



Hon. Mayor and Members of the City Council:

This is the report for the week ending November 3, 2023.

1. **Meeting Notes**

The next City Council meeting is scheduled for Tuesday, November 7. Closed Session begins at 4:30 PM, followed by the Regular Meeting of the Richmond Housing Authority at 6:25 PM. The Regular Meeting of the Richmond City Council begins at 6:30 PM, and the agenda may be found by clicking on the following link: [City Council Agenda](#).

2. **Coronavirus (COVID-19) 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.



[Impact to City Services and Facilities](#)
[Health Information and Community Resources](#)



[Contra Costa County Coronavirus Updates](#)



[California Department of Public Health](#)

3. **Upcoming Events**

Rich City Kickback! – Saturday, November 4th

Join us for the Rich City Kickback! A free event celebrating wellness & community healing in Richmond. Highlights:

- Music & dance
- Giveaways & raffles
- Wellness resources
- Community art
- Special gift for the first 15 adults!

Hear from YES TREES program members & support local organizations like The Watershed Project & Urban Tilth.

Brought to you by YES Nature to Neighborhood's Adult Leadership Team.
#RichmondCA



The poster features a central title "RICH CITY KICKBACK" in large, bold, purple and white letters. Below the title, the date and time "Saturday Nov 4th 1:00 pm - 4:00 pm" are listed. The location "Richmond Recreation Complex 3230 Macdonald Ave, Richmond, CA 94804" is provided. A QR code is located in the bottom right corner. The poster is decorated with blue clouds, a yellow sun, and green hills. Text boxes highlight key details: "FIRST 15 ADULTS WILL RECEIVE A SPECIAL GIFT!", "Support action for mental health resources in Richmond!", "Free to ALL ages!", and "REGISTER TODAY! https://qrco.de/richcitykickback". The YES Nature to Neighborhoods logo is in the bottom left, and the event is presented by the Teaching Racial Environmental Empowerment Series (TREES) Program.

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Live Music Performances - Giveaways/Raffles
Community Art - Wellness Activities - More!

YES Nature to Neighborhoods

PRESENTED BY THE **TEACHING RACIAL ENVIRONMENTAL EMPOWERMENT SERIES (TREES)** PROGRAM OF YES NATURE TO NEIGHBORHOODS

71st Snow Ball Scholarship - Application due date EXTENDED to November 6th

For over 67 remarkable years, Richmond honors WCCUSD high school students who embody academic excellence and civic dedication.

Exciting addition for 2023 to shadow your Mayor and be Student Co-Mayors for a Day!

Requirements:

- ✓ WCCUSD senior graduating in 2024
- ✓ Cumulative GPA of 3.5
- ✓ Active involvement in community activities showcasing your pride and purpose
- ✓ Attendance at all 3 Snowball events
- ✓ Submit your application by November 6, 2023

Scholarship Prizes: King and Queen (2 scholarships)

- \$2,500 scholarship
- Student Mayor for a Day
- Professional headshots

Apply at: <https://www.ci.richmond.ca.us/4524/71st-Snow-Ball-Scholarship>. Applications close on November 6, 2023, at 11:59 P.M.



The City of Richmond Community Services Department, Recreation Division proudly presents the 71st

Snow Ball Scholarship

We are seeking outstanding seniors with academic achievement of a 3.5 cumulative GPA, community dedication, and talent to compete for our \$2,500 scholarship!

The winning Snow Ball scholarship recipients will be honored during an annual scholarship ceremony and will be honored as our inaugural Student Mayor of Richmond for a Day!

Requirements

- Be a WCCUSD senior graduating in 2024
- 3.5 Cumulative GPA
- Extracurriculars/activities that highlight your pride and purpose for your community
- Attend all 3 Snow Ball events
- Submit an application by November 1, 2023!

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King and Queen

- \$2,500 scholarship
- Student Co-Mayor for a Day
- Professional headshots

Schedule (All events at Richmond Memorial Auditorium)

Orientation	November 16, 2023
Judging of contestants + Scholarship Ceremony	December 9, 2023

Submit your application at tinyurl.com/SnowBallScholarship by November 1, 2023

Call 510-620-6553 for more info



Metropolitan Transportation Commission Public Webinars – November 7 & 8

The Metropolitan Transportation Commission will conduct a [public webinar](#) as part of the [Next Generation Bay Area Freeways Study](#), which seeks to better understand the feasibility of all-lane tolling on freeways with robust parallel transit in 2035. Freeway pricing has the potential to reduce travel time, encourage more sustainable travel

behavior and fund public transit and road safety improvements that would make it easier for future generations to embrace viable alternatives to driving.

This interactive webinar invites the public to weigh in on tradeoffs between a future with and without freeway pricing. Participants will learn about projected transportation outcomes in 2035 and provide feedback on potential pricing strategies, as well as how funding could be reinvested in Bay Area communities.

There will be two opportunities to attend the virtual event live:

Webinar #1

Tuesday, November 7, 2023 | 12 P.M.–1:30 P.M.

[Participate on Zoom](#)

Webinar ID: 824 4356 6350

Passcode: 075326

Phone: (408) 638-0968

Webinar #2

Wednesday, November 8, 2023 | 5 P.M.–6:30 P.M.

[Participate on Zoom](#)

Webinar ID: 872 8030 7682

Passcode: 930760

Phone: (408) 638-0968

Both presentations will be the same, so participants need only attend one webinar. No registration is required. For those who cannot attend live, a video recording will be posted to www.mtc.ca.gov/FasterFreeways. Feedback and questions can be submitted by emailing info@bayareametro.gov.

This is a valuable opportunity for the public to provide feedback that will help shape the study, which will be submitted for final recommendation in 2024!

Veterans Day Fair – Friday, November 10th

The Veterans Resource Program will honor and celebrate the brave men and women who have served in our nation's armed forces.

The fair will be on:

Date: Friday, November 10, 2023

Time: 10:30 A.M. – 2:30 P.M.

Location: 934 Maine Avenue, Richmond CA
(street closure from So. 9th & Maine to Harbour Way)

Cost: FREE

Join us for the opening ceremony with the presentation of colors from De Anza High School's JROTC, followed by speakers, John Seimen and the daughter of an original

Buffalo Soldier, Delpine Metcalf Foster. The flag presentation will honor 11 veterans. Lunch and refreshments will also be provided free of charge!

For more information, please visit veteransresourceprogram.org/events or contact Rhonda Harris at (510) 778-8785 or veteransnet@gmail.com.



Lawyer in the Library – Monday, November 20th

West Side Branch Library is pleased to offer Free Legal Advice for tenants provided by Eviction Defense Center of Oakland. Bring your tenants' rights' questions on Monday evening, November 20, 2023 from 5:00 P.M. to 7:00 P.M..

Drop-ins welcome! For questions, call: (510) 620-6567. For appointments in Spanish, call Eviction Defense Center at (510) 452-4541.

A flyer for a legal advice session. On the left is a photograph of a smiling man with a beard and dreadlocks, wearing a suit and tie, holding a coffee cup. To the right, the text reads 'FREE LEGAL ADVICE FOR TENANTS' in large, bold, orange letters. Below that, it says 'Lawyer in the Library Monday, Nov. 20th from 5:00 to 7:00 PM *'. The location is 'West Side Branch Library 135 Washington Ave., Richmond (510) 620-6567'. The Richmond Public Library logo is on the right. At the bottom, it says 'For specific questions or for appointments in Spanish, call Eviction Defense Center of Oakland at (510) 452-4541' and a small note: '*Future sessions will be offered at dates and times to be determined'.

Beatboxing Cello at the Main Library on November 21st

Come to the Main Library, 325 Civic Center Plaza, on Tuesday, November 21st, at 10:30 AM for Cello Joe, a cellist specializing in improvisation and beat boxing. This interactive musical performance is great fun for all ages.

