

# CITY MANAGER'S Weekly

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MAY 10, 2024

*Richmond*



Stay informed of Richmond's latest developments! Explore the City Manager's Weekly Report, to provide an overview of recent city activities. Delivered weekly, this collaborative effort between city departments and the City Manager ensures you're up-to-date with community-centric updates.

Your feedback is invaluable as we strive to refine and improve our communication with you. Please email [weeklyreport@ci.richmond.ca.us](mailto:weeklyreport@ci.richmond.ca.us) or call (510)620-6512 to provide your feedback!!

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## Upcoming City Council Meeting

The next City Council meeting is scheduled for Tuesday, May 21, 2024. Enjoy the next week off!



## Upcoming Events

### Second Sundays at the Marina Bay Farmer's Market

**Date:** Every Second Sunday  
**Beginning** May 12, 2024  
**Time:** 10:00 A.M. – 2:00 P.M.  
**Location:** Marina Bay Park

Join us for Marina Bay Farmers Market's Second Sunday Family Days! Hot food, fresh produce, music, games, and more await you every second Sunday at Marina Bay Park. Come together with the Richmond community for a day of fun and flavor. Our kickoff event is THIS SUNDAY, May 12, 2024 – we hope to see you there!

RICHMOND CERTIFIED FARMER'S MARKET



**SECOND SUNDAYS AT THE MARINA BAY FARMER'S MARKET**  
LOCAL PRODUCE • ACTIVITIES • HOT FOOD • CRAFT VENDORS • MUSIC

Every Second Sunday  
**Beginning May 12, 2024**  
10:00 AM - 2:00 PM

Marina Bay Park • Located in the Parking Lot off of Regatta Blvd. & Melville Sq.  
<https://www.ci.richmond.ca.us/FarmersMarket>

RICHMOND CERTIFIED FARMER'S MARKET



**SEGUNDO DOMINGOS EN EL MARINA BAY MERCADO DE AGRICULTORES**  
PRODUCTOS LOCALES • ACTIVIDADES • COMIDA PREPARADA • VENEDORES DE ARTESANÍA • MÚSICA

Cada segundo domingo  
**A partir del 12 de mayo de 2024**  
10:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m.

Marina Bay Park • Ubicado en el estacionamiento junto a Regatta Blvd. & Melville Sq.  
<https://www.ci.richmond.ca.us/FarmersMarket>

### Join AC Transit at the Bus Operator Hiring Event

**Date:** May 18, 2024  
**Time:** 9:00 A.M. – 2:00 P.M.  
**Location:** 20234 Mack Street  
Hayward, CA 94545

AC Transit is hiring bus operators. Join AC Transit's Recruitment Team at our Bus Operator Hiring Event on Saturday, May 18. On-site interviews and conditional job offers will be offered to qualified candidates. Walk-ins welcome. Bring your DMV driving record. Learn more at [actransit.org/careers](http://actransit.org/careers).



**Spring INTO YOUR New Career!**

JOIN US FOR AC TRANSIT'S 2nd ANNUAL BUS OPERATOR HIRING EVENT!

On-site Interviews  
Conditional Job Offers

**SATURDAY MAY 18**  
9 AM TO 2 PM  
20234 Mack St. • Hayward, CA 94545  
Food • Live DJ • ...and more!

Learn More: 



