and meet budget and service goals.
- Leverage evidence-based analysis to develop innovative solutions that improve the quality of city services.

The city plans to add more datasets and visualizations over time and invites the community to propose additional information for the site. To nominate new data and visualizations, visit <https://www.transparentrichmond.org/nominate>.

Social Media Statistics for this Week



KCRT Datanet for the Week



KCRT TV Channel 28 - New Episodes of Current Programming

Programming

New episodes of series programming are "The Jet Set" and "Sidewalks Entertainment." Specials still airing are NAACP Policing Forum, the GRID Alternatives' and City of Richmond's No-Cost Solar Workshop, as well as John Gioia's video on two Census-related pieces, and the City's Mask Videos.

You may find the full schedule at <http://www.ci.richmond.ca.us/3176/Schedule>

8. Internal Services

Finance

Open Requests For Bids/Request For Proposals

Finance	Equipment and Vehicle Financing Services	Due: 9/18/20
Public Works	Design Services for the Ferry Point Sewer Lift Station Project	Due: 10/9/20

Solicitation(s) Closed

Port	Fence Installation at Terminal 3	Responses received: 0
Port	Port of Richmond Master Lease of Terminal 3	Responses received: 1

9. **Library and Community Services**

Community Services (Recreation)

New Adopt-a-Senior Program to Serve Residents Over 55

After all of the interest and support we received from residents in May, [Richmond Love Your Block](#) is excited to present: **Adopt-A-Senior!** We are connecting community volunteers and seniors in Richmond and North Richmond.

If you are over 55 and would like to receive FREE maintenance services for your property, go to tinyurl.com/SeniorAdoptionRequest to be adopted! Services may include: cleaning up debris and litter; removing weeds and tall grass; trimming and pruning plants; painting; and more. Eligibility requirements apply.

If you would like to BE a volunteer and adopt a senior to help them maintain their property go to tinyurl.com/AdoptaSeniorVolunteer (the Adopt-A-Senior program does not provide any home repairs or other services that take place inside of the home.)

Help us spread the word so we can connect as many seniors and volunteers as possible!



Virtual Sports Programs

Join us for our first ever virtual sports programs! Find a spot outdoors, and you'll be able to master all the skills you need in soccer, tennis, or basketball! For more information, contact the Recreation staff listed in the flyer.



Dates:
Session I (4 weeks)
August 31 - September 26

Session II (4 weeks)
October 5 - October 31

Session III (3 weeks)
November 2 - November 21

Session IV (3 weeks)
November 30 - December 19

Fees:
\$10 per virtual session

Grades:
1st to 8th grade

Days/Times:
Monday to Saturday
2:30 PM - 5:30 PM

Registration Online Only
<https://apm.activecommunities.com/richmond>

Phone: (510)620-6793
Fax: (510)620-6583
Monday-Friday 9:00am - 4:00pm

City of Richmond
Community Services Department

VIRTUAL SPORTS PROGRAM (TENNIS, SOCCER AND/OR BASKETBALL)



First twenty (20) registered participants for tennis and soccer will receive one of the following: tennis racket and tennis ball or soccer ball.

For more information, contact
Tetteh Kisseh, (510)620-6919
tetteh_kisseh@ci.richmond.ca.us
Maurice Range, (510)620-6960
maurice_range@ci.richmond.ca.us

Community Services - EnRICHing Our Community

Virtual After-School Camps - ACHIEVE and ELEVATE

After-school camps are happening now! You can still join us! We'll have lots of fun and games with your favorite recreation staff and fellow campers. Register online at tinyurl.com/richmondrecreation.



ACHIEVE AND ELEVATE AFTER-SCHOOL PROGRAMS



Spend your out-of-school time with your recreation friends and staff from Booker T. Anderson, May Valley, Nevin, and the Shields-Reid Community Center in a fun and engaging virtual program setting.

Log in at 3:00 pm for our Afternoon Message, then visit your favorite recreation center for Homework Time and Help. Each day, we will provide fun activities, art & crafts, games, and movement. Our format will be similar to a condensed "Achieve and Elevate Summer Camp" for those attended this past summer. Register online or in-person at the Community Centers!

Starting

Aug. 17 - Dec. 18, 2020
Monday - Friday
3:00 pm to 6:00 pm

Cost

\$20 per month
August is free!

