



Hon. Mayor and Members of the City Council:

This is the report for the week ending August 12<sup>th</sup>, 2022.

1. **Meeting Notes**

The Richmond City Council is on their August recess, and will return to session on Tuesday, September 13, 2022. Enjoy the time off!

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

The following information is an ongoing list of resources and significant updates regarding COVID-19. Please click on the images or visit the hyperlinks below for further information.

A banner with a purple-to-green gradient background. On the left, a red location pin icon is above the text "Richmond, CA". Below this is the text "Impact to City Services and Facilities". On the right, there are icons for a green glove, a white face mask, a roll of white paper towels, and a red shopping bag filled with groceries. Below these icons is the text "Health Information and Community Resources".

[Health Information and Community Resources](#)

A banner with a blue-to-yellow gradient background. On the left is the logo for "CONTRA COSTA HEALTH SERVICES" featuring a sun and mountains. The center shows a collage of people wearing masks and being vaccinated. On the right, the text "COVID-19" is in large white letters, with "Click for vaccine eligibility, appointments &amp; more" below it.

[Contra Costa County Coronavirus Updates](#)



[California Department of Public Health](http://www.cdph.ca)

## **Monkeypox**

Monkeypox is a rare disease that is caused by infection with the monkeypox virus. It belongs to the same family of viruses as smallpox, although monkeypox tends to be milder than smallpox. Monkeypox spreads through close, personal, often skin-to-skin contact. The virus can be spread from the time symptoms start until all sores, including scabs, have healed and a fresh layer of skin has formed. This can take several weeks.

Contra Costa County Health Services has a limited supply of the monkeypox vaccine and is currently offering it to people at higher risk of exposure. Contra Costa Health recommends that anyone who has had a potential exposure to monkeypox call (925) 313-6740 for an appointment at an upcoming vaccination clinic.

For further information regarding monkeypox, please view the [Centers for Disease Control and Prevention](https://www.cdc.gov) and the [Contra Costa Health Services websites](https://www.conracounty.org). Please view the images for further information.

The infographic is split into two main sections. The left section has a dark blue background. At the top, it says "Protect against monkeypox" in white. Below this is an illustration of a man in a yellow shirt and black pants sitting on a stool, wearing a white face mask. To his right, the text reads "People at higher risk of exposure to monkeypox can request a vaccine." At the bottom of this section, it says "Visit [cchealth.org/monkeypox](http://cchealth.org/monkeypox)" and the Contra Costa Health Services logo. The right section has a light blue background. At the top, it says "Monkeypox Symptoms" in white. Below this are six circular icons arranged in a 2x3 grid. Each icon is accompanied by a symptom name: "Intense headache" (person holding their head), "Swollen lymph nodes" (person touching their neck), "Chills" (person hugging themselves), "High fever" (thermometer), "Back & muscle aches" (person holding their back), and "Skin rash" (hand with red spots). At the bottom of this section is the Contra Costa Health Services logo and the website "cchealth.org".

### 3. Upcoming Events

#### THIS WEDNESDAY! Energy Workshop for Multi-Family Property Owners in Contra Costa County 8/17

The City Manager's Office, Economic Development Department, is pleased to announce MCE's Energy Improvements in Multifamily Properties virtual workshop for property owners and managers, which will take place on **Wednesday, August 17 from 10:00-11:00 A.M.** Gain access to generous rebates for energy efficiency and water saving upgrades, electric vehicle charging station rebates, and no cost technical assistance for properties in Contra Costa County.

With California looking to ban the sale of all new gas-fueled cars by 2035, and toward carbon-free buildings by 2045, there are programs in Contra Costa County that can help prepare your multifamily property. In the workshop you will learn:

- How to install EV charging for tenants
- How to get directly installed energy efficiency upgrades and solar
- How Richmond residents can access a network of electric vehicles

We will be joined by experts who will share their knowledge of available financial assistance and incentive programs.

Space is limited so reserve your virtual seat today. Have questions? Email Tyla Brown, MCE Community Development Manager at [tbrown@mceCleanEnergy.org](mailto:tbrown@mceCleanEnergy.org).

To register, visit <https://www.eventbrite.com/e/future-proof-your-multifamily-property-with-energy-upgrades-tickets-388337597207>

Note: You will receive an email with the virtual workshop link and phone number a few days before the event.

**MCE** Empowering Our Clean Energy Future  
CONTRA COSTA | MARIN | NAPA | SOLANO

## Future Proof Your Multifamily Property with Energy Upgrades

Virtual workshop for property owners and managers  
in Contra Costa County



**Brett Wiley**  
Senior Customer Programs Manager  
MCE



**Margee McDonnell**  
Solar on Multi-Family Affordable Housing (SOMAH) Program Administrator



**Gloria Huerta**  
Míocar Carshare General Manager  
Mobility Development



### Senior Farmers' Market Nutrition Program

Come find out if you are eligible for the California's Department of Food & Agriculture Senior Farmers' Market Nutrition Program. Eligible seniors will receive a total of \$50 in vouchers to buy produce in various nearby farmers markets. Visit the Richmond Senior Center on August, 18th, 2022 from 1:00 P.M. to 2:30 P.M. to see if your eligible. Vouchers will be given out that day

For more information, call (510) 307-8087 or (510) 620-6812.



## **Richmond Community Block Party and Resource Fair**

Please come out to the Richmond Community Block Party and Resource Fair on Friday, August 19, 2022, at 450 Civic Center Plaza, City Hall Atrium from 4:00 PM to 8:00 PM.

Register as a community-based organization or vendor at [www.richmondcommunityblockparty.eventbrite.com](http://www.richmondcommunityblockparty.eventbrite.com) .

For questions contact Elisandro Garcia Jr. At (510) 307-8045 or [egarcia@richmondworks.org](mailto:egarcia@richmondworks.org)

Please view the flyer for more information.



The flyer features a vibrant geometric design with shades of blue, green, and teal. At the top, a shield-shaped graphic contains the text 'RICHMOND COMMUNITY PRESENTS' in small white letters, followed by 'BLOCK PARTY & RESOURCE FAIR' in large, bold, white block letters. Below this, a blue banner reads 'A BLOCK OF FUN, A SLICE OF LIFE, A WORLD OF HOPE AND RESOURCE FAIR'. The main body of the flyer is white with blue and teal accents. It includes the date and time 'FRI AUG 19, 2022 4-8PM' in large blue font, the location 'CITY HALL ATRIUM' and '450 CIVIC CENTER PLAZA | RICHMOND, CA' in smaller blue font. A list of activities is presented in blue: 'COMMUNITY RESOURCES | FOOD | MUSIC | JUMPERS' and 'BACKPACK GIVEAWAY | GAMES | HEALTH SCREENINGS & SERVICES'. Registration information is provided at the bottom: 'TO REGISTER AS A CBO OR VENDOR VISIT WWW.RICHMONDCOMMUNITYBLOCKPARTY.EVENTBRITE.COM'. At the very bottom, there are three logos: the 'REAL' logo (Richmond Economic Action League), the 'CSD' logo (City of Richmond Library and Community Services Department), and the 'City of Richmond' logo.

RICHMOND COMMUNITY PRESENTS

# BLOCK PARTY & RESOURCE FAIR

**A BLOCK OF FUN, A SLICE OF LIFE, A WORLD OF HOPE AND RESOURCE FAIR**

Join your neighbors and local community organizations as the City of Richmond's Library and Community Services Department host its inaugural Community Block Party and Resource Fair. We are excited to bring the community together for an evening of family fun, entertainment, and community resources. We look forward to seeing you there!

## FRI AUG 19, 2022 4-8PM

### CITY HALL ATRIUM

450 CIVIC CENTER PLAZA | RICHMOND, CA

FEATURING

COMMUNITY RESOURCES | FOOD | MUSIC | JUMPERS  
BACKPACK GIVEAWAY | GAMES | HEALTH SCREENINGS & SERVICES

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Sponsored by City of Richmond Library and Community Services Department.