## City Manager's Chronicles

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

- Along with Finance staff members, presented the first draft of the FY 24-25 Budget in the May 7th City Council meeting
- Met with Finance and City Manager's Office staff to continue the development of the Fiscal Year 24-25 Budget
- Participated in the Contra Costa County Public Management Association monthly meeting
- Attended the Contra Costa Leadership Academy team presentations at the Walnut Creek City Hall. Congratulations to Steven Linderman, Senior Accountant in the Richmond Police Department, Carlos Castro, Streets Division Supervisor in Public Works, and Rita Martinez, Senior Accountant in the Finance Department, for their efforts in collaborating with colleagues from other cities in this Leadership Academy.
- Met with Richmond representatives of the RecycleMore Board regarding the post-collection agreement
- Conferred with CSW|ST2 to ensure that budgeted Park Renovation projects, which include soccer fields, baseball fields, and other amenities remain on schedule and are presented to City Council for final approval before the end of the fiscal year.
- Participated in Coffee with a Cop at Target in Richmond with Police Chief Bisa French and members of the RPD team that are doing an excellent job engaging with Richmond residents and businesses.
- City staff collaborated with the Mayor's Office to submit an application for the Bloomberg Philanthropies City Data Alliance Program
- Attended the new Civic Center Farmers Market relocation in front of the Main Library and conferred with stakeholders regarding draft banners to highlight and market the location to the Richmond community and other amenities suggested by the Library security staff.
- Conducted a walk-through of the Booker T. Anderson (BTA) Community Center, which is scheduled to reopen in early June in time for summer programming.

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.





## City Manager's Office

### AC Transit – Realign Draft Plan

After a year of gathering feedback from riders and the community, AC Transit has formulated a Draft Plan outlining the vision for the all-new network. We encourage the public to review the Draft Plan and share your insights by June 5, 2024.

Learn and comment online: [actransit.org/realign](https://actransit.org/realign)

**Próxima Parada:**  
**Borrador del plan de Realign**  
 Revise el borrador en línea, en persona o en bibliotecas.



Infórmate y comenta en línea:  
[actransit.org/realign](https://actransit.org/realign)  
 Encuentre información en una biblioteca:  
 (510) 267-5632



**Next Stop:**  
**Realign Draft Plan**  
 Review the draft online, in person, or at libraries



Learn and comment online:  
[actransit.org/realign](https://actransit.org/realign)  
 Find information at a library:  
 (510) 267-5631



### Richmond Promise Recruiting Mentors For 2024–25 School Year

Want to make a difference in the life of a Richmond Promise Scholar and give back to the Richmond community? Consider joining the Mentor Program for the 2024-25 school year.

Check out the program details and apply:

[www.richmondpromise.org/news/join-the-richmond-promise-mentor-program-for-2024-25/](https://www.richmondpromise.org/news/join-the-richmond-promise-mentor-program-for-2024-25/)

**2024-2025**  
**Mentor Program**  
**BECOME A MENTOR!**

Follow the Personal & Professional Growth of OUR Scholars  
 Share YOUR Knowledge, Skills, Best practices, & Perspective.

**APPLICATION DEADLINE: MAY 15TH**  
 Mentoring is an 11-month commitment for career enthusiasts looking to share intentional expertise and energy - personal & professional - with Richmond Promise Scholars.

[tinyurl.com/RPMentorApp](https://tinyurl.com/RPMentorApp)

For Questions or more info, Contact Darlene Zarnoffo at [dzarnoffo@richmondpromise.org](mailto:dzarnoffo@richmondpromise.org)



**2024-2025**  
**Programa de Mentor**  
**CONVIÉRTETE EN UN MENTOR!**

Sigue el Crecimiento Personal y Profesional de NUESTROS Scholars  
 Comparte TU Conocimiento, Habilidades, Práctica adecuada, y Perspectiva.

**FECHA DE ENTREGA: 15 DE MAYO**  
 Mentoría es un compromiso de 11 meses para profesionales entusiasmados y buscando compartir experiencia y energía intencional - personal y profesional - con Richmond Promise Scholars.