Grades:

K - 6th



510.620.6793
tinyurl.com/richmondrecreation



ACHIEVE Y ELEVATE PROGRAMAS DESPUÉS DE LA ESCUELA



Pase su tiempo fuera de la escuela con sus amigos y personal de recreación de Booker T. Anderson, May Valley, Nevin y el Centro Comunitario Shields-Reid en un entorno de programa virtual divertido y atractivo.

Inicie sesión a las 3:00 p. M. Para recibir nuestro Mensaje de la tarde, luego visite su centro de recreación favorito para la tarea y Ayuda. Cada día, se proporcionarán actividades divertidas, arte y manualidades, juegos y movimiento. Nuestro formato será similar a un "Campamento de verano para alcanzar y elevar" condensado para los asistentes al verano pasado. ¡Regístrese en línea o en persona en los Centros Comunitarios!

Comenzando

Agosto 17 - Diciembre. 18, 2020
Lunes - Viernes
3:00 pm - 6:00 pm

Costo

\$20 por mes
¡Agosto es gratis!

Grados:

K - 6th



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tinyurl.com/richmondrecreation

Literacy for Every Adult (LEAP) Program

GED testing available at LEAP

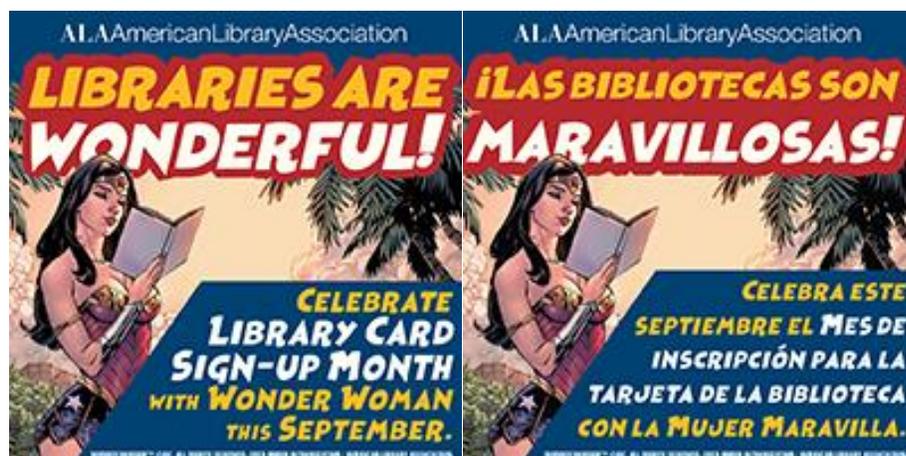
The Literacy for Every Adult Program (LEAP) is now open to hosting in-person GED testing! Despite the added barriers our students continue to overcome due to COVID-19, remote learning has provided flexibility and opportunity for LEAP students seeking to obtain the GED. Prior to the pandemic, all students were required to take GED tests at assigned testing centers but now, the GED test is remote and can be taken anywhere, including at the LEAP office.

GED testing was almost impossible in the summer because most testing centers were closed. Since July 1st, LEAP has adapted to the technological needs of the test and has hosted 16 subject tests with 13 tests successfully passed. Remote learning now provides students with schedule flexibility and a comfortable place to take the test. If you would like to be part of the remote learning experience, learn more about LEAP's online classes on Zoom, GED Academy, and now the GED test please contact us at (510) 307-8084 or visit our website at <https://www.ci.richmond.ca.us/788/Literacy-Program-LEAP> to schedule an appointment.

Library Updates

September is Library Card Sign-up Month!

Play bingo with us! When you register for a Richmond Public Library card online at <https://rosie.ci.richmond.ca.us/selfreg> you'll be able to mark one of your bingo squares! Get your bingo card at <http://www.ci.richmond.ca.us/3995> or with your library materials when you use Tableside Service.



Teen Voter Registration Program

Richmond Public Library Teens division has formed a local chapter of National Voter Registration Day, an initiative to encourage, promote, and support citizens to register to vote and participate in the election process. More importantly, it serves as a day nationally, where local organizations really push to register many undecided, unregistered, or new voters. The "holiday" is September 22, 2020! There are additional resources for teens and citizens at [Richmond Public Library Teens](#). This program is supported by the Richmond Youth Council. Teens that want to participate in this virtual National Voter Registration Day campaign should email angela_cox@ci.richmond.ca.us.