For more information call (510) 620-6557.

Richmond Public Library

Richmond Public Library Presents

Cello Joe
The Beat Boxing Cellist

Join Joey Chang and his "Interactive Spontaneous Song Machine" in the library.

You will listen, laugh, clap and sing as he plays the cello while beat-boxing and singing classical and hip-hop songs.

NOVEMBER 21
10:30am

Main Library
325 Civic Center Plaza
Richmond, CA
(510) 620-6557

For more information call (510) 620-6557 www.richmondlibrary.org

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Richmond Public Library Presenta

Cello Joe
El Violonchelista de Beatboxing

Escucha a Joey Chang y su "Interactive Spontaneous Song Machine" en la biblioteca.

Escuche, ría y aplauda mientras toca el violonchelo, hace beat-box y canta música clásica y hip-hop.

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Holiday Tree Lighting at the Richmond Auditorium on November 29th

The Community Services Department, Recreation Division, will have a Tree Lighting Ceremony at the Richmond Auditorium on November 29, 2023, from 5:30 P.M. – 6:30 P.M. Enjoy holiday music, story time with special guests, and a few surprises!

DATE: Wednesday, November 29, 2023
TIME: 5:30 P.M. – 6:30 P.M.
LOCATION: Richmond Memorial Auditorium
403 Civic Center Plaza, Richmond CA

Bring a special ornament to be placed on the tree. Cookies & hot chocolate will be served. There is no cost for this event. We look forward to sharing the holiday magic with you and your family!



Contra Costa Office of Emergency Services – Informational Sessions Dec 4, 5, & 6

Contra Costa County Office of Emergency Services (OES) wants to know how it can better prepare you for disasters.

The meeting will provide the public an opportunity to review the potential hazards that could occur within the County and will request input for the various mitigation measures in place. Language translation assistance in Spanish will be provided.

We encourage Richmond residents to participate in this process to ensure Richmond's needs and hazards are reflected in the LHMP. Come join us in one (1) of the sessions listed below.

For questions, please contact the Contra Costa County OES via phone at (925) 655-0100 or e-mail at oes-staff@so.cccounty.us.

¡Información Sobre los Desastres que Podrían Afectar al Condado de Contra Costa!

La Oficina de Servicios de Emergencia del Condado de Contra Costa quiere saber cómo puede prepararlo/a mejor a usted en situaciones de emergencia para asegurar la protección de la vida y propiedad de los ciudadanos.

Este evento le dará al público la oportunidad de aprender sobre los posibles desastres que podrían ocurrir en el Condado de Contra Costa, y discutir maneras para eliminar o

reducir el impacto de estos desastres. Participe en una (1) de las sesiones enumeradas a continuación.

Alentamos a los residentes de Richmond a participar en este proceso para garantizar que las necesidades y los peligros de Richmond se reflejen en el LHMP.

Si tiene preguntas, comuníquese con la Oficina de Servicios de Emergencia del Condado de Contra Costa por teléfono a (925) 655-0100 o correo electrónico a oes-staff@so.cccounty.us.

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Session 3	Wednesday, December 6, 2023 6:30 PM – 7:30 PM Oakley City Council Chambers 3231 Main Street, Oakley, CA 94561

Reuniones Públicas para la Planificación de Mitigación de Peligros	
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PUBLIC MEETING ANNOUNCEMENT
LEARN ABOUT THE DISASTERS THAT COULD IMPACT CONTRA COSTA COUNTY



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ANUNCIO DE REUNIÓN PÚBLICA
INFORMACIÓN SOBRE LOS DESASTRES QUE PODRÍAN AFECTAR AL CONDADO DE CONTRA COSTA



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4. **City Council**

Richmond Delegation goes to Sister City Zhoushan, China

Richmond has celebrated 30 years of friendship and cultural exchange with Zhoushan, China this year.

We are glad to call Zhoushan, China our sister city. From October 10-15, Mayor Martinez, Councilmember Zepeda, former Councilmember Bates, and the members of the Zhoushan Commission paid a visit to Zhoushan.

The Richmond delegation held a meeting with Zhoushan officials and ratified the 2023-2026 Mutual Agreement. The Richmond delegation attended the International Islands Tourism Conference. This conference's aim was to promote exchanges and trade across the industrial value chain of marine and islands tourism, and to build a platform of people-to-people diplomacy between Zhoushan and Richmond along with other regions of the world.

This visit allowed the Richmond delegation to visit different places in Zhoushan and allowed the delegation to engage in meaningful discussions for further cooperation with Zhoushan. The Richmond delegation attended ceremonies to celebrate their 30-year friendship with Zhoushan, enjoyed a 30th Anniversary photo exhibition with Hu Wei, Vice Provincial Governor of Zhejiang Province, and delved deeper into future cooperation between our colleges and schools.

The City of Richmond looks forward to continuing their friendship with Zhoushan, China and will continue to collaborate with the leaders of Zhoushan in the many years to come.



¡Ya Basta! y Sin Miedo / Enough is Enough! Benefit Concert

On September 30th, 2023, the City of Richmond and the [Latina Center](#) co-sponsored and hosted the ¡Ya Basta! y Sin Miedo / Enough is Enough! Benefit Concert to raise awareness and bring an end to domestic violence against women and girls. The Benefit concert was a success with over 450 residents in attendance throughout the day. Special thanks to Councilmember Soheila Bana, District Attorney Diana Becton, Ilaf Esuf, from the Office of Assemblymember Buffy Wicks, and the extraordinary police, staff, and community of Richmond that came out to support survivors of violence, while also providing them with access to resources, services, and support systems necessary for healing and recovery.

A few that supported and provided resources to survivors of domestic violence in Richmond include, but are not limited to, the West Contra Costa Family Justice Center, the Latina Center, House of Loving Hands, Changing Directions, and the Bay Area Rescue Mission.

The City of Richmond will continue to address violence against women and girls to create a safe, inclusive, and a prosperous community for all residents.



Mayor's Office

Join Richmond's Future: Serve on a City Board or Commission!

Become a leader and voice in shaping our city. Richmond is seeking passionate residents to join its boards, commissions, and committees.

From championing the arts and preserving our history to steering economic growth and nurturing our youth, Richmond's array of boards and commissions offers many ways for you to make a mark. Dive in and discover where you fit best!



For full details and to apply, visit: [Boards and Commissions | Richmond, CA - Official Website](#)

Have any questions? Contact the Mayor's Office at mayorsoffice@ci.Richmond.ca.us or call (510) 620-6503.