[tinyurl.com/RPMentorApp](https://tinyurl.com/RPMentorApp)

Para Preguntas o más info, Contacta a Darlene Zarnoffo por correo electrónico, [dzarnoffo@richmondpromise.org](mailto:dzarnoffo@richmondpromise.org)





## Community Development

## Planning

### 2024 Bay Area Affordable Housing Bond Community Meetings

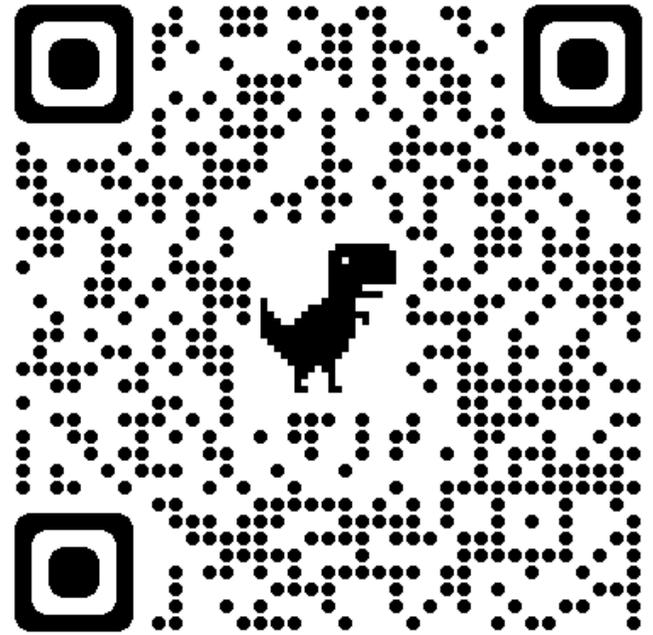
**Date:** May 14, 2024

**Time:** 6:00 P.M.

**Location:** Hana Gardens Senior Center,  
10870 San Pablo Avenue, El Cerrito

Please join Contra Costa County (CCC) staff for a presentation on Bay Area Housing Finance Authority (BAHFA), including the BAHFA-proposed \$10 to \$20 billion Bay Area wide affordable housing regional bond planned to be included on the November 2024 ballot. If approved by voters, the bond measure would support affordable housing production, preservation, and protect at-risk households. The County is hosting five in-person and two virtual public informational meetings to discuss the expenditure plan.

Visit <https://www.contracosta.ca.gov/10023/Bay-Area-Housing-Finance-Authority-BAHFA>



## Community Services

### Recap: Civic Center Farmer's Market Re-Location

On Friday, May 10, 2024 the Civic Center Farmer's Market returned to its original location in front of the Richmond Public Library. The community came together with farmers and City staff to enjoy a day celebrating the 40 years of fresh, local produce the Richmond Certified Farmer's Market has given to us.

For more information about the Farmer's Market visit:  
<https://www.ci.richmond.ca.us/4643/Richmond-Farmers-Market>



## Youth & Young Adult Career Fair

**Date:** May 25, 2024  
**Time:** 1:00 P.M. – 5:00 P.M.  
**Location:** Richmond Memorial Auditorium  
403 Civic Center Plaza

Join us at the Youth & Young Adult Career & Resource Fair hosted by Richmond YouthWORKS – an event to shape the future. Connect with motivated young adults eager to begin their careers. Showcase your organization's opportunities. Your participation invests in the next generation. Register now at this link to secure your spot. Let's uplift and support our youth as they chart their paths to success. See you at the fair!



**YOUTH & YOUNG ADULT CAREER FAIR**

Are you looking for a job or career? Look no further than our upcoming job fair!

Join us for a day of networking, job opportunities, and career growth as we connect jobseekers with top employers, Training Providers, and Resources in the area.

**FRIDAY, MAY 24, 2024**  
At 1:00 PM - 5:00 PM  
Richmond Memorial Auditorium  
403 Civic Center Plaza, Richmond, CA 94804

Registration is Required  
Scan QR Code

No Cost to Participate

Take your career to new heights at our upcoming job and career fair - we can't wait to see you there!