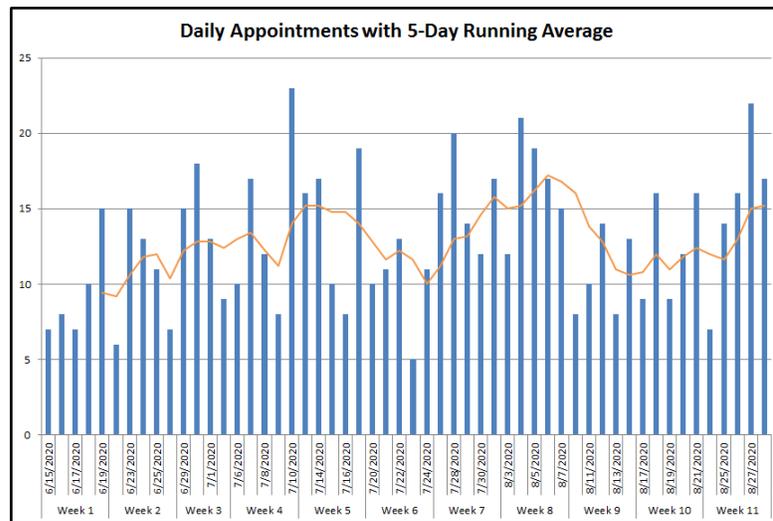
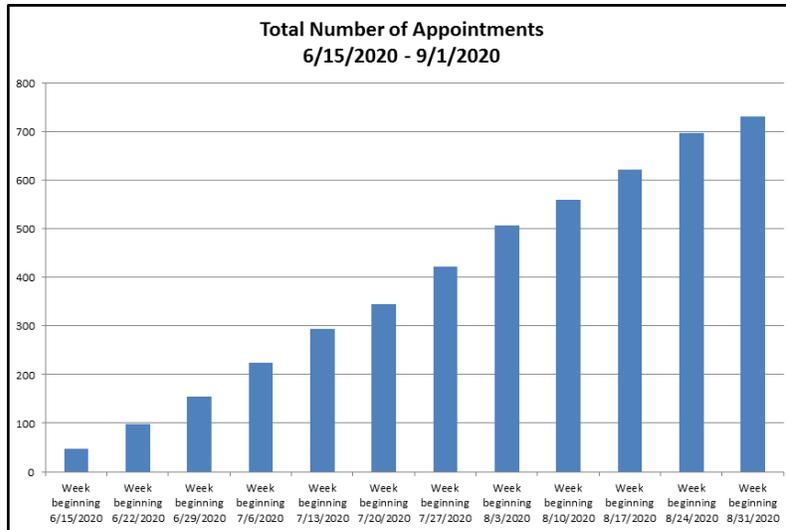


Tableside Service Update

The Richmond Public Library began its Tableside Service on June 15th in an effort to make library materials available to the community while our buildings themselves remain closed. In the eleven and a half weeks that this service has been available, the Richmond Public Library has had 731 successful appointments, getting thousands of books, magazines, DVDs, craft kits, and more into the hands of our community.

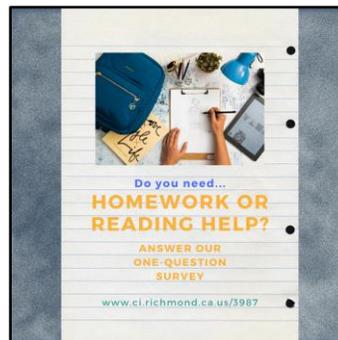
Remember, our Tableside Service is available by appointment 10:00 A.M. to 4:00 P.M., Monday through Friday. Call us at 510-620-6561 for more information or visit us online at <http://richmondlibrary.org>.

Below are representations of our total appointments and the daily totals for the first eleven weeks with a 5-day running average.