5. **City Manager's Chronicles**

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

- Worked with Finance staff to begin preparation of the Quarter 1 Budget Report
- Participated in the Bloomberg Harvard Innovation Team's Onboarding and Innovation Camp and Equity in Design Seminar
- Participated in introductions of candidates for the Fire Department's Emergency Services Manager
- Met with Local 188 alongside other City departmental staff
- Participated in meetings to discuss the Booker T. Anderson Fire Restoration Project and Phase II
- Documented several locations throughout the City with illegal dumping, abatement, or landscaping issues and forwarded them to appropriate staff

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**

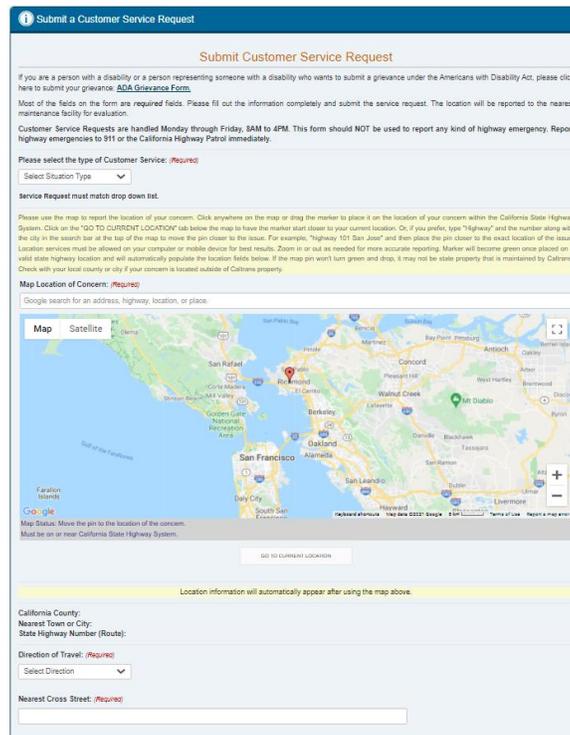
Options for Reporting Complaints to CalTrans

The City Manager's Office, Economic Development encourages residents to use Caltrans' Customer Service Reporting to notify Caltrans of illegal dumping, trash, missing or damaged fencing, or graffiti on State highways, bridges, and right-of-ways.

Reporting Options:



1. “CT Service” Smartphone App: When first opening the app, exit out of the pop-up window to report without registering.
2. Online at <https://csr.dot.ca.gov/>: Use the map to report the location of your concern. To set the marker on the site of your concern within the California State Highway System, click anywhere on the map or drag it.
3. By phone: 510-286-6173
4. By email: CALTRANS.D4@CALTRANS.D4@DOT



Submit a Customer Service Request

Submit Customer Service Request

If you are a person with a disability or a person representing someone with a disability who wants to submit a grievance under the Americans with Disability Act, please click here to submit your grievance: [ADA Grievance Form](#).

Most of the fields on the form are required fields. Please fill out the information completely and submit the service request. The location will be reported to the nearest maintenance facility for evaluation.

Customer Service Requests are handled Monday through Friday, 8AM to 4PM. This form should NOT be used to report any kind of highway emergency. Report highway emergencies to 311 or the California Highway Patrol immediately.

Please select the type of Customer Service: **(Required)**

Select Situation Type

Service Request must match drop down list.

Please use the map to report the location of your concern. Click anywhere on the map or drag the marker to place it on the location of your concern within the California State Highway System. Click on the "GO TO CURRENT LOCATION" tab below the map to have the marker start closer to your current location. Or, if you prefer, type "highway" and the number along with the city in the search bar at the top of the map to move the pin closer to the issue. For example, "Highway 101 San Jose" and then place the pin closer to the exact location of the issue. Location services must be allowed on your computer or mobile device for best results. Zoom in or out as needed for more accurate reporting. Marker will become green once placed on a valid state highway location and will automatically populate the location fields below. If the map pin won't turn green and drop, it may not be state property that is maintained by Caltrans. Check with your local county or city if your concern is located outside of Caltrans property.

Map Location of Concern: (Required)

Google search for an address, highway, location, or place.

Map Satellite

San Francisco Bay Area map showing various locations and highways.

Map Status: Move the pin to the location of the concern. Must be on or near California State Highway System.

GO TO CURRENT LOCATION

Location information will automatically appear after using the map above.

California County:
Nearest Town or City:
State Highway Number (Route):

Direction of Travel: **(Required)**

Select Direction

Nearest Cross Street: **(Required)**

Richmond Pal Season - Junior Giants Baseball and 49ers Prep Flag Football

This year's junior Giants baseball season was during the months of June to August and the 49ers prep flag football was from September to November.

Richmond's very own, John Hill, from the City's Information Technology department, coached the 7- and 8-year-old players that displayed tremendous sportsmanship and dedication to living healthy and happy lives.

Congratulations on a successful season!



Richmond Pal Junior Giants baseball team



The Richmond Pal 49er prep flag football team

7. **Community Development**

Building Division Updates

The Building Division is one of the four divisions within the Community Development Department. The Building Division is the lead in ensuring construction conforms to the California Building Standards Code, as adopted by the City. This includes reviewing construction plans prior to issuance of a building permit and conducting required

inspections on construction projects after the building permit has been issued to ensure compliance with the code and the approved plans. Building Division staff also investigate habitability complaints and other building code violations, including work without permits. The primary focus of this division is protecting public health and safety.

Below is a summary of the Building Division's Activities for the month of September 2023:

- 423 Plan Checks Completed
- 313 Permits Issued
- 1175 Inspections Completed
- 40 Building Code Enforcement cases opened and followed up on.
- 17 Building Code Enforcement cases closed.

To learn more about the Building Division, please visit our webpage at <https://www.ci.richmond.ca.us/2099/Building-Division>

Planning Division

The Planning Division is responsible for implementing the City's Zoning Ordinance and related goals, policies, and objectives of the City's General Plan. The Planning Division processes land use and development applications, promoting public health, safety, and general welfare to preserve or enhance the quality of life in Richmond. The Planning Division also provides support to the City's Planning Commission, Design Review Board, and Historic Preservation Commission. For more information about the Planning Division, please visit our [webpage](#).

Contra Costa County Hazard Mitigation Plan Survey

Contra Costa County is working to update the Local Hazard Mitigation Plan (LHMP). You can help by participating in our mitigation and preparedness survey! Join the conversation to help us inform the plan development regarding natural hazards and the ways in which we can mitigate these risks.

We encourage Richmond residents to participate in this process to ensure Richmond hazards and needs are reflected in the LHMP.

The survey can be found at tinyurl.com/ContraCostaCoHMP

Encuesta Para El Condado de Contra Costa Plan de Mitigación de Peligros

El Condado de Contra Costa está en el proceso de actualizar el Plan de Mitigación de Peligros. ¡Usted puede ayudar participando en nuestra encuesta de mitigación y preparación! Únase a la conversación para ayudarnos a informar el desarrollo del plan con



respecto a los peligros naturales y las formas en que podemos mitigarlos. Ver volantes para más información.

Alentamos a los residentes de Richmond a participar en este proceso para garantizar que las necesidades y los peligros de Richmond se reflejen en el LHMP.

La encuesta está aquí: tinyurl.com/ContraCostaCOHMP-Espanol

CONTRA COSTA COUNTY HAZARD MITIGATION PLAN
También disponible en Español

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The survey can be found at:
tinyurl.com/ContraCostaCoHMP

E-mail: oes-staff@so.cccounty.us

SCAN HERE

EL CONDADO DE CONTRA COSTA PLAN DE MITIGACIÓN DE PELIGROS
Also available in English

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ESCANEA AQUÍ

Housing Equity Roadmap Resident Advisory Council – Due November 10

The Community Development Department is seeking participants for the Housing Equity Roadmap Resident Advisory Council (RAC). The RAC will help shape the City of Richmond’s Housing Equity Roadmap and ensure that solutions to key housing issues such as affordability, accessibility, and fair housing align with the community’s goals and needs.

The Housing Equity Roadmap will guide the city’s policies and actions to meet the current and future housing needs of Richmond residents.

Applications are due November 10th. Please fill out the online application at bit.ly/richrac2023 or email Kya at admin@justcities.work

JOIN THE RICHMOND RESIDENT ADVISORY COUNCIL!



Join the Richmond Resident Advisory Council (RAC) to help shape the City of Richmond's Housing Equity Roadmap and ensure that solutions to key housing issues such as affordability, accessibility, and houselessness align with the community's goals and needs.

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RAC ROLE	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> IDENTIFY the major housing challenges and impacts in Richmond ADVOCATE for your solutions and policies to advancing equitable housing for Richmond residents
TIME COMMITMENT	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> RAC members will be asked to attend and participate in a total of 6 monthly meetings in Richmond from November 2023 to May 2024 that may occur during weekday (evenings) or weekend (afternoon or evening). A stipend of \$50 per meeting will be offered per participant.