MORE INFORMATION: 510-412-2044

## Health Care and Financial Skills Matter

Explore healthcare and essential financial skills with Kaiser Permanente School of Allied Health Sciences and the Shooting Stars Foundation. Our 6-week program covers healthcare fundamentals and financial competencies, including budgeting. Submit applications by June 21, 2024:  
[https://youthworks.formstack.com/forms/24\\_25\\_wex\\_application](https://youthworks.formstack.com/forms/24_25_wex_application)



**EXPLORE A CAREER IN HEALTH CARE FINANCIAL SKILLS MATTER**

Join Kaiser Permanente School of Allied Health Sciences & Shooting Stars Foundation for an engaging journey into the world of healthcare & essential financial skills.

The 4 - weeks Introduction to healthcare field will help you in various career options like medicine, pharmacy, medical assistants, and health administration.

2 - weeks: Make the most of your hard-earned income. Learn the essential financial skills such as budgeting and understanding career-related costs. Knowing how to manage your finances means having the freedom to pursue your passions without worrying about money. Empower yourself to make informed decisions about your future while gaining valuable skills for success!

Eligibility Requirements:

- ✓ RICHMOND RESIDENT
- ✓ 16-24 YEARS OF AGE
- ✓ INTERESTED IN HEALTH CARE CAREER PATHWAY

SCAN QR CODE TO APPLY

Online Application: [https://youthworks.formstack.com/forms/24\\_25\\_wex\\_application](https://youthworks.formstack.com/forms/24_25_wex_application)

Application Deadline: June 21, 2024

Cohort Begins: Tuesday, June 25, 2024  
**6-WEEK VIRTUAL PROGRAM**

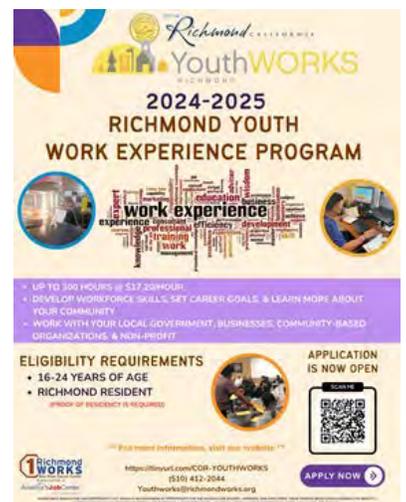
FOR MORE INFORMATION:  
Intac@youthworks.COY.YOUTHWORKS  
youthworks@richmondworks.org  
510-412-2044  
300 25th Street, Richmond, CA 94804

## 2024-2025 Summer Youth Employment (SYEP) Program

**Location:** YouthWORKS Office  
330 25th Street

YouthWORKS 2024-2025 Work Experience Program application is now open to Richmond Residents aged 16-24. Gain valuable work experience this summer! Apply via QR Code in the flyer or this link:

[https://youthworks.formstack.com/forms/24\\_25\\_wex\\_application](https://youthworks.formstack.com/forms/24_25_wex_application). Dive into diverse opportunities and kickstart your career journey now. Apply Now!



**2024-2025 RICHMOND YOUTH WORK EXPERIENCE PROGRAM**

work experience

- UP TO 300 HOURS @ \$17.20/HOUR
- DEVELOP WORKFORCE SKILLS, SET CAREER GOALS, & LEARN MORE ABOUT YOUR COMMUNITY
- WORK WITH YOUR LOCAL GOVERNMENT, BUSINESSES, COMMUNITY-BASED ORGANIZATIONS, & NON-PROFIT

ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS

- 16-24 YEARS OF AGE
- RICHMOND RESIDENT

APPLICATION IS NOW OPEN

APPLY NOW

## Library & LEAP

### North Richmond Mobile Tool Library Modified Services

The North Richmond Mobile Tool Library will have modified hours and services until further notice. To rent tools during this time, place a reservation at least 24 hours prior to the first or third Saturday. This can be done through your online MyTurn account, email, or phone. Email us at [mobiletoollib@ci.richmond.ca.us](mailto:mobiletoollib@ci.richmond.ca.us) or call (510) 672-3877. Return services will be unaffected. Visit us at 1401 Fred Jackson Way on the first and third Saturday of the month. Our modified hours will be 10:00 A.M. to 1:00 P.M. until further notice. 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 [richmondmobiletoollibrary.myturn.com](http://richmondmobiletoollibrary.myturn.com)