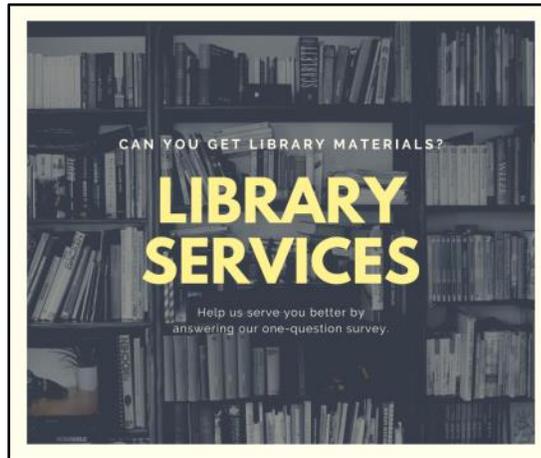
Homework Help Poll

Parents – Would your student benefit from help with homework or reading? Help us plan services by answering a one-question poll: www.ci.richmond.ca.us/3987



Library Materials Survey

Help us get you library materials! Take our one-question survey to let us know how to expand our services. www.ci.richmond.ca.us/3984



Print at the Library

Do you need to print? Email documents to rpl_reference@ci.richmond.ca.us and we'll print and arrange for pickup. The cost is \$0.10 per page black and white; \$0.40 per page color. Pay online through your library account at rosie.ci.richmond.ca.us/patroninfo.

A graphic with a white background and a green horizontal band. The top left has the text "Homework? Papers?" and "We'll help you get your documents printed." with pricing: "\$0.10 per page black & white" and "\$0.40 per page color". The top right shows a close-up of a yellow pencil on a math worksheet with addition problems. The green band contains the text "Need to print?". The bottom left shows a red pencil on a document with text. The bottom right has a numbered list of three steps: 1. Email your document to rpl_reference@ci.richmond.ca.us; 2. Pay for your prints through your patron account at rosie.ci.richmond.ca.us/patroninfo; 3. Library staff will call you to arrange pick-up through Tableside Service.

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Children's Department to launch of STEAM activities in the fall

The Children's Department will relaunch our Science, Technology, Engineering, Art and Mathematics (STEAM) activities for fall, calling it STEAM (Science and Art) Thursdays. We will post some simple science or art activities on Facebook and the library's web page on Thursdays -- activities you can do with items you may find around the house. Look for the supply list at the top of each post.

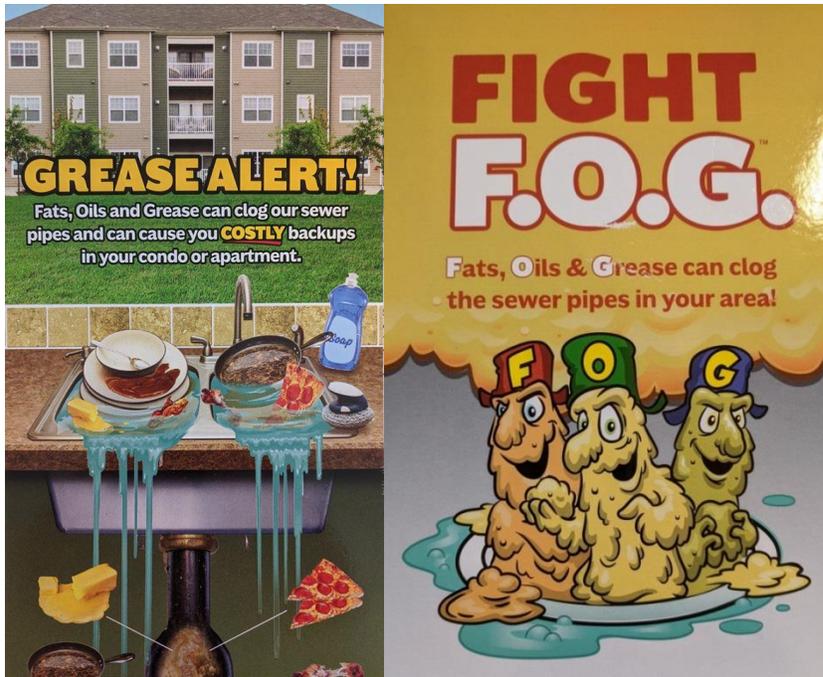


10. Public Works

Wastewater Treatment Plant – Fats, Oils, & Grease (FOG)

Please do not put grease down the drain! Heavy grease has been reported at Richmond's sewer treatment plant. Grease clogs pipes and can be detrimental to the function of the plant.