#### 4. **City Clerk's Office**

##### **November 8<sup>th</sup> Election News**

The nomination period opens July 18 through August 12, 2022.

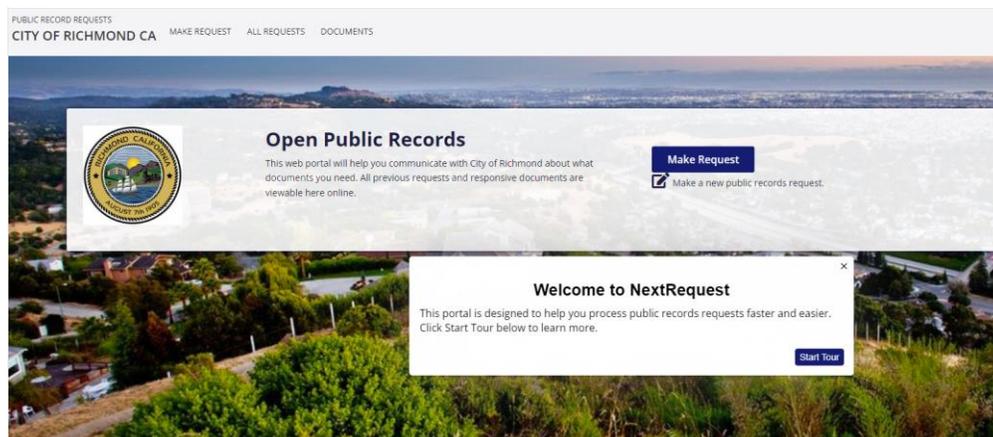
Seats up for election: Mayor, Council Districts 2, 3, and 4.

Contact the City Clerk's Office to make an appointment to pull nomination papers at [cityclerkdept@ci.richmond.ca.us](mailto:cityclerkdept@ci.richmond.ca.us) or call (510) 620-6513, Ext. 9

##### **New Public Records Request Portal**

The Clerk's Office is happy to announce the launching of NextRequest for electronic processing of public records requests.

Link to the portal: <https://www.ci.richmond.ca.us/4331/Public-Records-Request>



#### 5. **City Manager's Chronicles**

Meetings and events of note in the past week include the following:

- Participated in the Standard and Poors (S&P) Rating Presentation in addition to several meetings in preparation for the upcoming Pension Obligation Bonds sale
- Documented several landscaping and built environment concerns around Civic Center Plaza
- Conducted a site visit to Rydin Road
- Conferred with staff regarding a contract
- Participated in a meeting regarding the delayed reconstruction of Booker T Anderson Community Center and discussed strategies to address concerns
- Participated in meeting with Risk Management staff

- Met with staff to review proposed contract terms, metrics, and criteria to enable unhoused residents to thoughtfully transition
- Met with RHA and Finance staff to receive updates on their progress in addressing various areas of concern
- Met with the Director of Community Development regarding the development pipeline

Continued one-on-one weekly meetings with members of the City Council, community members, the Management Leadership Team, Department Heads in our one-on-one check-ins, City Attorney’s Office, and various City staff members.

**6. City Manager’s Office**

**West Contra Costa School District (WCCUSD) Summer Meal for Kids 2022**

The WCCUSD Summer Food Service Program provides FREE HEALTHY meals to children and teens 18 years of age and younger when school is out. Meals are available at parks, libraries, community centers and other locations throughout West Contra Costa. All children and teens 18 years and younger eat free. NO SIGN-UP OR PAPER REQUIRED!

Link to WCCUSD Food Services and locations:

<https://www.schoolnutritionandfitness.com/index.php?sid=1481576684998>

	West Contra Costa Unified School District	
<b>SUMMER FOOD SERVICE PROGRAM 2022 FEEDING SITES</b>		
(These sites and meal times/dates are subject to change) Please call 510-307-4580 with any questions.		
Meals served at no charge to all children 18 years and younger. Please join us!!!		

**7. Community Development**

**Richmond is Requesting Qualifications for A Variety of Services in Support of Unhoused Residents in Richmond**

The City of Richmond Housing Division has released a Request for Qualifications from service providers; qualified firms, agencies, project teams, or individuals (contractors) who can provide certain services to unhoused residents in the City of Richmond. The qualified firms will be listed on an on-call list which will be used to solicit specific proposals for specific projects and/or funding, including Richmond’s Castro Encampment Resolution Funding Project.

Contractors will provide services aimed at resolving encampments by providing services to encampment residents for safety, sanitation, and connecting residents into stable housing. There are several categories of services and associated subtasks that contractors can provide qualifications for. Contractors must clearly identify which service

category they are submitting for and submit a 1) staffing plan, 2) budget, and 3) narrative descriptive plan for accomplishing stated objectives.

The City is seeking contractors for 7 Service Categories: 1) Operation of Emergency Intervention To End The Unsheltered Status Of Individuals And Families (Emergency Shelter / Community Cabins/ Safe Parking Programs); 2) Storage For Encampment Residents; 3) Employment Programs; 4) Hygiene Interventions to increase health and wellness of unsheltered individuals.; 5) Training and Technical Assistance; 6) Street Outreach; and 7) General Homeless Services.

Bid Details are provided below:

**Project Title:** Request for Qualifications; Services in Support of the Unhoused

**Posted:** August 1, 2022

**Bid Due Date:** September 1, 2022 4:00 PM (Pacific)

Please visit the [bid details](#) for more information. A [vendor profile](#) is required to view and/or download the RFQ.

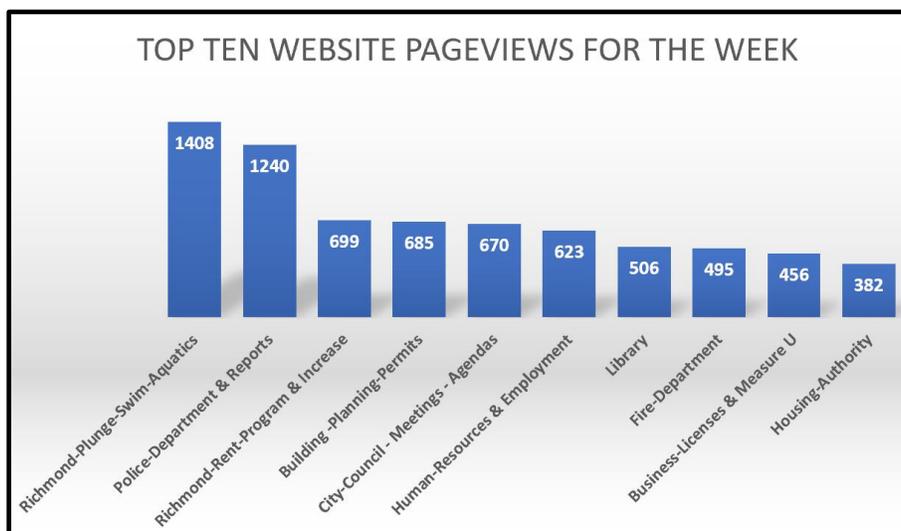
As part of the City's plan to assist and address the needs of unhoused residents and to abate encampments throughout the City, the City is developing an on-call service providers list to solicit bids for specific tasks or projects.

For more information, please feel free to email Jesus M. Morales, Housing Manager at [jesus\\_morales@ci.richmond.ca.us](mailto:jesus_morales@ci.richmond.ca.us).

## 8. **Internal Services**

### Information Technology

#### Website Statistics



KCRT Spotlight Video of the Week



Highlights from the PAST, June 11, 2022, Ferry Fest ONE DAY event!  
[KCRT's NewsBytes: Ferry Fest 2022 - YouTube](#)

KCRT Newsbyte of the Week

**Richmond Community Block Party  
and Resource Fair**

**Friday, August 19th @ 4pm - 8pm**

**FREE EVENT!**

Richmond City Hall Atrium  
450 Civic Center Plaza

Community Resources • Food  
Music • Jumpers • Games  
Backpack Giveaway  
Health Screenings & Services

## KCRT TV Channel 28 - New Episodes Of Current Programming

### **New Regular Series Episodes:**

- New episode of “Creature Features” and “The Jet Set”.
- Multiple new episodes of “Sidewalks Entertainment” during the week.