**THE NORTH RICHMOND MOBILE TOOL LIBRARY**

**MODIFIED SERVICES**

The Mobile Tool Library 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](mailto:mobiletoollib@ci.richmond.ca.us)

Return services are not affected!

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

### Graphic Novel Club

**Date: Wednesdays**

**Time: 3:30 P.M. - 5:00 P.M.**

**Location: All Richmond Libraries**

Join our Graphic Novel Club for fun and snacks! Share your favorite graphic novels and find some new ones. For grades 6-8. Wednesdays from 3:30 P.M. - 5:00 P.M.; first Wednesday at Main Library, second Wednesday at Bayview Branch; third Wednesday at West Side. Call (510) 620-6557 for more information.

JOIN OUR

**GRAPHIC NOVEL CLUB**

READING  
CRAFTS  
DISCUSSION  
SNACKS  
GRADES  
6-8

**WEDNESDAYS  
3:30PM-5PM  
BEGINNING IN MAY  
@ ALL BRANCHES**

Call 510-620-6557 for more information

## Recap: Duey at Cinco de Mayo!

Duey the checkout card made it out of the library to Cinco de Mayo! Duey will be at more community events, so wave, smile, stop for a picture – and check out all the Richmond Public Library’s programs and services!



## Jazzy Story Time at West Side

**Date:** May 21, 2024

**Time:** 10:00 A.M.

**Location:** West Side Branch Library,  
135 Washington Ave.

Hear stories about jazz greats and listen the tunes that made them famous with Oaktown Jazz Workshops! All ages are welcome. Call (510) 620-6567 for more information.



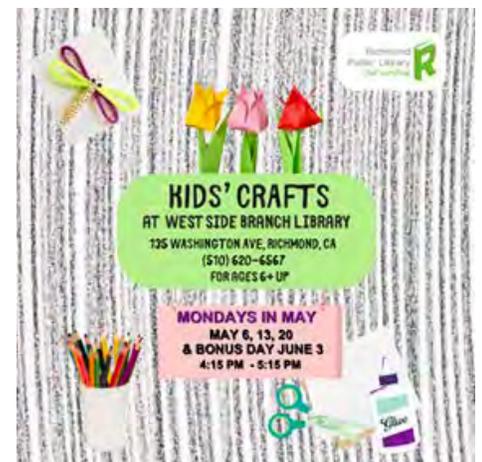
## Kids' Crafts at West Side

**Date:** Every Monday in May

**Time:** 4:15 P.M. – 5:15 P.M.

**Location:** West Side Branch Library  
135 Washington Ave.

We'll use clothespins and pipe cleaners, patterned origami paper, and recycled materials to make spring crafts. Bring your creativity! Mondays in May plus bonus June 3. For ages 6 and up. Call (510) 620-6567 for more information.