APPLY
Applications are due **November 10, 2023**. Please fill out the online application at bit.ly/richrac2023 or email Kya at admin@justcities.work.



Scan QR for online application!



Just Cities works towards restorative justice in policy, planning, and development in the Bay Area. Learn more at www.justcities.work

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ສະໝັກ
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ສະແກນ QR ສໍາລັບຄໍາຮ້ອງສະໝັກອອນລາຍ!



Just Cities ເຮັດວຽກໄປສູ່ການປຶກສາຊາວຜູ້ພັກອາໄສໃນ ນະໂຍບາຍ, ການວາງແຜນ, ແລະການພັດທະນາໃນເຂດ ອ້າວ. ສຶກສາເພີ່ມເຕີມໄດ້ທີ່ www.justcities.work

ÚNASE AL CONSEJO ASESOR DE RESIDENTES DE RICHMOND



Únase al Consejo Asesor de Residentes de Richmond (RAC) para ayudar a formar la Ruta a la Equidad de Vivienda de la Ciudad de Richmond y garantizar que las soluciones a problemas clave de vivienda, como la asequibilidad, la accesibilidad y la falta de vivienda, se alineen con los objetivos y necesidades de la comunidad.

La Ruta a la Equidad de Vivienda (Housing Equity Roadmap) guiará las políticas y acciones de la ciudad para satisfacer las necesidades de vivienda actuales y futuras de los residentes de Richmond.

EI RAC	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> IDENTIFICAR los principales retos e impactos de la vivienda en Richmond. ABOGAR por sus soluciones y políticas para promover la vivienda equitativa para los residentes de Richmond.
COMPROMISO DE TIEMPO	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Se pedirá a los miembros del RAC que asistan y participen en un total de 6 reuniones mensuales en Richmond desde noviembre de 2023 hasta mayo de 2024, que pueden ocurrir durante los días laborables (tardes) o los fines de semana (tardes o noches). Se ofrecerá un estipendio de \$50 por reunión por participante.

APLICAR
Las solicitudes deben presentarse el **10 de Noviembre de 2023**. Complete la solicitud en línea en bit.ly/richrac2023 o envíe un correo electrónico a Kya a admin@justcities.work.



¡Escanee QR para solicitar la solicitud en línea!



Just Cities trabaja por la justicia restaurativa en las políticas, la planificación y el desarrollo en el Área de la Bahía. Más información en www.justcities.work

JHÃY THAM GIA HỘI ĐỒNG TƯ VẤN CƯ DÂN RICHMOND



Hãy tham gia Hội Đồng Tư Vấn Cư Dân Richmond (RAC) để giúp định hình Lộ Trình Bình Đẳng Nhà Ở của Thành Phố Richmond và đảm bảo các giải pháp về các vấn đề nhà ở chủ yếu như giá phải chăng, khả năng tiếp cận, và vô gia cư phù hợp với các mục tiêu và nhu cầu của cộng đồng.

Lộ Trình Bình Đẳng Nhà Ở sẽ dẫn dắt các chính sách và hành động của thành phố nhằm đáp ứng các nhu cầu nhà ở hiện tại và tương lai của các cư dân Richmond.

RAC sẽ	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> IXÁC ĐỊNH những thách thức và tác động chủ yếu về nhà ở tại Richmond. TƯ VẤN về các giải pháp và chính sách của quý vị để thúc đẩy bình đẳng nhà ở cho các cư dân Richmond.
CAM KẾT VỀ THỜI GIAN	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Các thành viên RAC sẽ phải tham dự và tham gia vào tổng số 6 cuộc họp hàng tháng tại Richmond trong thời gian từ tháng Mười Một 2023 đến tháng Năm 2024 có thể tổ chức vào ngày trong tuần (các buổi tối) hoặc cuối tuần (buổi chiều hoặc buổi tối). Mỗi người tham dự sẽ được bồi dưỡng \$50 mỗi cuộc họp.

NỘP ĐƠN
Hạn chót nộp đơn là ngày **10 tháng 11**. Vui lòng điền mẫu đơn trực tuyến tại bit.ly/vietrac23 hoặc gửi email cho Kya tại admin@justcities.work.



Quét QR để đăng ký trực tuyến!



Just Cities nỗ lực hướng tới công lý phục hồi trong chính sách, quy hoạch và phát triển ở Vùng Vịnh. Tìm hiểu thêm tại www.justcities.work

8. **Community Services**

Recreation

The North Richmond Mobile Tool Library is Hiring & Modified November Services

The North Richmond Mobile Tool Library is looking for someone skilled and versatile to join our team! Help lead the Mobile Tool Library's community engagement efforts, as well as supply the community with tool rentals for their home and community projects. This position is funded by the North Richmond Mitigation Fee Fund, \$21.04 - \$25.57 hourly rate. Interested individuals are encouraged to apply at: tiny.cc/MTLspecialist

The month of November will have modified hours and services. To rent tools during this time, place a reservation at least 24 hours prior to the 1st or 3rd Saturday. This can be done through your online MyTurn account, email, or phone. Email us at mobiletoollib@ci.richmond.ca.us or call (510) 672-3877. Return services will be unaffected.

Visit us at 1401 Fred Jackson Way on the 1st and 3rd Saturday of November! Our modified hours will be 10:00 A.M. to 1:00 P.M. We hope to work with you soon!

If you would like to know more about our service or view our inventory online visit our website at richmondmobiletoolibrary.myturn.com

Stay updated on the North Richmond Mobile Tool Library:

- [Subscribe to our e-newsletter!](#)
- Follow us on [Facebook](#) or [Instagram](#).

CREATIVE? MOTIVATED? COMMUNITY ORIENTED?

THE NORTH RICHMOND MOBILE TOOL LIBRARY

NOW HIRING!

Recreation Program Specialist
Part-Time, Hourly

- Design social media content
- Update and maintain Mobile Tool Library websites
- Tow and operate Mobile Tool Library for North Richmond residents and at community clean-ups
- Implement your creative ideas for outreach and tool lending
- Meet/network with other passionate community leaders

Help grow the Mobile Tool Library!
Apply at: tiny.cc/MTLspecialist

THE NORTH RICHMOND MOBILE TOOL LIBRARY

NOVEMBER MODIFIED SERVICES

For the month of November, we will be open 10 AM - 1 PM

To check out tools during this time, you **MUST** make a tool reservation at least 24 hrs prior!

Make a reservation by:

- Placing it online using your MyTurn account
- Call us at 510-672-3877
- Or e-mail us at mobiletoollib@ci.richmond.ca.us

Return services are unaffected!

Visit us at 1401 Fred Jackson Way every 1st and 3rd Saturday of the month!

HIGHLIGHTS:

Nevin Resilience Hub Power-Up – Thursday, October 26, 2023

On Thursday, October 26, the City of Richmond, Recreation Division and Rebuilding Together East Bay-North hosted the **Nevin Resilience Hub Power-Up** at Nevin Park! About 50 guests were in attendance to see the official “power up” of the hub.

The Nevin Resilience Hub will provide relief to residents from the adverse effects of extreme heat. The hub is powered by solar and can provide electricity to appliances such as refrigerators to store medicine, power essential medical equipment, or charge devices. Additional features include retractable shade with misting fans to help cool down residents during extreme heat.

The project team is currently putting finishing touches on the hub, developing a training schedule, developing an operation plan, and exploring policies for partner uses of the hub to maximize community benefit.

The project is funded by grants awarded to the City of Richmond from the PG&E Corporation Foundation’s Better Together Resilient Communities program and PG&E’s Resilience Hubs program.