### **Recent Segments:**

- “NewsBytes” Segments: Highlights of Juneteenth 2022, July 3<sup>rd</sup> Fireworks, RFD Fire Alarm installation, CoBiz spotlight on Downtown Richmond, Juneteenth Underpass Mural, National Drive Electric and RichmondMOVES, Easter Egg Hunt, City Manager Swearing In Ceremony, Highlights of the Richmond Poetry event (piece provided by and edited by Doug Harris), Tibetan Flag Raising, Mayor’s State of the City, Police / Fire Toy Drive, Coffee with the Chief, Transgender Flag Raising, Fire Chief Swearing-In Ceremony, Clean Air Day, National Night Out 2021, Ookwe Park Celebration, Yellow Brick Road, Transit Re-Grand Opening and BOLT Bike Sharing.
- “Your Future, Your Choice: Life after High School,” six short presentations that cover options and resources for four-year colleges, community colleges, and the building trades (video courtesy of Library and Doug Harris).
- Revised edition of GRIP Alternatives No-Cost Solar Workshop.

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

## **9. Library and Community Services**

### **Community Services**

#### **Volunteer at Dirt World Bike Park Every Wednesday!**

Friends of Dirt World and Bay Area BMXers will be hosting weekly volunteer events at Dirt World Bike Park every Wednesday, from 4:00 PM to 6:00 PM, starting July 27, 2022.

Volunteers will be cleaning, weeding, digging, sweeping - and probably doing some riding!

Dirt World will provide shovels, brooms, trash bags, and other tools for the group, but participants are also welcomed to bring their own tools.

The aim is to keep the park in decent shape until the major state-funded rebuild takes place later this year. Big improvements to the dirt pump track and BMX track are planned for August as well.

All this work is being funded by a Love Your Block mini-grant from the City of Richmond City Manager’s Office, Economic Development and Community Services.



## Become a Lifeguard!

Join our Aquatics Team! Lifeguards are still needed for year-round shifts. Certified Lifeguards or strong swimmers of all ages with flexible schedules are encouraged to apply. Apple [here!](#) We can train those who are qualified and available when we need it.

# Want to be a Lifeguard?

*We're Hiring!*

## Join the City of Richmond's Aquatics Team!

Part-time positions with flexible, year-round shifts at our two beautiful indoor pools (a perfect job for students or adults with extra time). Work at least one shift per week + attend all trainings.

**WE PROVIDE FREE TRAINING FOR APPLICANTS!!**

No need to be certified before applying, but applicants will need to pass a swim test before participating in Lifeguard training.

Questions? Email Aquatics Coordinator Paula Cooper-Tipton at [paula\\_cooper-tipton@ci.richmond.ca.us](mailto:paula_cooper-tipton@ci.richmond.ca.us)




## Karaoke at the Richmond Senior Center

Have a go-to karaoke song you want to show off to everyone in Richmond? Join us for our karaoke afternoons at the Senior Center! Call (510) 307-8085 to find out more!

A vertical poster for karaoke at the Richmond Senior Center. The background is a vibrant, multi-colored gradient (red, orange, yellow, green, blue) with a blurred microphone in the foreground. In the top left corner is the Richmond Senior Center logo, and in the top right is the Richmond Community Services Department (CSD) logo. The text on the poster reads: "YOU KNOW YOU WANNA" in a white box, "KARAOKE AT THE RICHMOND SENIOR CENTER" in large white letters, "2525 MACDONALD AVENUE" below it, "WEDNESDAY'S STARTING 7/20/22", "10:45AM - 12:45 PM", "\$2.00 PER PERSON", and "FOR MORE INFORMATION CALL 510 307-8087".

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## Qigong at the Senior Center

Qigong is an ancient practice developed centuries ago that now is a part of Traditional Chinese Medicine. It is a gentle practice that anyone can do, even from a seated position if necessary. Our class starts with some warmup exercises and then a combination of three forms of Qigong (pronounced Chee Gong). Some self-massage is presented, and quiet meditation is introduced.

Come join us at the Annex Senior Center every Wednesday from 10:00 A.M. – 11:30 A.M. Call (510) 620-6812 for more information!

**QiGong**

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COME JOIN US AT THE ANNEX SR. CENTER EVERY WEDNESDAY FROM 10:00AM - 11:30AM  
5801 HUNTINGTON AVENUE, (510) 620-6812

### Meals for Seniors

Do you know that the Richmond Senior Center in conjunction with the Contra Costa County has a meal program for Seniors? Seniors can receive five (5) frozen meals on a weekly basis. Seniors must pre-register and call in their order weekly. For more information call the Richmond Senior Center at (510) 307-8087.

Please call the Senior Center to join the lunch program at (510) 307-8085.

CITY OF RICHMOND

## SR. NUTRITION PROGRAM

The Richmond Senior Center daily lunch program is disbursed every Tuesday. Please call the Richmond Senior Center if you are interested in joining our Lunch program. Seniors are required to fill out an application with the Contra Costa County meal program prior to receiving lunches. Once the application is completed seniors can call on Friday's to request a 5 meal weekly order. The suggested price of this program \$15.00 dollars or what you can afford to pay.

Pick up times are on Tuesday from 11:15 am to 12:15 pm.  
We are located at 2525 MacDonald Avenue, Richmond, CA 94804. For further information contact the Richmond Senior center at (510) 307-8085

### Love Your Block In-Kind Sponsorship Program: Supplies for Volunteer Events

The **Love Your Block In-Kind Sponsorship Program** is now accepting requests for sponsorship! The sponsorship program aims to make supplies for volunteer clean-up and beautification projects available to residents and groups that want to make a difference in Richmond. **Sponsorships are limited to \$1,000 of supplies only.**

Examples of supplies that can be sponsored include trash bags, gardening and landscaping supplies, painting supplies, personal protective equipment, and drinks, snacks, and refreshments for volunteers.

Check out the program guidelines, application, and more at [Love Your Block webpagethis link.t](http://webpagethislink.t) and contact Love Your Block staff at (510) 620-6563 or [volunteer@ci.richmond.ca.us](mailto:volunteer@ci.richmond.ca.us) if you have any questions!

The Love Your Block In-Kind Sponsorship Program is funded by a partnership between Community Services and City Manager's Office, Economic Development.








## LOVE YOUR BLOCK IN-KIND SPONSORSHIP PROGRAM

 Now accepting sponsorship requests on a rolling basis

 Volunteer clean-up and beautification events and projects only.

 Up to \$1,000 in supplies per project

 Scan the QR code for more information or visit [www.richmondloveyourblock.org](http://www.richmondloveyourblock.org)

### Richmond Achieve and Elevate After-School Programs

On another note, summer is wrapping up and school is going to start real soon. Consider signing up for one of our Richmond Achieve and/or Elevate After-School Programs. The program helps participants with homework, group activities, arts & crafts, and much more!