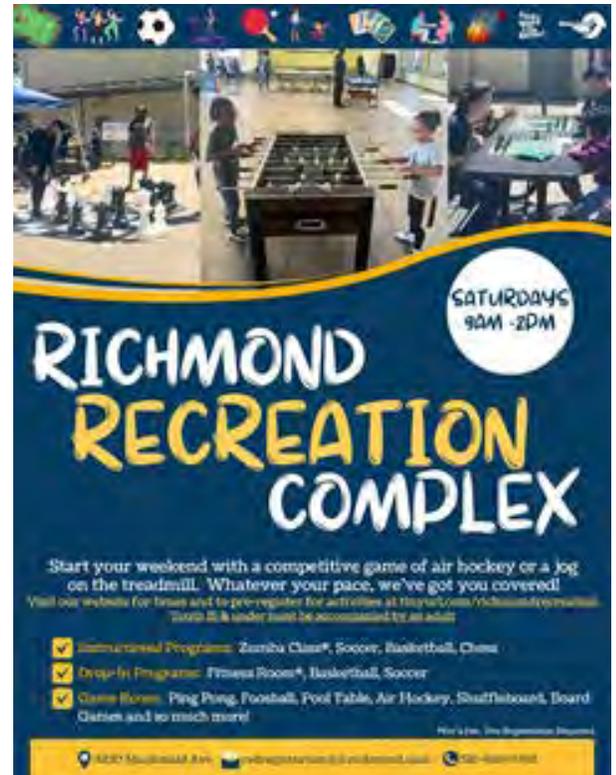
## Richmond Recreation Complex Saturdays

**Date: Saturdays**

**Time: 9:00 A.M. - 2:00 P.M.**

**Location: Richmond Recreation Complex  
3230 Macdonald Ave**

Experience Saturdays at the Richmond Recreation Complex, where fun knows no bounds! Dive into the game room's ping pong, foosball, pool table, air hockey, shuffleboard, and board games. Drop into the fitness room, basketball, and soccer programs. Engage in instructional Zumba, soccer, basketball, and chess. Unleash your weekend excitement with us!



## Achieve After-School Program

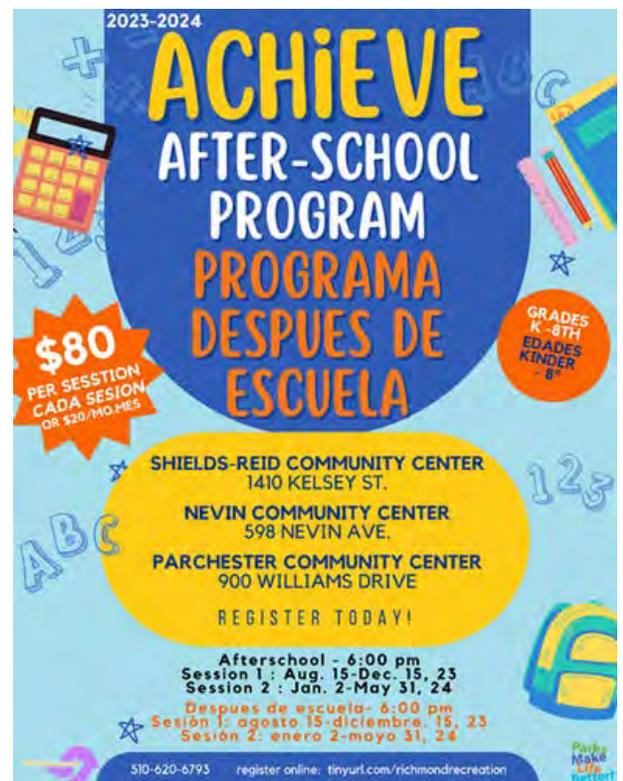
Less than two months left! For only \$20 a month, you reserve a spot in one of our great Achieve After School Programs.

Parchester runs until 6:00 P.M., Monday-Friday  
900 Williams Drive, Richmond

Shields Reid runs until 5:00 P.M., Monday-Friday  
1410 Kelsey Avenue, Richmond  
Walking school bus from Verde Elementary

Nevin runs until 6:00 P.M., Monday-Friday  
598 Nevin Avenue, Richmond  
Walking school bus from Richmond College Prep & Lincoln Elementary

For registration information, call (510) 620-6793.