Annex Senior Center Halloween Party

On October 31, 2023, seniors from the Annex Senior Center participated in our Halloween party. They had pizza donated from Costco, along with some healthy salads. They played mummy bowling and cotton ball pick-up, danced, and had a music sing along. We also had some raffle prizes to give away to some lucky seniors!

Library

Storytimes at Main Library

- Toddler Storytime on Mondays, 10:30 AM to 11:15 AM.
- *NEW!* Itty Bitty Storytime, Tuesdays, 10:00 AM to 10:45 AM, for babies 0-18 months
- Preschool Storytime on Wednesdays, 10:30 AM to 11:15 AM.

Fun, interactive, and good for babies, toddlers, and young children. Meet new friends.

Main Library Children's Room, 325 Civic Center Plaza. For more information call (510) 620-6557.

STORYTIME AT THE LIBRARY

BABY MUSIC AND
MOVEMENT STORYTIME
MONDAY 10:30 A.M.

FAMILY STORYTIME
WEDNESDAY 10:30 A.M.

Main Library
325 Civic Center Plaza
Richmond, CA 94804
for information
510-620-6557



Richmond
Public Library
For everyone **R**

LA HORA DEL CUENTO EN LA BIBLIOTECA

MÚSICA Y MOVIMIENTO
PARA BEBÉS
LUNES 10:30 A.M.

LA HORA DEL CUENTO
FAMILIAR
MIÉRCOLES 10:30 A.M.

Main Library
325 Civic Center Plaza
Richmond, CA 94804
for information
510-620-6557



Richmond
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For everyone **R**

Itty Bitty Storytime at Main Library

Learn songs and games to share with your infant, enjoy making connections and socializing with others who care for the very young. Tuesday mornings at 10:00 AM at 325 Civic Center Plaza. Call the Children's Room at (510) 620-6557 for more information.

See You at Itty Bitty Storytime!

New Day and Time!
Music and Movement Storytime
for Itty Bittys (0 to 18 months)

Begins September 12th
Tuesday 10 a.m.

Richmond Public Library
325 Civic Center Plaza
M.F. Whittlesey Room
Richmond, CA 94804
510-620-6557

Fun with books, songs, fingerplays and movement
for families with babies who are not yet walking



Richmond
Public
Library 

¡Nos vemos en Itty Bitty Storytime!

¡Nuevo día y hora!
Hora del cuento sobre música y
movimiento
para Itty Bittys (0 a 18 meses)

Comienza el 12 de septiembre
Martes 10 a.m.

Biblioteca Pública de Richmond
325 Plaza del Centro Cívico
Habitación M.F. Whittlesey
Richmond, CA 94804
510-620-6557

Diversión con libros, canciones, juegos con los dedos
y movimiento para familias con bebés que aún no caminan



Richmond
Public
Library 

Math Club at Main Library

Math Club is for children in the 3rd through 6th grades. It is a playful way to learn math concepts, to gain confidence and increase enjoyment in mathematics. Puzzles and games encourage mathematical thinking and make it fun! 12:15 PM to 1:00 PM on Saturdays at the Main Library (325 Civic Center Plaza).

Math Club

Saturdays 12:15 - 1:00 PM
Grades 3-6
Begins October 21, 2023

Do you want to increase your math skills, math confidence and math enthusiasm or do you just love MATH? Join the Math Club! Play games, solve puzzles, explore new concepts and have fun! For more information please call 510-620-6557.

We will not meet November 11th and December 2nd

Richmond Public Library
325 Civic Center Plaza
Richmond CA 94803

Richmond Public Library

Club de Matemáticas

Sábados 12:15 - 13:00
Grados 3-6
Comienza el 21 de octubre de 2023

¿Quieres aumentar tus habilidades matemáticas, tu confianza en las matemáticas y tu entusiasmo por las matemáticas o simplemente encantan las MATEMÁTICAS? ¡Únete al Club de Matemáticas! ¡Juega, resuelve acertijos, explora nuevos conceptos y diviértete!

Para obtener más información, llame al 510-620-6557.

No habrá reunión el 11 de noviembre y el 2 de diciembre.

Richmond Public Library
325 Civic Center Plaza
Richmond CA 94803

Richmond Public Library

Knit 'n' Needle Club at West Side Branch

Come for the conversation and camaraderie and help each other with your knitting and crochet! Knit 'n' Needle Club meets Thursday afternoons from 3:00 PM to 4:30 PM at West Side Branch Library located at 135 Washington Ave. Yarn and needles are available, but it's best to bring your own project and knowledge to share! For questions, call (510) 620-6567.







Knit 'n' Needle Club

Calling all knitters, crochet and needleworkers!
Do you want to finish a project or start a new one?
Let's get together and help each other! *

For adults and all ages 8+ up.



We meet **Thursdays from 3:00 to 4:30 PM**

If you have questions, call the West Side Branch
Or drop by any Thursday!



* **Yarn, needles & hooks available, but bring your own project and knowledge to share if you can.**

West Side Branch Library
135 Washington Ave, Richmond 94801
(510) 620-6567








Club de Crochet y Tejido

¡Llamando a todas las tejedoras, crocheteras y costureras!
¿Quiere terminar un proyecto o empezar uno nuevo?
Unámonos y ayudémonos unos a otros.*

Para adultos y todas las edades de 8+ en adelante.



Nos reunimos los jueves de 3:00 a 4:30 p.m.

Si tienes preguntas, llama al sucursal de West Side
¡O pásate cualquier jueves!



* **Hilo, agujas y ganchos disponibles, pero trae tu propio proyecto y conocimiento para compartir si puedes.**

Biblioteca Sucursal de West Side
135 Washington Ave, Richmond 94801
(510) 620-6567



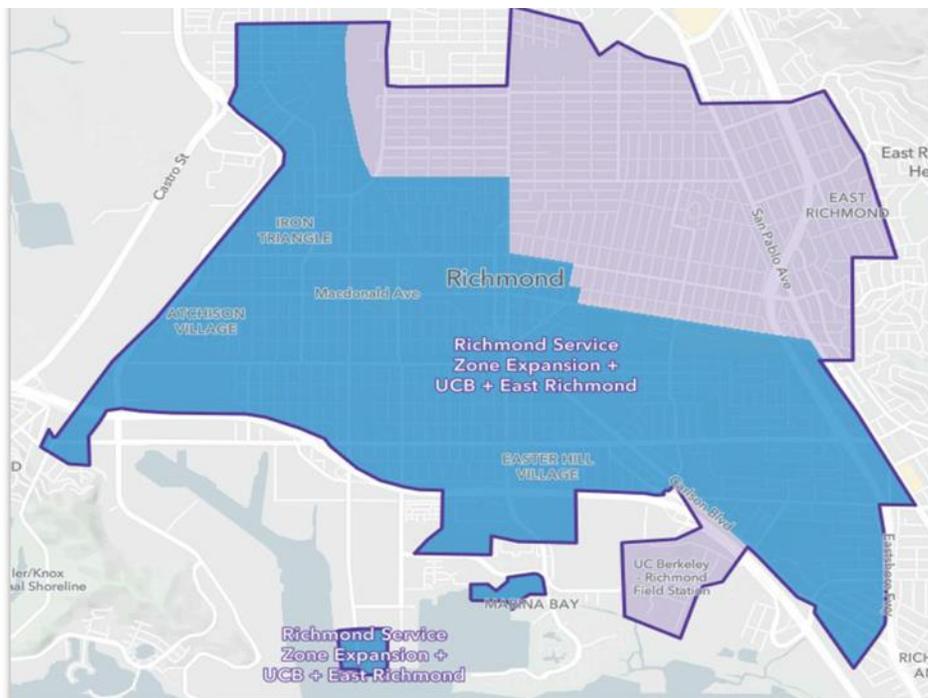
Transportation

Richmond Moves on Demand Shuttle is Coming to a Neighborhood near you! New Service Areas launched on October 11, 2023.