Call (510) 620-6793 for more information or register online at [tinyurl.com/richmondrecreation](http://tinyurl.com/richmondrecreation)





## Elevate After-School Program Programa Despues de Escuela

**May Valley Community Center**  
 3530 Morningside Dr.  
**Richmond Recreation Complex**  
 3230 Macdonald Ave.

 **Monday-Friday**  
 lunes - viernes

 **Grades k - 8th**  
 Edades: kinder-8th

 **Aug. 16, 22-June 9, 23**  
 Afterschool-6:00 pm  
 agosto 16, 22 - junio 9, 23  
 despues de escuela-6:00 pm

 **\$200/month**  
**\$250/month** non-resident  
**\$200/mes**  
**\$250/mes** no-residente

Sign Up [tinyurl.com/richmondrecreation](http://tinyurl.com/richmondrecreation)

## ACHIEVE AFTER-SCHOOL PROGRAM PROGRAMA DESPUES DE ESCUELA



 **Afterschool - 6:00 pm**  
 Session 1: Aug. 16 - Dec. 16, 22  
 Session 2: Jan. 3 - June 9, 23  
**Despues de escuela - 6:00 pm**  
 Sesión 1: agosto 16 - diciembre. 16, 22  
 Sesión 2: enero 3 - junio 9, 23

 **\$80**  
 Per Session  
 cada sesion

 **Grades K - 6th**  
 Edades: Kinder - 6to

 **Shields-Reid Community Center**  
 1410 Kelsey St.

**Nevin Community Center**  
 598 Nevin Ave.

**Parchester Community Center**  
 900 Williams Drive

Sign Up [tinyurl.com/richmondrecreation](http://tinyurl.com/richmondrecreation)

## Tiny Heroes Training Camp for 6mo – 5 years! Starts September 2022

It's back! This program starts in September 2022! Call (510) 620-6793 for more information or register online at [tinyurl.com/richmondrecreation](http://tinyurl.com/richmondrecreation)



The flyer is for the 'Tiny Heroes Training Camp' and features a teal background with colorful confetti. At the top left is the Richmond logo, and at the top right is the CSD (City of San Diego) logo. The title 'TINY HEROES TRAINING CAMP' is prominently displayed in large, bold, light blue letters. Below the title, two columns of text provide details for two locations: Nevin Community Center and Shileids Reid Community Center. Each column includes the address, phone number, dates (Sept 2022 - May 2023), days, time (10:30 am - 12 pm), age range (6 months - 5 yrs), and fees for residents and non-residents. A paragraph describes the training center's equipment and goals. A note states that parents must be present and that facemasks are required. At the bottom, there is an illustration of five children in superhero costumes running. Contact information for online and in-person registration is provided, along with the 'Parks & Recreation Life Better!' logo.

**NEVIN COMMUNITY CENTER**  
598 NEVIN AVE. (510) 620-6813

Sept 2022 - May 2023  
Monday & Tuesday  
10:30 am - 12 pm  
6 months - 5 yrs  
Res: \$20/mo. or \$5/drop-in  
Non-Res: \$25/mo. or \$6.25/drop-in

**SHILEIDS REID COMMUNITY CENTER**  
1410 KELSEY ST. (510) 620-6822

Sept 2022 - May 2023  
Wednesday & Thursday  
10:30 am - 12 pm  
6 months - 5 yrs  
Res: \$20/mo. or \$5/drop-in  
Non-Res: \$25/mo. or \$6.25/drop-in

Begin your training at our Tiny Heroes Training Center. Our mini secret training base has age appropriate gym equipment, games and puzzles to help your child, infant to 5 years old, develop STRONG physical and mental skills. Children and their families can interact with one another in a healthy, safe and nurturing environment. Dressing as your favorite Super Hero is encouraged but optional.

**NOTE: Parent or guardian must be present and monitor their child "at all times"**  
This is not a "Drop off" childcare program. Facemasks are required.

register online: [tinyurl.com/richmondrecreation](http://tinyurl.com/richmondrecreation)  
in-person: recreation registration office: 3230 macdonald ave  
call (510) 620-6793 for more information

Parks & Recreation  
Life Better!

## Employment and Training

### RichmondWorks

RichmondWorks provides various opportunities for employment needs. Please view the flyer to learn more about the services we provide for job seekers.

# RICHMONDWORKS WE ARE OPEN!

RichmondWORKS is your One Stop for all your employment needs. Our Career Center offers a comprehensive array of services to assist job seekers from entry to advanced level career training opportunities. Services include:

- Employment Search/Job Placement Assistance
- Employment Readiness Workshops
- Computer Workstations for Self-directed Job Search
- Typing Tests
- English Language Learner (ELL) Services
- One-on-one Career Counseling
- Individualized Education And Career Planning
- Resume Preparation Assistance
- Occupational Skills Training
- On-the-Job Training (OJT)/Work Experience
- Supportive Services
- Construction Pre-Apprenticeship Program

Located at:  
330 25<sup>th</sup> Street, Richmond, CA  
Hours of Operation: 9am – 4:30pm  
510-307-8014



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## Library

### Reaching Out to the Community

The library continues to reach out to the community as much as possible. Thanks to a California State Library grant, we offered books to students at King Elementary Freedom School, and Shields-Reid and Nevin Community Centers at their Free Summer Lunch sites.



We participated in National Night Out near the West Side Branch in Pt. Richmond on August 2<sup>nd</sup>. We have plans to visit back-to-school events at the Bay Area Rescue Mission and at several schools.



Every week, we have new people walk in the door who are glad to see us open more hours and ready to apply for library cards!

The library is looking forward to the fall! For author visits, outdoor crafts and other kids' activities at the West Side Branch, check our [Facebook](#) page. If you have questions, call at (510) 620-6567.

For story times and children's programs at the Main Library, and the next [Story Stroll](#) at Miller/Knox Regional Shoreline, call the Children's Department at (510) 620-6557. Also, check the Children's Department [Facebook](#) page.

## 10. **Public Works**

### **Abatement Divison**

Abatement crews, in collaboration with Sims Metal and Republic Services, participated in the Dumpster Day event in the Hilltop Neighborhood where seniors and disabled citizens were assisted, abated weeds from the Richmond Parkway and public right of ways, abated encampments in multiple locations, removed illegally dumped debris and graffiti from various locations throughout the City.



*Hilltop District Dumpster Day*





*Weed Abatement*



*Encampment Abatement*





*Illegal Dumping & Graffiti Removal*

### **Building Maintenance**

Stationary Engineers performed daily pool maintenance and Civic Center Plaza boilers and pump inspections, replaced the hot water heater at Fire Station #68, repaired a supply copper pipe leak, installed a hose bib vacuum breaker around the pool area and replaced the flushometer on a toilet at the Plunge, function checked the air conditioning unit at May Valley Community Center, replaced air handler unit fan belt at the Senior Center, and repaired the automatic slide gate at Fire Station #67.



*Water Heater Replacement*

Utility Workers assisted the Housing Authority with maintenance and removal of debris from parking lots, completed a deep cleaning project at 450 Civic Center Plaza, fixed the lamping the 3<sup>rd</sup> Floor at 450 Civic Center Plaza, assisted the Fire Department with setting up the Council Chamber for testing, washed the courtyard of the Main Library, cleaned the Transit Center and provided cleaning services for 27 City owned buildings daily.



*Testing Set-Up*

### **Parks and Landscaping**

General fund crews abated a homeless encampment and repaired the irrigation main line at Mira Flores Park, abated weeds and, repaired fencing at Lucas Park on the railroad side, installed a sign on the Greenway, abated weeds on the 23<sup>rd</sup> Grade separation and at the Dispatch building and trimmed a city street tree at 726 32<sup>nd</sup> Street.



*Encampment Abatement Lucas Park*

Marina District crews raised the canopy on a Willow tree along the Bay trail, abated weeds, removed dead shrubs and tree limbs along the Bay Trail, picked up trash from all parking lots and lawns, emptied all trash receptacles in the Marina Bay area and hauled the debris away.



*Shrub Removal on Bay Trail*

Hilltop District crews weed abated at Bay Vista Park, performed weed abatement on Blume Drive, weed abated at Hilltop Lake Park, weed abatement near the Auto Plaza Monument, cleared illegal dumping from the Richmond Parkway and removed debris from various locations.



*Richmond Parkway Illegal Dumping*

**Streets**

Pavement Maintenance crews grinded and paved Wendell Avenue from 26<sup>th</sup> to 29<sup>th</sup> Street, delivered and posted no parking signage on selected streets for various events, removed large objects from the roadway on Valley View Drive for sweeping and removed roadway debris from the Richmond Parkway.