## Zumba Gold

**Date: Fridays**

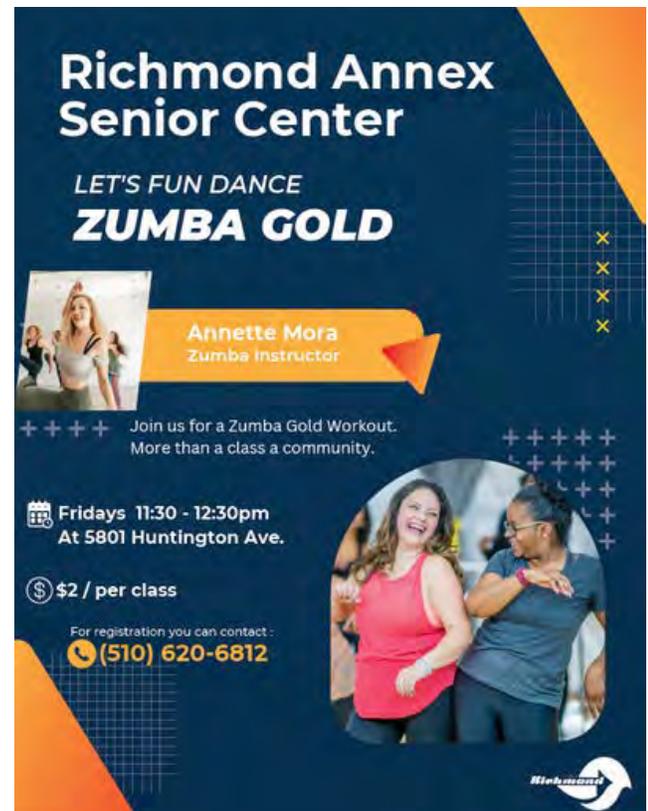
**Time: 11:30 A.M. – 12:30 P.M.**

**Location: Richmond Annex Senior Center  
5801 Huntington Ave**

Get ready to groove and move with our new Zumba Gold Class! Join us for a fun-filled fitness experience tailored for all fitness levels. Our goal is to increase social interaction and build community while dancing, sweating, and feeling great together! Open to the entire community. Come join the party!

Cost: \$2 per class

For registration or more information, contact  
(510) 620-6812.



**Richmond Annex Senior Center**

LET'S FUN DANCE  
**ZUMBA GOLD**

Annette Mora  
Zumba Instructor

Join us for a Zumba Gold Workout.  
More than a class a community.

📅 Fridays 11:30 - 12:30pm  
At 5801 Huntington Ave.

💰 \$2 / per class

For registration you can contact:  
📞 (510) 620-6812

Richmond Recreation logo

## Elevate After-School Program

**Ends May 31, 2024**

**Time: 1:30 P.M. – 6:00 P.M.**

**Location: May Valley Community Center**

Less than two months left for this opportunity! With the help from Richmond Recreation staff, participants get help with homework, art and crafts, engage with other children, play organized group games, explore new things, and much more! The staff guide students in a walking school bus from Valley View Elementary.

For registration information, visit [City of Richmond Recreation Registration Page](#) or call (510) 620-6793.



2023-2024

**ELEVATE** ABC

AFTER-SCHOOL PROGRAM  
PROGRAMA DESPUES DE ESCUELA

\$100 PER MONTH\* CADA MES\*

GRADES K-5TH EDADES KINDER-5\*

Afterschool - 6:00 pm  
Monday-Friday  
August 15, 2023 - May 31, 2024  
Despues de escuela- 6:00 pm  
lunes-viernes  
15 de agosto de 2023 - 31 de mayo de 2024

MAY VALLEY COMMUNITY CENTER  
3530 MORNINGSIDE DR.

\$125 PER MONTH/NON-RESIDENT \*CADA MES/NO RESIDENTE

510-620-6793 register online: [tinyurl.com/richmondrecreation](http://tinyurl.com/richmondrecreation)

Para Más Información Better!

## Tiny Heroes – Be a Superhero!

This program is to focus on the child's development. The classes help with their fine and gross motor skills, cognitive skills, and it exposes the children to interact with other children. The participants do art projects led by Richmond Recreation Leaders with the support of parents, and are introduced to the alphabet, numbers 1-20, and the colors.