For more information about Fats, Oils, and Grease (FOG), please call 510-620-6594.



The City of Richmond was in your neighborhood working to keep the sewer lines clean, which helps prevent sewer overflows that can pollute our creeks, rivers, and groundwater. Help us fight future sewer backups in your area.

By following a few simple steps, you can help prevent sewer backups and spills:

1. Pour cooled fats, oils and grease into a covered, disposable container and throw it into your garbage can. Never pour fats, oils or grease down sink drains or toilets. COOL IT, CAN IT, TRASH IT.™
2. Soak up remaining oils and grease with an absorbent material such as paper towels, and throw it into your garbage can.
3. Before you wash dishes, scrape food scraps, fats, oils and grease into your garbage can.
4. Use sink strainers to catch any remaining food waste while washing dishes.



For more information, contact the City of Richmond at (510) 620-6594

Planta de Tratamiento de Aguas Residuales – Aceites y Grasas (FOG)

¡Por favor! ¡No ponga grasa por el drenaje! Se ha reportado grasa pesada en la planta de tratamiento de alcantarillado de Richmond. La grasa obstruye las tuberías y puede ser perjudicial para la función de la planta.

Para obtener más información sobre aceites y grasas (FOG), llame al 510-620-6594.



La Ciudad de Richmond estuvo en su vecindario trabajando para mantener las líneas de alcantarillado limpias, lo que ayuda a prevenir desbordamientos de alcantarillas que pueden contaminar nuestros arroyos, ríos y aguas subterráneas. Ayúdenos a combatir futuro desbordamientos de alcantarillas en su área.

你身邊的里士滿市正在致力於保持下水道線的清潔，這有助於預防可能污染我們的小溪，河流以及地下水的污水溢出。請協助我們防止您所在地區的污水管道出現倒流現象。

Siguiendo unos sencillos pasos, puede ayudar a evitar los desbordamientos y los derrames de alcantarillas:
這些方法有助於防止管線堵塞和污水管倒流現象發生

1. Echar las grasas y los aceites enfriados en un recipiente cubierto desechable y tirlarlo a la basura. Nunca debe echar aceites o grasas en los desagües o drenaje de lavamanos o inodoros. ENFRIAR, EMPACAR, TIRAR.
待油脂、廢植物油與油垢變涼之後，將其倒入一個可棄置的帶蓋容器中，然後放入垃圾箱內。
放涼，密封，棄置
2. Absorba los aceites y la grasa restante con un material absorbente como toallas de papel y tírelas a la basura. Use papel para absorber el exceso de grasas, aceites y residuos de alimentos y deseche los paños de papel con los residuos de alimentos.
用紙巾蘸取剩餘的油脂、廢植物油與油垢，並與您的食物殘渣及廁紙廢物一起棄置。
3. Antes de lavar los platos, raspe los restos de comida, aceites y grasas y tírelas a la basura. Antes de lavar los platos, raspe los restos de comida, aceites y grasas y tírelas a la basura.
在洗碗之前，應先將油脂、廢植物油與油垢刮除並倒入堆肥桶或垃圾箱。
4. Utilice coladores de fregadero para recoger los restos de comida mientras lava los platos. Use coladores de fregadero para recoger los restos de comida mientras lava los platos.
在洗碗時，應利用水池粗濾器截留剩餘的食物殘渣。

Richmond Para obtener más información, contacte la Ciudad de Richmond (510) 620-6594.
若需查詢詳情，請電：(510) 620-6594.

Sewer Lateral Grant Program

The City of Richmond's Water Resource Recovery Department administers the Sewer Lateral Grant Program. The program reimburses eligible homeowners in the Richmond Municipal Sewer District (RMSD No. 1) for some of the cost to replace their sewer lateral.

The program is open and accepting applications for the 2019-2020 Fiscal Year. There is limited availability – work must have been completed between 7/1/2019-6/30/2020.

The 2020-2021 Fiscal Year is now open and we are accepting applications for work completed between 7/1/2020-6/30/2021.

For more information about the Sewer Lateral Grant Program, please visit www.ci.richmond.ca.us/2130/Sewer-Lateral-Grant-Program or call 510-620-6594.