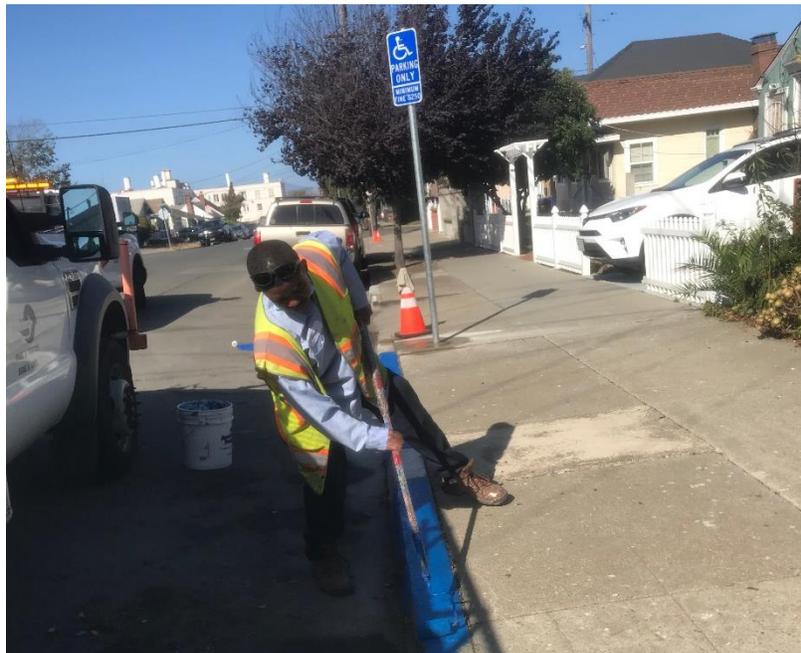




*Wendell Avenue Paving*

Street Sweeping crews swept in the following neighborhood council areas on the second Monday through Friday in the; May Valley, Vista View, Clinton Hill I – IV and Richmond Heights.

Signs and Lines staff installed new bicycle markings on Nevin Avenue, installed new handicapped signs and curb markings in multiple locations, painted red curbing on Fresno Street, fixed the school crossing sign on Berk Avenue, repaired 2 downed stop signs, removed and reinstalled pavement markings on Seacliff Drive, replaced a street name sign on Canyon Oaks Road and fabricated 36 new signs.



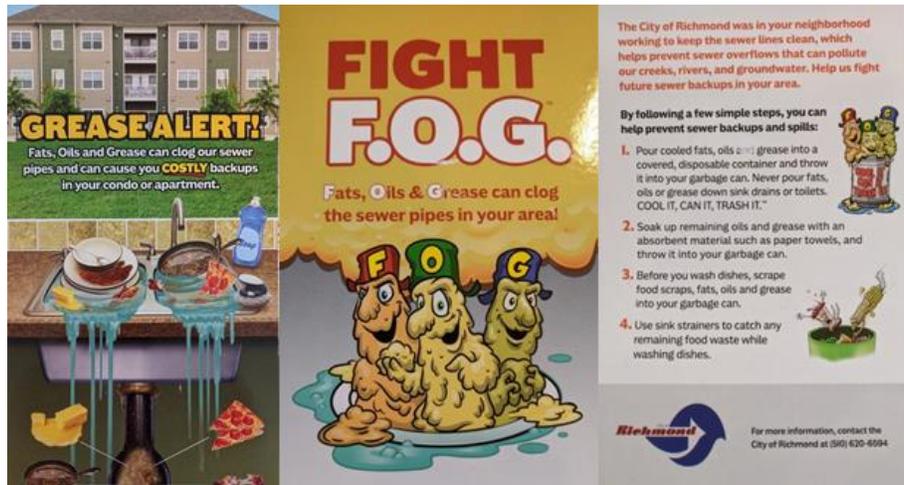
*New Handicap Markings*

## Water Resource Recovery Division

### Fats, Oils, & Grease (FOG)

**PLEASE! DO NOT POUR GREASE DOWN THE DRAIN!** Grease continues to be a problem in the sanitary sewer system and the Richmond Wastewater Treatment Plant. Grease clogs pipes and can be detrimental to the function of the plant. It can also lead to sanitary sewer overflows (SSOs).

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



**GREASE ALERT!**  
Fats, Oils and Grease can clog our sewer pipes and can cause you **COSTLY** backups in your condo or apartment.

**FIGHT F.O.G.**  
Fats, Oils & Grease can clog the sewer pipes in your area!

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.



**油垢警報**  
油脂、廢植物油與油垢會堵塞污水管道和可能導致你公寓昂貴的管道堵塞!

**Alerta de Grasa!**  
La Grasa y el Aceite de Cocinar están obstruyendo las tuberías del alcantarillado y pueden causar costosas obstrucciones en su condominio o apartamento.

**FIGHT F.O.G.**  
Grasas y aceites obstruyen tuberías de las alcantarillas en su área.

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 futuros desbordamientos de alcantarillas en su área.

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Si siguiendo unos sencillos pasos, puede ayudar a evitar los desbordamientos y los derrames de alcantarillas:  
Estos métodos ayudan a evitar los desbordamientos y los derrames de alcantarillas:

1. Echar las grasas y los aceites enfriados en un recipiente cubierto desechable y tirarlo a la basura. Nunca debe echar aceites o grasas en los desagües o drenaje de lavamanos o inodoros. **ENFRIAR, EMPACAR, TIRAR.**  
待油冷、廢植物油與油垢變冷之後，將其倒入一個可棄置的帶蓋容器中，然後投入垃圾筒內。  
放涼、密封、棄置。
2. Absorba los aceites y la grasa restante con un material absorbente como toallas de papel y tirelo a la basura. Use trapos para limpiar los aceites, grasas y residuos de los platos y desechos de comida. **用紙巾與紙製的油紙、廢植物油與油垢、並與您的食物殘渣及垃圾雜物一起棄置。**
3. Antes de lavar los platos, raspe los restos de comida, aceites y grasas y tirelo a la basura. **在洗盤之前，應先刮除剩餘的食物殘渣、廢植物油與油垢，並將其倒入垃圾筒內。**
4. Utilice coladores de fregadero para recoger los restos de comida mientras lava los platos. **在洗碗時，應利用水槽篩網攔截剩餘的食物殘渣。**

Para obtener más información, contacte la Ciudad de Richmond (510) 620-6594.  
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## Sewer Lateral Grant Program

The City of Richmond's Water Resource Recovery Division 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 Fiscal Year 2022-2023 for sewer lateral work completed between 7/1/2022-6/30/2023.

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

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**Sewer Lateral Grant Program Application**  
Fiscal Year 2022-2023

**Sewer Lateral Grant Program Application Guidelines**

Application and copies of the required documents listed below must be submitted to:  
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Counter Hours: Monday-Friday 9:30am-4pm  
[WRRD@ci.richmond.ca.us](mailto:WRRD@ci.richmond.ca.us)

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

**APPLICANT INFORMATION** (Please type or print in blue or black ink)

Property Owner(s) Name (PRINT): \_\_\_\_\_  
Property Address (PRINT): \_\_\_\_\_  
Mailing Address (if different than above): \_\_\_\_\_  
Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Cell: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_  
Property **Category**:  Primary Residence  Rental Property (answer question below)  Other: \_\_\_\_\_  
Is the rental property currently registered with the City of Richmond Rent Program:  Yes  No

Contractor bid amount: \_\_\_\_\_ Total amount paid to contractor: \_\_\_\_\_

By signing this application, I certify that (i) I have read and understand the "Lateral Grant Application and Guidelines"; (ii) I am the legal owner or, if the owner is a tax-exempt public service organization, the legal representative of the owner of the subject property described above; (iii) I recognize the acceptance of the sewer lateral grant application is not a guarantee or promise by the City of Richmond to approve sewer lateral grant funds for private sewer lateral replacement at the above-described property; (iv) I understand the City of Richmond will award one (1) sewer lateral grant reimbursement to property owner(s) in a lifetime on a first come, first served basis until all sewer lateral grant funds are exhausted for the subject property described above; (v) I must maintain the private sewer lateral at the above-described property in compliance with Richmond Municipal Code Chapter 12.17 even if the sewer lateral grant application is not approved; (vi) I have not submitted a claim to the City or any other public agency for reimbursement of costs incurred to make the sewer lateral replacement described above; and (vii) I understand that the City of Richmond does not guarantee the work of contractors on private sewer laterals. I hereby grant the City of Richmond all rights of access to the subject property necessary to process this application, such rights to be exercised only during normal business hours and with reasonable notice to occupants of the subject property.