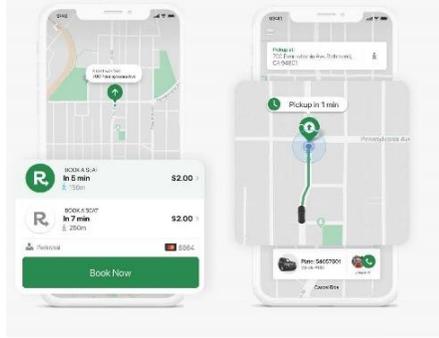
On September 12, 2023, the Richmond City Council approved the Transportation Division to accept an additional funding award from the California Climate Investments Clean Mobility Options Voucher Pilot Program (CMO) in the amount of \$500,000. The CMO program awarded the City \$1 million dollars to develop the on-demand electric shuttle program, to hire a transit operator (Via) and to provide services for two years. Since the Richmond Moves program launch, ridership and wait times have increased from 14 rides in April 2022 with an average wait time of 6 minutes to over 3600 rides and an average wait time of 18 minutes in August 2023. The Transportation and Via teams have been working diligently to secure additional funds to improve the service efficiencies, increase ride capacity, and to extend services citywide.

The additional CMO funds will be used to add two additional plug-in hybrid electric vans to the Richmond Moves fleet, to acquire electric vehicle charging equipment to support the vans, and to expand operations to include the communities of Belding Woods, North and East, as well as the University of California Berkeley Field Station. Stay tuned for more expansion updates!

Rides can be booked with the free Richmond Moves app, or by calling (510) 937-3657 for assistance by phone. The service operates Monday through Friday from 7 AM to 7 PM. Rides cost \$2 per trip and are free for seniors and students ages 13 to 18. For more information visit: <https://city.ridewithvia.com/richmond-moves> or call the Transportation Department at (510) 621-1718.



Blue indicates the original service area, and Purple indicates the expanded service area.



How to book a ride.

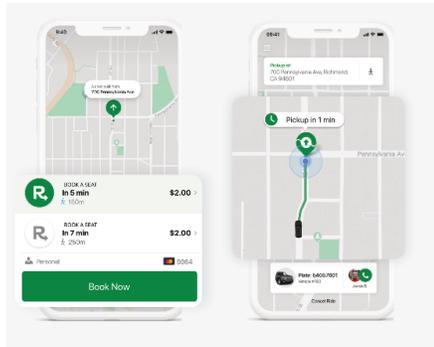
1. **Create an account.**
Download the **Richmond Moves app** from the **App Store** or **Google Play Store** and follow the simple signup steps.
2. **Book a ride.**
Enter your pickup and dropoff addresses and choose the ride option that works for you – if you're ready to leave right away, tap **Book This Ride**.
3. **Meet your driver.**
Check the app to find out exactly where to meet the vehicle, which may be a short walk from the address you gave us.

510-937-3657 city.ridewithvia.com/richmond-moves

Richmond moves Powered by **via**

Ride across Richmond, CA on-demand for \$2 or less!

Richmond Moves logo, Clean Mobility Options logo, and other partner logos are visible at the bottom.



Cómo reservar un viaje.

1. **Creas una cuenta.**
Descarga la aplicación **Richmond Moves** desde el **App Store** o **Google Play Store** y sigue los pasos sencillos para registrarse.
2. **Book a ride.**
Ingresa las direcciones de embarque y desembarque, elige un viaje que funcione para ti y pulsa **Reservar Viaje**.
3. **Meet your driver.**
Chequea el aplicativo para ver exactamente dónde encontrar el vehículo, que puede estar a una corta distancia a pie de la dirección que nos diste.

510-937-3657 ridewithvia.com/richmondmoves

Richmond moves Powered by **via**

Viaja por Richmond, CA — en vehículos eléctricos! — por solo \$2.

Richmond Moves logo, Clean Mobility Options logo, and other partner logos are visible at the bottom.

Popular destinations:

1 Shields Reid Park	7 Point Richmond
2 Richmond High School	8 MLK Park
3 Pogo Park	9 Marina Bay
4 Burg Park	10 Richmond Ferry Terminal
5 Richmond BART Station	11 El Cerrito BART Station
6 Civic Center Plaza	

Richmond Moves is part of California Climate Investments (CCI), a statewide initiative that puts billions of Cap-and-Trade dollars to work reducing greenhouse gas emissions, strengthening the economy, and improving public health and the environment — particularly in disadvantaged communities.

What is Richmond Moves?

Richmond Moves works like a shared shuttle that comes when you want, where you want. Book trips straight from your phone, get picked up in minutes, and access local BART stops and the ferry terminal without needing a car.

When can I ride?

Service hours are Monday-Friday 7am-7pm.

How much do rides cost?

A single ride costs \$2. Students and seniors ride for free.

Can I pay in cash?

We accept credit or debit cards, which you must upload to your account. Head to the **Payment Methods** page in the app menu to add a card on file. Passengers who wish to pay with cash can buy ride vouchers at City Hall.

Can I book a ride in advance?

Richmond Moves is an on-demand service, meaning you should book a ride a few minutes before you're ready to leave. We'll provide you with an ETA in real-time in the app.

How do I book a ride?

You can book your ride using our mobile app or by calling 510-937-3657. Head to the back side of this pamphlet for more info on using the app.

Why do I have to walk to meet my driver?

Richmond Moves is a shared ride service, meaning passengers might be getting picked up and dropped off throughout your ride. In order to keep things moving as quickly and efficiently as possible, we usually ask you to meet us at a nearby corner instead of right outside the address you entered — that way, the driver doesn't have to make any detours that could slow things down.

Are wheelchair accessible vehicles available?

Yes! Let us know you need a WAV by toggling the wheelchair icon in the app. You can also just give us a call.



Download the **Richmond Moves** app or call **(510)-937-3657** to get started.



Destinos populares

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Richmond Moves es parte de California Climate Investments (CCI), una iniciativa estatal que pone billones de dólares de topes y canje a trabajar para reducir la emisiones de gases de efecto invernadero, fortaleciendo la economía, y mejorando la salud pública y el medio ambiente — particularmente en comunidades desfavorecidas.

¿Qué es Richmond Moves?

Richmond Moves funciona como un transporte compartido que viene cuando quieras, a donde quieras. Reserva viajes directamente desde tu teléfono, tu transporte llegará en minutos, y podrás ir a las paradas locales de BART y la terminal de ferry sin necesitar un automóvil.

¿Cuándo puedo viajar?

Las horas de servicio son lunes-viernes 7am-7pm.

¿Cuánto cuestan los viajes?

Cada viaje cuesta \$2. Estudiantes y personas mayores viajan gratis.

¿Puedo pagar en efectivo?

Aceptamos tarjetas de crédito o débito, las cuales debes agregar a tu cuenta. Ve a la página de Métodos de pago en el menú de la aplicación para registrar una tarjeta. Los pasajeros que deseen pagar en efectivo pueden comprar vales de viaje en el Ayuntamiento.

¿Puedo reservar un viaje por adelantado?

Richmond Moves es un servicio bajo demanda, lo que significa que debes reservar un viaje algunos minutos antes que estés listo para salir. Te enviaremos el tiempo estimado de llegada en tiempo real por la aplicación.

¿Cómo reservo un viaje?

Puedes reservar un viaje usando nuestra aplicación móvil o llamando al 510-937-3657. Ve al reverso de este folleto para más información sobre el uso de la aplicación.