Sewer Lateral Grant Program Application Guidelines

Application and copies of the required documents listed below must be submitted in person at:
Water Resource Recovery Center – 601 Oak Center Plaza, 17th Floor, Richmond, CA 94804
Central Hours: Monday-Friday 8:00am-4pm

The City of Richmond recommends obtaining estimates from at least three (3) contractors.

Eligibility

- Permits served by the City of Richmond Sanitary Municipal Sewer District.
- Sewer lateral replacement must be completed **BEFORE** applying for the Sewer Lateral Grant Program.
- A full line replacement must be completed during the fiscal year July 1, 2019 to June 30, 2020.
- If you have previously received a Sewer Lateral Grant reimbursement, you will not be eligible to apply.

Required Documents

- Only Lateral Grant Applications dated 4/15/2020 or newer will be accepted.
- Contractor's final bid in full invoice.
- Proof of payment (copy of canceled check, credit card receipt, or bank statement are accepted).
- Certificate of Lateral Compliance (issued by the City after attachment permit inspections are approved).
- Grant Deed (change of ownership taken place within last 3 months and/or if property is under a Trust).
- Tax-exempt organizations must submit proof of tax-exempt status.

Award Limits

- Each fiscal year the City allocates sewer lateral grant funds to be awarded for private sewer lateral replacement.
- The program can be suspended at any time without prior or advanced notification or posting.
- Property owner(s) are eligible for **ONE** sewer lateral grant reimbursement award in a lifetime on a first come first serve basis until all sewer lateral funds are exhausted.
- Starting July 1, 2019 and ending June 30, 2020, the complete sewer lateral grant reimbursement amount is \$1,800 per application.
- Incomplete applications will **NOT** be accepted.
- All applications **MUST** be submitted in person. Any applications submitted via email or mail will **NOT** be accepted.
- No applications will be accepted after the sewer lateral grant funds are exhausted.
- Reimbursement may take approximately 3 weeks from the date the completed application is received and approved by the City.

PLEASE NOTE
Sewer Lateral Grant Program for Fiscal Year 2020-2021
ONLY work completed during the fiscal year (7/1/20 - 6/30/20)
will be eligible for sewer lateral grant reimbursements.

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Water Resource Recovery Department
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Richmond, CA 94804
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Fax: 510.620.6594
Email: water@ci.richmond.ca.us
Website: www.ci.richmond.ca.us

**Sewer Lateral Grant Program
Application**

APPLICANT INFORMATION	
Property (owner's) Name (PRINT)	
Property Address (PRINT)	
Mailing Address (if different than above)	
Phone: <input type="text"/> (cell) <input type="text"/> (home)	
Property application: <input type="checkbox"/> Primary Residence <input type="checkbox"/> Rental Property (owner-occupied) <input type="checkbox"/> Other Is the rental property currently registered with the City of Richmond Rent Program? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	
Contractor bid amount: <input type="text"/>	Total amount paid to contractor: <input type="text"/>
<small> I, the undersigned, certify that I have had and understand the Lateral Grant Application and System(s). I am the owner(s) of this property and I am not a general partner, limited partner, or agent of the partnership in the operation of the subject property described above. I am applying for an award of the sewer lateral grant application on a property or premises by the City of Richmond to replace sewer lateral pipe to provide sewer lateral replacement at the above described property. I understand the City of Richmond will reimburse 100% sewer lateral grant reimbursement to property owner(s) in a lifetime on a first come first serve basis until all sewer lateral grant funds are exhausted for the submission described above. I will maintain the proper order of priority of the above described property in compliance with Richmond Municipal Code Chapter 17.11 with the sewer lateral grant application in my equipment. I do hereby acknowledge my right to the City of Richmond to apply for reimbursement of such amounts under the sewer lateral replacement described above. I do hereby understand that the City of Richmond does not guarantee the work of contractors or other sewer districts. I hereby grant the City of Richmond all rights of access to the subject property necessary to perform the application, such rights to be exercised only during business hours and all necessary lines in support of the subject property. </small>	
APPLICANT SIGNATURE: <input type="text"/>	DATE: <input type="text"/>
(FOR OFFICE USE ONLY)	
<input type="checkbox"/> COMPLETE <input type="checkbox"/> Contract Bid Review <input type="checkbox"/> Proof of Payment Received (Per Contract Bid #) OK <input type="checkbox"/> Proof of Payment <input type="checkbox"/> Certificate of Lateral Compliance Contract Documents, especially when Public Agencies: <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No Has the applicant previously received lateral grant reimbursement? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> APPROVED FOR REIMBURSEMENT <input type="checkbox"/> INCOMPLETE <input type="checkbox"/> DENIED	DATE: _____ BY: _____ TITLE: _____ APPROVAL SIGNATURE: _____ APPROVAL NAME: _____

Macdonald & Virginia Wet Weather Improvement Projects

Local contractor is continuing work on this project. See picture and description below.