APPLICANT NAME (PRINT): \_\_\_\_\_  
APPLICANT SIGNATURE: \_\_\_\_\_ DATE: \_\_\_\_\_

**(FOR OFFICE USE ONLY)**

1. \_\_\_\_\_ 2. \_\_\_\_\_

CHECKLIST:  
 Contractor's Final Invoice  
 Proof of Property Ownership (PQ/Grant Deed/POC)  
 Rental Property  
 Proof of Payment  
 Certificate of Lateral Compliance  
Commercial Property operated by a Non-Profit Organization:  Yes  No  N/A  
Has the applicant previously received a lateral grant reimbursement:  Yes  No

APN: \_\_\_\_\_  
FY: \_\_\_\_\_  
LGA #: \_\_\_\_\_  
Approved Date: \_\_\_\_\_  
Approved Amount: \_\_\_\_\_

APPROVED FOR REIMBURSEMENT  INCOMPLETE  DENIED

Notes: \_\_\_\_\_

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**Eligibility:**

- ◆ Parcels 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.
- ◆ If you have previously received a Sewer Lateral Grant reimbursement, you will not be eligible to apply.

**Required Documents:**

- ◆ Only Lateral Grant Applications dated 6/30/2022 or newer will be accepted.
- ◆ Contractor's final paid 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 encroachment 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.
- This program can be suspended at any time without prior or advanced notification or posting.
- Property owner(s) are eligible for **ONE (1)** sewer lateral grant reimbursement award in a lifetime on a first come, first served basis until all sewer lateral funds are exhausted.
- Starting July 1, 2022 and ending June 30, 2023, the complete sewer lateral grant reimbursement amount is \$1,800 per application.
- Incomplete applications will **NOT** be accepted.
- Applications will be accepted via email and mail at this time. This is subject to change.
- No applications will be accepted after the sewer lateral grant funds are exhausted.
- Reimbursement may take approximately 6 weeks from the date the completed application is received and approved by the City.

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## High Priority Critical Improvements Projects

The City of Richmond and Veolia Water (Veolia) are implementing High Priority Critical Improvements Projects at the City's Wastewater Treatment Plant (WWTP), which is managed and operated by Veolia. The purpose of the projects is to replace aging and unreliable infrastructure, improve treatment operating efficiency, comply with future discharge regulations, and improve the functionality of the existing WWTP. The

improvements were identified through previous planning efforts, including the 2010 WWTP Master Plan and the 2016 WWTP Facility Plan, to construct the following elements of the WWTP Critical Improvements Projects: (1) New screening and grit removal facilities; (2) Aeration upgrades; and (3) Demolition of existing facilities and site clearing in preparation for future WWTP Facilities. The projects are expected to take approximately 2 ½ years to complete.

Shimmick continued working in the fine screening facility, backfilling voids and installing duct bank “H”. They also continued working on the Pista Grit structure, backfilling and setting shoring and forms for the upcoming concrete placement of decks. In the blower building’s electrical room, they started coating the walls. Additionally, Shimmick continued their work in the aeration basins, installing the scum removal system in basin 3 and the concrete wall in the 3A/4A channel. Finally, the Contractor continued installing the new 3 water piping and catch basin 3.



*Yard piping: Shimmick is installing the new 3 water line that will feed the new pretreatment facility (Fine Screens + Pista Grit) with service/plant water.*



*Yard piping: Shimmick is installing the new 3 water piping, including isolation valves that will allow better operation of the system.*



*Yard Piping: Shimmick is installing a new catch basin next to the new facility as part of the upgrades of the internal storm drain system.*



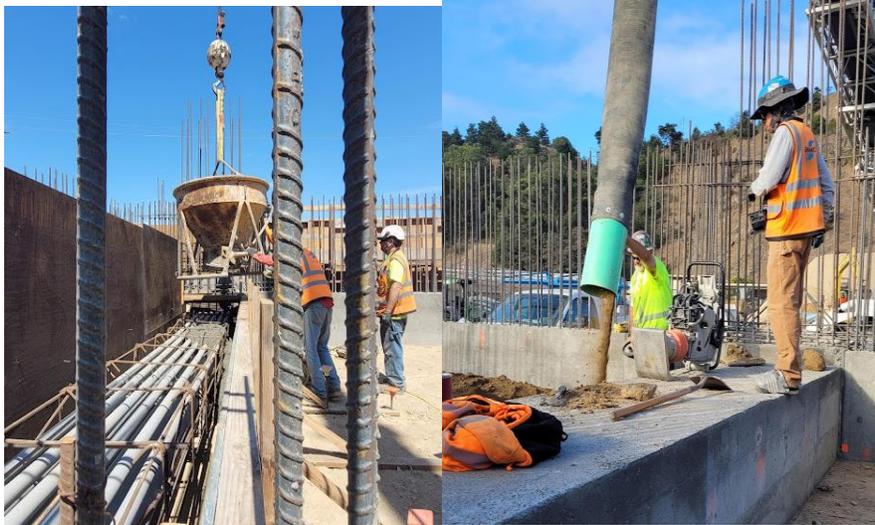
*Pista Grit: Shimmick is backfilling and compacting around the new Pista Grit structure. Above left, the three columns are the expansion “caps” that will allow for future growth of the Plant’s capacity when the production of wastewater requires it.*



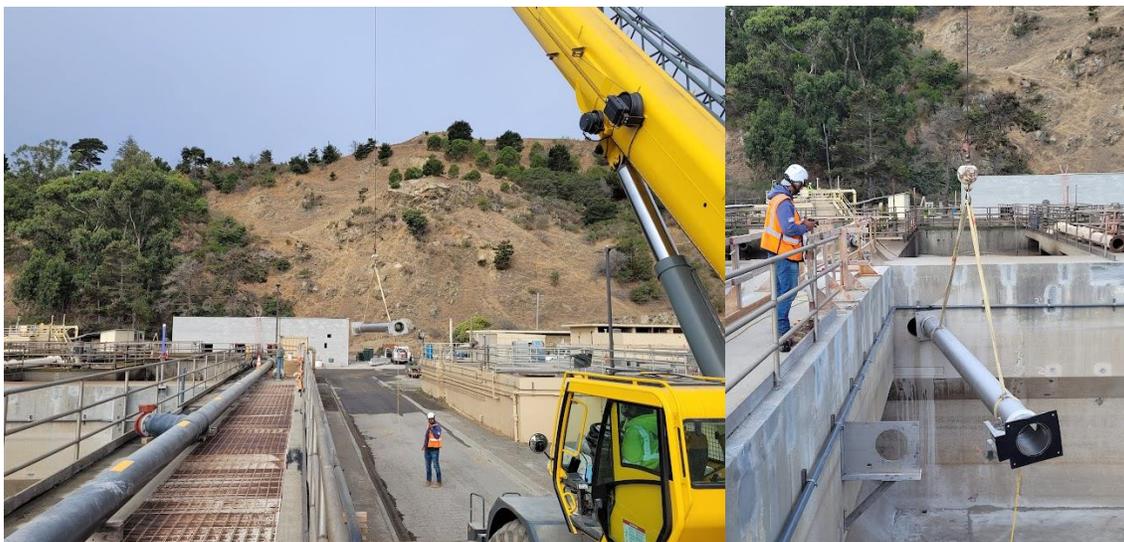
*Pista Grit: View from inside the pump room as Shimmick builds the shoring for the false formwork of the new deck. Once the concrete is set, it will be removed.*