¿Por qué tengo que caminar para encontrar a mi conductor?

Richmond Moves es un servicio de transporte compartido, lo que significa que otros pasajeros podrán ser recogidos y dejados durante tu viaje. Para que las cosas avancen de manera más rápida y eficiente posible, generalmente pedimos que te encuentres con tu conductor en una esquina cercana en vez de justo en frente de la dirección que ingresaste — de esa manera, el conductor no tiene que hacer ningún desvío que podría retrasar los viajes.

¿Hay vehículos aptos para sillas de ruedas disponibles?

¡Sí! Informarnos que necesitas un vehículo apto para sillas de ruedas (WAV) activando el icono de la silla de ruedas en la aplicación. También puedes llamarnos.



Descarga la aplicación de **Richmond Moves** o llama al **(510)-937-3657** para empezar.



Job Announcement: Civic Spark Fellows Opportunity

The Richmond Transportation Division is currently recruiting two CivicSpark Fellows to join our team. Are you passionate about tackling the biggest environmental, social equity, and transportation challenges facing communities today while launching a social purpose career? If so, the CivicSpark AmeriCorps program may be right for you! CivicSpark is accepting Fellow applications for the 2023-24 #AmeriCorps service year! Fellows serve with local governments and make a real impact while building their social purpose careers.

CivicSpark Fellows implement local projects on topics including sustainable transportation, energy efficiency, climate action planning, water conservation, drought response, affordable housing, rural-broadband, equity, and environmental justice. Fellows gain exceptional career experience, and training to become future leaders in response to emerging environmental and social equity challenges. Learn more about CivicSpark by visiting civicspark.civicwell.org. For more information regarding Richmond Transportation Services contact Denée Evans at (510) 621-1718 or denee.evans@ci.richmond.ca.us.



9. **Fire Department**

Richmond Fire Youth Academy - Recruitment Workshop Update

The Richmond Fire Youth Academy conducted an Interview and Resume Workshop, which took place at Richmond Fire Training on Saturday, October 28th and was a remarkable success. Students aged 14-21 from various district schools actively participated in resume building, mock interviews, team-building exercises, and received guidance on attire and etiquette.

Congratulations to all the participants who embraced the challenge on their path to becoming Richmond Firefighters! **The 2nd Interview and Resume Workshop on Saturday, November 4th, and a Pre-Academy Workout on Saturday, November 18th.** A special thank you to all the agencies that participated in mentoring the cadets and future cadets, including the Richmond Fire Department, Contra Costa County Fire District, Calistoga Fire Department, San Francisco County Sheriffs, and CAL Fire.



RICHMOND FIRE YOUTH ACADEMY
RESUME & INTERVIEW WORKSHOP

DATE
 SATURDAY 10/28
 SATURDAY 11/04

TIME
 8AM TO 12PM

PLEASE ATTEND IN BUSINESS ATTIRE AND BRING CURRENT RESUME

instagram - Facebook
 @RichmondYouthAcademy

RICHMOND FIRE YOUTH ACADEMY

Date
 November 18th 8:00AM

Location
 3510 Cutting Blvd
 Richmond, CA 94804

Firefighter Physical
 Pre Academy Physical Training

Requirements
 Gym Attire
 Athletic Shoes
 Water Bottle
 Participation Waiver

REGISTER AT
 #1 [HTTPS://RYAJOBWORKSHOP.EVENTBRITE.COM](https://ryajobworkshop.eventbrite.com)
 #2 [HTTPS://RYAJOBWORKSHOP2.EVENTBRITE.COM](https://ryajobworkshop2.eventbrite.com)

Instagram - Facebook @RichmondYouthAcademy

10. Information Technology

KCRT TV Channel 28 - NEW EPISODES OF CURRENT PROGRAMMING

PROGRAMMING:

New “NewsBytes” and Regular Series Episodes:

- New “NewsBytes: Electric Vehicle Show.
- New special, “Undiscovered America”: episode 1.
- New episodes of “The Jet Set,” “Creature Features,” “Smart Movie Show,” and “Sidewalks Entertainment.”

Some “NewsBytes” Segments or Specials Currently On-Air:

- Hacienda Groundbreaking.
- Taste of Richmond.
- El Sobrante Stroll.
- Art of Peace.
- Mexican Independence Day Flag Raising.
- RFD Graduation.
- Salmon Release 2023.
- Richmond BUILD Graduation.
- Juneteenth Highlights.
- Ribbon Cutting of Hotel Mac’s restaurant (edited by Mayor’s Office’s Antonio Tamayo).
- Highlights of Cinco de Mayo.
- Juneteenth/Pride Flag Raising.

- Highlights of Women’s Day.
- San Pablo’s 75th Anniversary.
- Nystrom Village Earth Day Clean-Up.
- Literacy Festival.
- Public Safety Awards.
- Community Budget Meeting.
- Transgender Flag Raising.
- Black History Month Celebration.
- Easter Egg Hunt.
- The Fentanyl Crisis.
- Other highlights include Osprey Installation, Spirit and Soul Festival, Richmond Health & Wellness Trail Ribbon Cutting and Richmond MOVES, and Mayor’s Office produced videos of North Richmond Mobile Tool Library Opening, Tibetan New Year event at Kennedy High, and Richmond Art Center’s Art of the African Diaspora opening reception.
- Willie Mays’ Day.
- Contra Costa County’s Mr. Funnelhead campaign (acquired piece).

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

11. **Public Works**

ABATEMENT

Abatement crews in collaboration with Republic Services and Sims Metal participated in Pullman’s Neighborhood Clean-up Day. Staff collected seven dumpsters of debris, two dumpsters of metal and assisted 18 seniors and disabled citizens. Crews abated a private property requested by Code Enforcement, weeds from public right of ways, illegally dumped debris throughout the city, and removed graffiti from various locations.



Pullman’s Neighborhood Clean-Up



Portola Weed Abatement



Private Property Abatement



Illegal Dumping & Graffiti Removal

BUILDING MAINTENANCE

Stationary Engineers performed daily pool inspections and maintenance, daily inspections of boilers, circulating pumps and sump pumps at the Civic Center Plaza, repaired a shower handle in the women's locker room at the Plunge and the freestanding ice machine at Pogo Park, replaced a hose bib at Fire Station 66, and installed a sit and stand desk in the City Attorneys Department. Staff removed a drinking fountain from the gymnasium of Booker T. Anderson Community Center and repaired the flushometer handle on the toilet in the women's restroom at the Family Justice Center.



Shower handle repair at the Plunge Toilet repair at Family Justice Center

Utility workers cleaned and removed debris from inside and outer areas of 440 and 450 Civic Center Plaza, in addition to maintenance repairs for Civic Center Plaza and May Valley Communication Center. Service to city-wide community programs and all recreation centers, included sanitizing and disinfecting common areas of various locations and maintenance of 27 city owned buildings.



Replacing Council Chambers chairs

May Valley Deep Cleaning

ENGINEERING

The Engineering Construction Inspector performed a field inspection on Carlson Blvd and Shasta Ave. While digging, Pacific Gas & Electric (PG&E) hit a 2" gas pipe which caused a gas leak. Several agencies including the Richmond Fire Department, Richmond Police Department as well as East Bay Municipal District (EBMUD) were called out to the site in case of a neighborhood evacuation.



EBMUD and PG&E staff onsite at the emergency gas leak location



Police and Fire were present at an emergency gas leak on Carlson Blvd @ Shasta Ave

PARK MAINTENANCE

General fund crews perform weed abatement and turf edging at our two (2) locations namely: Booker T. Anderson (BTA) Park and Abraham Braxton Park. Play equipment repaired at Hilltop Park. Prepped Nichol Park for Harmony walk event on 10/28. Performed weed abatement on Cutting Ave R.O.W., and planted perennials around

Marquee. Installed water irrigation to the trees planted on Lucas Park for Arbor Day and remove graffiti from North Richmond Ballfield.