Local contractor is performing pavement restoration on Roosevelt Avenue at 30th Street showing grinding, tag-oil coating and final paving.

11. **Rent Program**

Proposed Owner Move-In (OMI) Eviction Regulations Available for Review

After several months of community outreach and deliberation, the Richmond Rent Board is scheduled to consider adopting a series of regulations to clarify the intent of the Owner Move-In (OMI) Eviction provisions of the Fair Rent, Just Cause for Eviction, and Homeowner Protection Ordinance at its Regular Meeting on Wednesday, September 16, 2020.

To access the draft regulations, please click on the following link:

[Proposed Owner Move-In \(OMI\) Eviction Regulations](#)

Written comments must be received no later than 5:00 P.M. on Thursday, September 10th, 2020, to allow for transmission to the Rent Board members at or before their Regular Meeting on Wednesday, September 16, 2020. Detailed instructions are included within the draft regulations document.

Please visit the [Laws and Regulations](#) webpage to access additional information and resources.

Questions? Visit www.richmondrent.org to learn more about the Rent Program, or call or email the Rent Program at (510) 234-RENT (7368) or rent@ci.richmond.ca.us

Propuesto Regulaciones de Desalojo por Mudanza del Propietario ("OMI") Disponibles para Revisión

¡Propuesta de reglamento de la Junta de Renta sobre el proceso y los procedimientos de Desalojo por Mudanza del Propietario ahora están disponibles para revisión y comentarios públicos!



Envíe sus comentarios escritos no más tardar de 5 PM el Jueves 10 de Septiembre de 2020.
Para obtener más información e instrucciones, visite nuestra página web de Leyes y Reglamentos en www.richmondrent.org

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**Proposed
Owner Move-In (OMI)
Eviction Regulations
Available for Review**

Proposed Rent Board regulations concerning the
Owner Move-In Eviction process and procedures are now
available for public review and comment!



Submit your written comments no later than
5 PM on Thursday, September 10, 2020.
For more information and instructions, please visit our
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12. **Richmond Promise**

Virtual Support for Recent High School Graduates & College Students Through the Summer

Richmond Promise is offering virtual coaching to current & future college students who may need support with their college enrollment process. We can assist students who need support completing to-do list item for their college portals, financial aid, or enrollment to our local community college institutions.

Contact our Outreach Team to make an appointment:

- Miguel Molina: mmolina@richmondpromise.org (530-794-8326)
- Ana Perez: aperez@richmondpromise.org (510-775-1067)

Become a Richmond Promise Mentor!

Interested in supporting a Richmond student through college? Richmond Promise is expanding its mentorship program and seeking individuals who can support our Scholars in their academic, personal, and career success.

Building on the success of our 2018-19 mentor pilot program, we aim to match mentors and mentees for the 2020-21 academic year. This goal is dependent on mentee/mentor interest and mutual fit.

The time commitment for mentors is approximately one hour per month starting in August 2020 with a minimum of a one-year commitment. If the mentee is based outside of the Bay Area, the interaction will be virtual.

If you're interested, please complete the mentor interest form at <http://bit.ly/rpmentors>

For questions, email bquarles@richmondpromise.org

“

My mentor helped me

BUILD

CONNECTIONS

with professionals in the industries I'm interested in.

”

 **JEFERSON SOLANO**
UCLA
CLASS OF 2021



#FindYourWhy

Become a Mentor
bit.ly/richmentor20

Thank you for keeping up with the activities in the City of Richmond. Feel free to contact me if you have any questions or comments about these or any other items of interest to you.

Thank You!

Laura Snideman

City Manager
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(510) 620-6512

You can sign up to receive the City Manager's weekly report and other information from the City of Richmond by visiting: www.ci.richmond.ca.us/list.aspx

See below for options to connect with the City of Richmond.