*Screening facility: Duct bank H. Activities consist of forms, rebar, conduit installation, concrete placement (using crane and bucket), stripping forms, backfilling and compaction.*



*Aeration basins: Installation of the rotating weir as part of the scum collection system.*





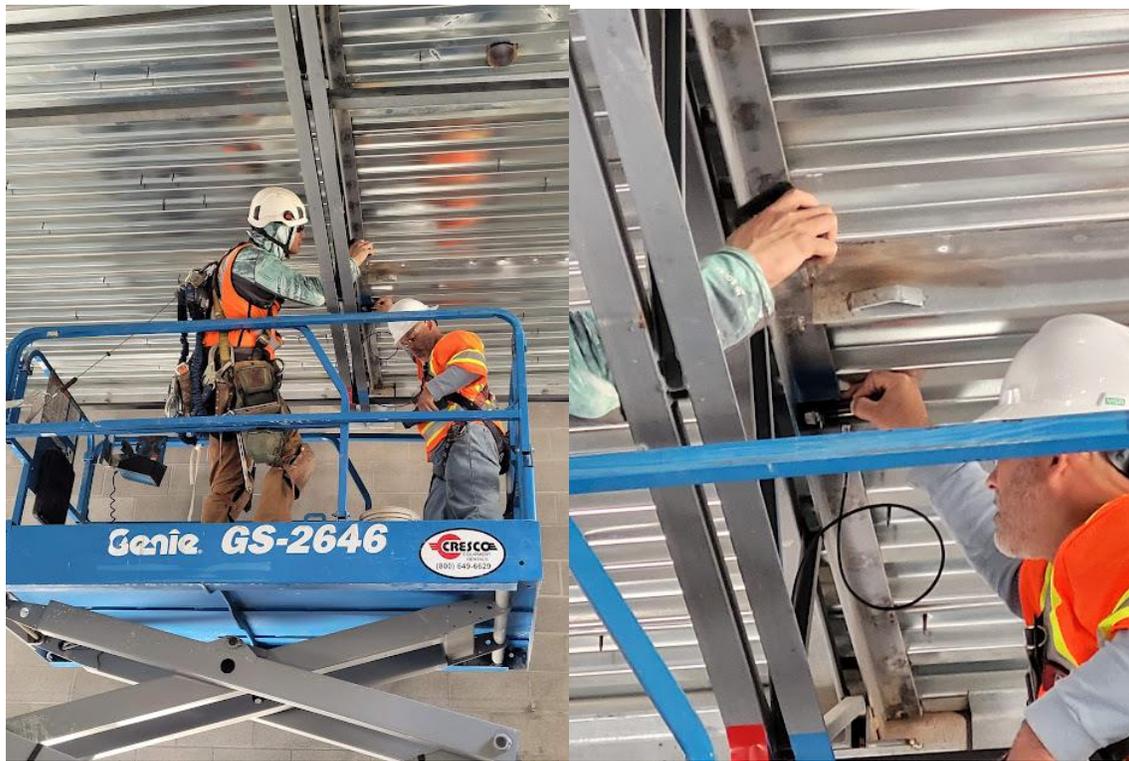
*Aeration basins: On top, Shimmick is installing the stainless-steel sump cans; below, installation of the blanking plates to cover the overflow openings of basin 4.*



*Aeration basins: Shimmick doing the concrete placement of the new wall inside the channel between basins 3 & 4.*



*Blower building: Jeffco (Shimmick's coating subcontractor) painting the electrical room at the blower building.*



*Blower building: Jeffco doing the previously mentioned pull-off adhesion test.*



*Blower building: Shimmick pouring concrete on the air piping support pads, east of the blower room.*

### First Street Relief Sewer Project

The First Street Relief Sewer and Pipeline Rehabilitation Project is the final of four design projects from the comprehensive 2016 Collection System Design Project, which also included the construction of the Cutting/Carlson and Hoffman Project (originally two projects), and the Macdonald and Virginia Wet Weather Improvement Project. The Project consists of approximately 3,743 lineal feet of open cut replacement of existing 6-inch sewer, approximately 1,696 lineal feet of open cut replacement of existing 8-inch sewer, approximately 631 lineal feet of open cut replacement of existing 10-inch sewer, and approximately 125 lineal feet of open cut replacement of existing 18-in sewer. This project began in July 2021 and is expected to be completed well ahead of the Baykeeper due date of July 2023.

To date, D'Arcy & Harty Construction has completed replacement of the entire 6,195 total lineal feet of sewer main line piping included in the project scope. Pipe replacement work was completed in December 2021. The Contractor has completed filming all segments of NASSCO compliant CCTV video. The next step will be to schedule final pavement restoration.

### High Priority Sewer Line Replacement Project

The High Priority Sewer Line Replacement Project replaces (8) pipelines with a combined length of around 2,700 lineal feet. Scope of work includes reconnection of existing laterals at mains, connection to existing manholes and hardscape and pavement restorations. On June 28, 2021, the city posted the Request for Bids on Bids Online. Veolia conducted a mandatory job walk with (11) participants on July 8, 2021. Two bids were received on August 5, 2021, from W.R. Forde Associates, Inc. in the amount of \$1,179,000 and from D'Arcy & Harty Construction Inc. in the amount of \$680,000. Veolia evaluated both these bids and found both to be responsive and complete and recommended awarding the contract to the low bidder, D'Arcy and Harty Construction Inc.

To date, D'Arcy & Harty Construction has completed sewer main replacement installations at Potrero and 41st, 12277 San Pablo Ave, 1903 Garvin Avenue, 311 - 341 E Richmond, Dimm Street (right of way in street) between Barrett & Humboldt and 1460 Rifle Range Road. On June 23, 2022, D'Arcy and Harty mobilized to 550 Key Blvd to perform sewer mainline replacement and addition of strategically placed manholes for future access and maintenance. As of 8/9/22, NASSCO compliant Post CCTV is being finalized for this segment

### 2021 Grade 5 RAA Line Replacement Project

The 2021 Grade 5 RAA (Risk Assessment Analysis) Replacement Project replaces seven sewer pipelines with an approximate combined length of 760 lineal feet. The work includes replacement of deteriorated sewer pipe segments within the collection system using pipe bursting or open cut methods. This project was competitively bid to be performed on a "design-build" basis: the Contractor is responsible for engaging the services of an engineering firm to issue design drawings for lines with utility conflicts and other constructability issues and also prepare final, as-built drawings.

W.R. Forde has completed installations at 21st Street and Potrero; Rheem and 23rd Street; 4925 Macdonald ("Planet Fitness"); Virginia and 22nd Streets, 1600 Chanslor; AC Transit / 21st Street between Bissell and Carlson and 403 McLaughlin. NASSCO level Post CCTV and As-Built Drawings for all replaced mainline segments were hand delivered to V.W. Housen Associates on 3/29/22. Review of As-Built Drawings and post CCTV is complete. As of 8/9/22, inclusion of five lines on the Post CCTV is being reverified.

### Marina Bay Parkway Force Main Extension Project

The Marina Bay Parkway Force Main Extension Project extends the existing Marina Bay Parkway forcemain to a new manhole at the intersection of Pierson Avenue and Marina Bay Parkway and installs a new gravity sewer pipeline from the Pierson/Jetty Drive intersection, across Marina Bay Parkway. This piping reconfiguration will eliminate sanitary sewer overflows that occur from depressed manholes located at the intersection of Marina Bay Parkway and Pierson Avenue.

The project work was initially completed in December 2021. The Contractor returned recently to install a bolt down manhole frame and cover on the new manhole at the termination of the Force Main.

### Sodium Bisulfite (SBS) Facility Improvements Project

The City of Richmond (COR) and West County Agency (WCA) entered into a Joint Powers Agreement (JPA) on July 27, 2020, to share the design and construction costs associated with the new Sodium Bisulfite Facility construction and system upgrade.