Turf edging at BTA



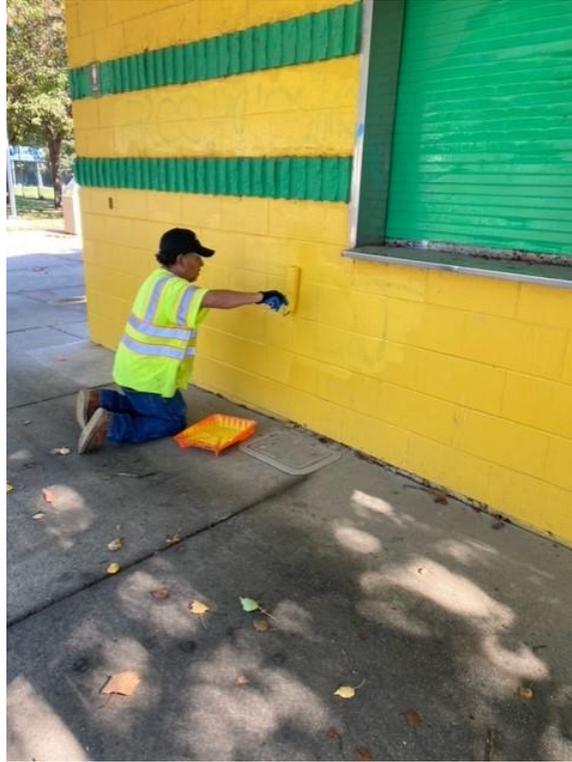
Equipment repair at Hilltop Park



Installing new plants around Marquee

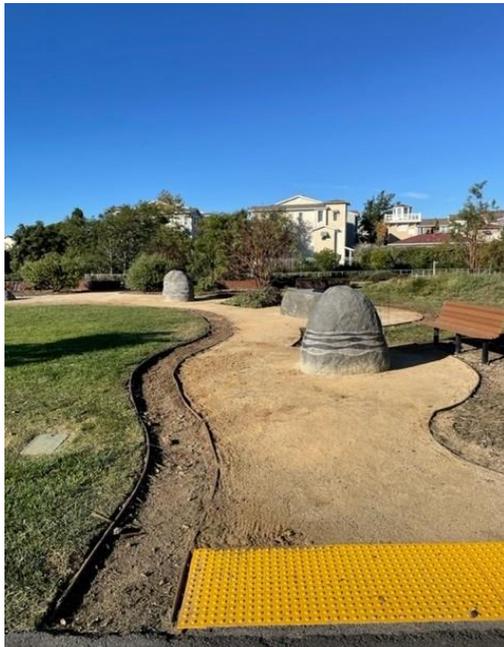


Installing irrigation at Lucas Park



Graffiti removal at NR Ballfield

Marina Bay District crews cut the lawn and hand removed weeds from bark area and DG walk path at Ookwe Park. Cut weeds along fence line next to homeowners in Marina Bay Park. Hand pulled weeds and pruned roses from Rosie Memorial next to sailing school.



Pulled weeds from Ookwee Park



Trimmed weeds at Marina Bay Park

Hilltop District crews mowed turf at Country Club Park, Bay Vista Park and Vista Del Mar Park. Performed weed abatement on Richmond Parkway (medians), on Richmond

Parkway (right-of-way) and on Hilltop Mall Road. The crew continued trash clean-up on Hilltop Mall Rd (hillside) and finished power washing Auto Plaza monument.



Weed abatement on Richmond Parkway



Weed abatement on Richmond Parkway

STREET MAINTENANCE

The Pavement Maintenance crew resurfaced South 5th Street from Ohio Ave to the south end, installed speed humps on McKenzie Drive, set-up and delivered barricades for Special Event Permits, and worked from the outstanding pothole/hot mix list.

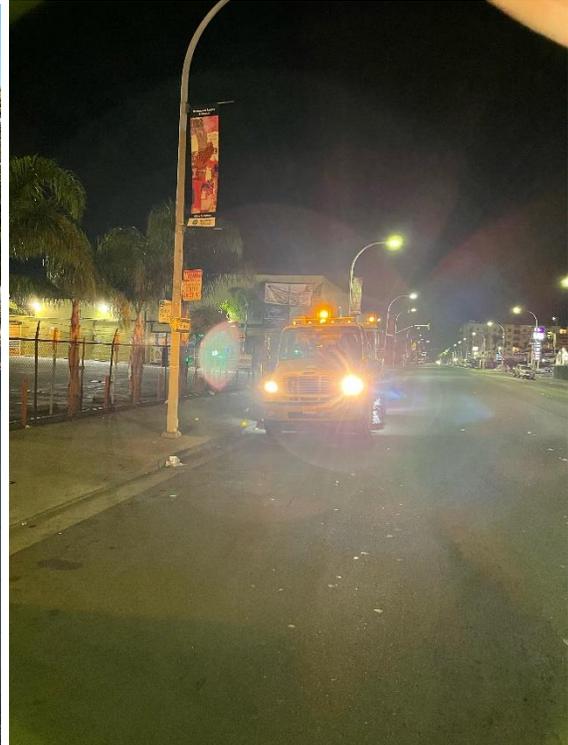


Grind & Prep operations on South 5th Street



Paving operations on South 5th St

Street sweeping crews swept the following neighborhood council areas on the fifth Monday and Tuesday and first Wednesday through Friday in: Various Medians throughout the City, Parchester Village, Hilltop Bayview, Hilltop Green, & Fairmede/Hilltop, Carriage Hills North Side, El Sobrante Hills, Greenbriar, Hansford Heights, Via Verdi, San Pablo Dam Rd., & Bristlecone.



Street sweeping medians and 23rd St for Halloween night

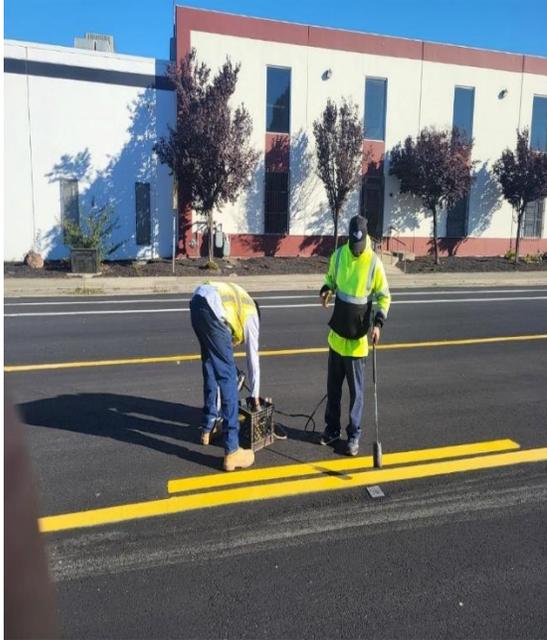
Traffic Signs and Lines crews continued installing new striping on Hesley St, installed new Stop messages and striping on Erla Way at Groom Dr, 36th St at Garvin Ave & Solano Ave, Clinton Ave at 35th St, and Barkley Dr at Groom Dr and Birmingham Dr, and installed and made repairs to several other signs at various locations throughout the city.



Parking lot refresh at E&T Center



New stop message and striping on Barkley Drive



Installing new striping on Hensley Street

The Fleet Maintenance & Streets Maintenance Divisions took delivery of a new Madvac sweeper which will be intended for bike lanes and pathways once in service.



Public Works Director testing features of new sweeper



Demonstration of new Madvac Sweeper

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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