Connecting with the City of Richmond



Using the City of Richmond Mobile Application:

The City of Richmond mobile app provides Richmond's community members with one-stop access to City services and information via mobile devices. The app allows quick and real-time reporting of neighborhood-related issues; viewing the City's events calendar; finding addresses and phone numbers of local businesses, city departments and council members. The City of Richmond's mobile phone app is available on the Apple App store and Google Play store.

QR Codes are available for easy downloading of this APP:

[Apple version of APP](#)

[Android version of APP](#)



We welcome your comments at webservices@ci.richmond.ca.us

Richmond Residents

Want to report a service concern or issue?
Use CORConnect to contact City of Richmond

The screenshot shows the City of Richmond website header with the logo and navigation menu. Below the navigation menu is a banner with text explaining the use of CORConnect. At the bottom, a row of service icons is displayed, with the COR Connect icon circled in red. A large blue banner with the website URL is overlaid at the bottom of the screenshot.

CITY OF *Richmond* CALIFORNIA

DEPARTMENTS COMMUNITY BUSINESS GOVERNMENT PUBLIC SAFETY

You can use the CORConnect button on the City's website to report a concern, pose a question, or acknowledge the City's work in some way.

Agenda Docs Community Voice **COR Connect** Environment Employment KCRT Channel 28 Project & Bids

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9, Oct 10
toric Preservation Commission
eting - Agenda
Wed, Oct 11
Crescent Park Neighborhood

**On the next screen,
under "Report an Issue,"
select "Report
Issue/Concern," or
"Search Issue/Concerns"
to look up a previously
reported issue.**



**You can also look up
previously submitted issues
to check on the current status
if you provided you name,
phone number or email when
you submitted it.**

Want to report a service concern or issue?



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To contact us by phone:

The City's website (<http://www.ci.richmond.ca.us/>) provides a department and staff directory at <http://www.ci.richmond.ca.us/Directory.aspx>.

If you're not sure which department you need to contact, we encourage you to phone the City Manager's office at (510) 620-6512.

Using the CORConnect Application on the City's Website:

You can use the **CORConnect** button on the City's website (<http://www.ci.richmond.ca.us/>) to report any comments, questions or concerns regarding the work being done by City staff. The CORConnect issues go directly to the responsible department, and the city manager reviews reported issues on a regular basis to determine if City staff members are responding appropriately. If you do not feel that you have received a satisfactory response, please contact the City Manager's Office at (510) 620-6512.

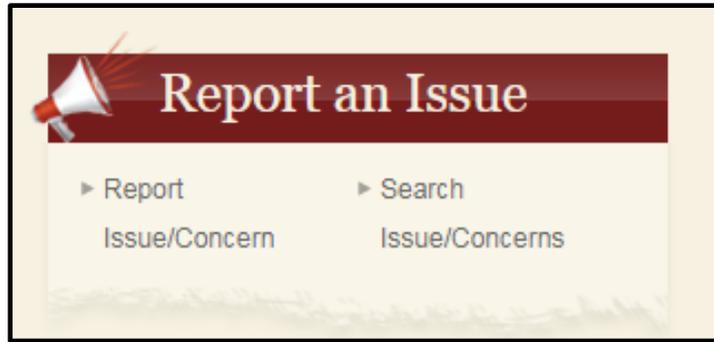
To access **CORConnect** select the CORConnect button on the homepage of the City website.



Alternatively, you can select the **COR Connect** button on any other webpage on the left hand side of the page.



On the next screen under Report an Issue select Report Issue/Concern to create a report or Search Issue/Concerns to look up a previously reported issue. You can also look up previously submitted issues to check on the current status if you provided you name, phone number or email when you submitted it.



On the page, you can also look up information on a parcel, see permits issued and look up business license information. If you have a current business license you can pay to renew it online with a credit card.

The recommended browsers are: **Microsoft Edge**, or **Microsoft Internet Explorer version 11** using the compatibility mode. It can be found in the upper right corner of Internet Explorer: click on the "gear" icon and select Compatibility View Settings, then add the site to the list and click "Close".

The City of Richmond is looking forward to feedback from the community on **CORConnect**. We welcome your comments at webservices@ci.richmond.ca.us