During the design of the new SBS Facility, WCA and the COR agreed to upgrade the SHS mechanical, electrical, plumbing, instrumentation, and SCADA system, as well. Myers & Sons Construction, LLC is the Contractor. The SBS Facility Improvements Project includes the following major elements:

- New sodium bisulfite and sodium hypochlorite chemical metering and instrumentation systems to replace the existing chemical metering and instrumentation systems.
- Sodium bisulfite and sodium hypochlorite improvements include civil, structural, mechanical, electrical, instrumentation and SCADA system and facility improvements.
- Demolition of existing facilities for project improvements.

Myers & Sons worked on the concrete placement of the generator and entrance pads of the electrical and pump rooms. They also resumed trenching and installing the 3 water, 1 water (potable) and SBS piping systems west and south of the new facility. Additionally, they installed the chemical induction mixer on Richmond's chlorine contact basins, and they coated the equipment pads inside the disinfection building.



*Myers & Sons preparing for the concrete placement of the generator pad. Forms, rebar and conduit wrap are complete and ready.*



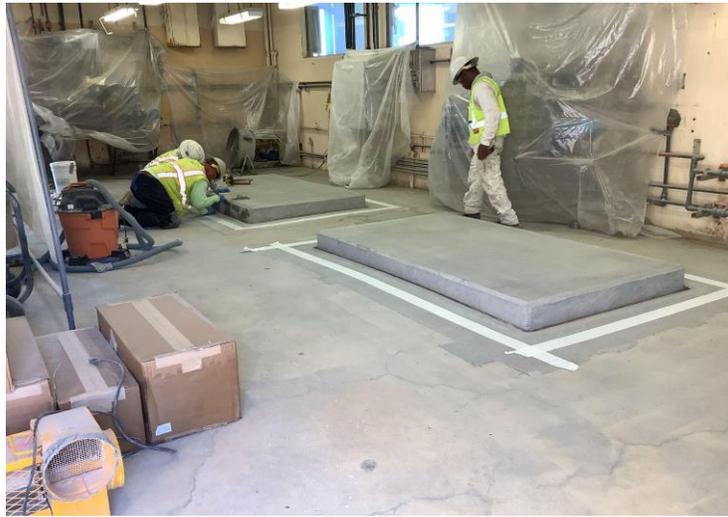
Myers & Sons installing the chemical induction mixer downstream of the Richmond chlorine contact basins.



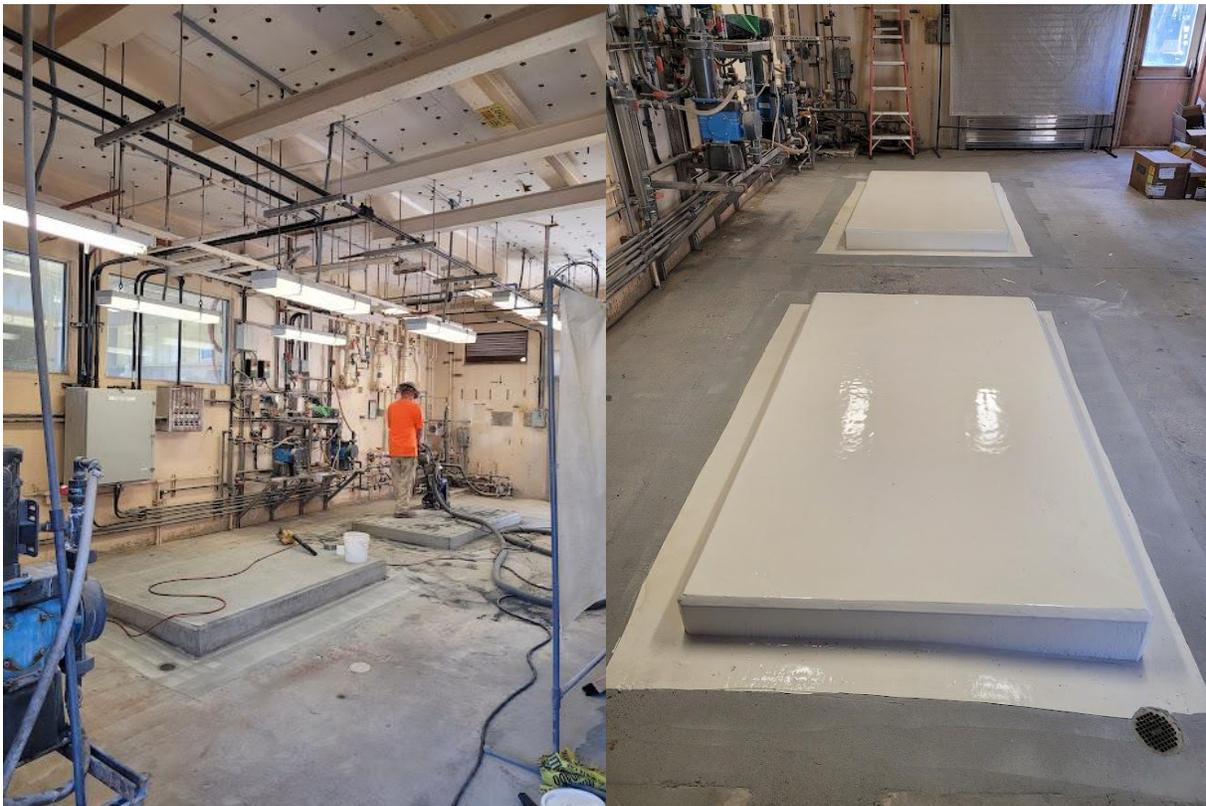
*Myers & Sons trenching and installing the 3 water and potable water that will feed the new facility.*



*Myers & Sons installing the new double containment pipe for Richmond's effluent SBS.*



*Redwood Painting (Myers' coating sub) preparing to coat the equipment pads inside the disinfection building.*



*Equipment pads inside the disinfection building.*

### SCADA Upgrade Project

The SCADA project (an acronym for Supervisory Control and Data Acquisition) will standardize, replace, and configure the existing SCADA Network communication, the majority of which is outdated, failing and has exceeded its useful life. An upgraded

SCADA system is crucial to allow for Veolia Staff at the City of Richmond's Wastewater Treatment Plant to monitor and control processes locally and at remote locations, including remote telemetry of the City's lift stations.

The Contractor is Calcon Systems, Inc. The project is 100% complete. Two conditions were discovered by Veolia and Calcon towards the end of Calcon's contract, for which Veolia has submitted a TA request for a change order to correct (repair). The first includes battery backup power systems to eliminate power failure conditions, which occurred recently and resulted in WWTP system outages. The second includes repairing blower communication faults. But these two items do not affect the programming, which is complete.

#### Trash Capture Project, Bayview (currently in design)

In 2017, Caltrans and the City of Richmond collaborated to implement the Trash Capture Project. The Contech Engineered Solutions CDS system is a below-ground, flow-through treatment device that uses multiple treatment processes including swirl concentration and continuous deflective separation (CDS) to screen, separate and trap trash, debris, sediment, hydrocarbons, and other pollutants from stormwater runoff. Veolia Water, in conjunction with the City of Richmond, successfully installed four such devices in 2017, 2018, 2019 and 2021; another device is being installed in 2022 on Bayview.

Design meetings continue to be held every other Tuesday at 2:30 PM. The "End of the Pipe" Location at the Bayview Outfall has been determined to be the most feasible location for the new Double Chambered CDS Units. The configuration will be similar to the Meeker Ditch Project of 2019. Final sizing is being confirmed from updated Flow and Drainage information. A meeting in the field was held on June 15th with the County's CORE Outreach Team to assist with arrangements for unhoused residents living in the vicinity of the proposed installation. Coordination with CalTrans and Environmental Studies and permitting are underway. A kick-off meeting with NCE (Environmental) was held July 11, 2022. Environmental Field studies will be performed the week of August 18, 2022, starting at 8:00 AM. Geotechnical Drilling Investigation (Miller Pacific) and additional Soil Sampling (Questa) were completed on August 5, 2022. A coordination meeting with CalTrans ROW Program Managers and Regional Maintenance Managers is being set up.

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

**Thank You!**  
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