It's important to note that this is not a preschool or daycare; parents/guardians must be present with their children at all times.

For registration information, visit [City of Richmond Recreation Registration Page](#) or call (510) 620-6793.



**TINY HEROES TRAINING CAMP**

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

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

**Sept 2023 - May 2024**  
septiembre 2023 - mayo 2024  
Monday & Tuesday  
lunes y martes  
10:30 am - 12 pm  
6 months - 5 yrs  
6 meses - 5 años  
Res: \$20/mo. or \$5/drop-in  
Residente: \$20/mes o \$5/entrada  
Non-Res: \$25/mo. or \$5/drop-in  
No-Residente: \$25/mes o \$5/entrada

**Sept 2023 - May 2024**  
septiembre 2023 - mayo 2024  
Wednesday & Thursday  
miércoles y jueves  
10:30 am - 12 pm  
6 months - 5 yrs  
6 meses - 5 años  
Res: \$20/mo. or \$5/drop-in  
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Non-Res: \$25/mo. or \$5/drop-in  
No-Residente: \$25/mes o \$5/entrada

Tiny Heroes program focuses on each child's development. The classes help with their fine and gross motor skills and teaches the children to how to interact with other children. The participants do art projects led by Richmond Recreation Leaders with the support of parents. The participants are introduced to the alphabet, numbers 1-10, and colors. **This is not a preschool or a daycare, so the parents/guardians are always near their children during the program.**

El programa Tiny Heroes se enfoca en el desarrollo de cada niño. Las clases ayudan con sus habilidades motoras finas y gruesas y les enseñan a los niños cómo interactuar con otros niños. Los participantes realizan proyectos de arte dirigidos por Richmond Recreation Leaders con el apoyo de los padres. Los participantes aprenden el alfabeto, los números del 1 al 10 y los colores. **Esto no es un preescolar o una guardería, por lo que los padres/tutores siempre están cerca de sus hijos durante el programa.**

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 Make Life Better!**

## Lifeguard Bootcamp

**Date: Tuesdays and Thursdays**

**Time: 5:00 P.M. - 5:40 P.M.**

**Location: Richmond Swim Center at Kennedy High School  
4300 Cutting Blvd**

Do you know someone who wants to be a lifeguard? Lifeguard Boot Camp can help swimmers strengthen existing skills and work toward specific skills needed for the lifeguard course. Our goal is to help participants get certified and start work as a lifeguard at Richmond's pools.

Email [paula\\_cooper-tipton@ci.richmond.ca.us](mailto:paula_cooper-tipton@ci.richmond.ca.us) if you are interested in becoming a lifeguard.



**LIFEGUARD BOOT CAMP CLASS**

**WE HELP YOU PREPARE FOR THE AMERICAN RED CROSS LIFEGUARD COURSE AND TRAIN YOU TO BE A LIFEGUARD AT RICHMOND POOLS**

- BASIC SWIM SKILLS NEEDED
- MUST BE COMFORTABLE IN DEEP WATER
- WORK ON SPECIFIC STROKE REFINEMENT
- BUILD STAMINA AND PRACTICE SKILLS

**PAID TRAINING \$16.64/HR**  
FOR YOUTH AGES 16+  
MUST LIVE IN RICHMOND

**RICHMOND SWIM CENTER**  
TUESDAYS & THURSDAYS 5:00-5:40PM  
APRIL 2-18, 2024 - PRACTICE SESSIONS

**CONTACT:**  
PAULA COOPER-TIPTON  
[PAULA\\_COOPER-TIPTON@CIRICHMOND.CA.US](mailto:PAULA_COOPER-TIPTON@CIRICHMOND.CA.US)

**Parks Make Life Better!**



## Recap: Park Rx Day

On April 27, Park Rx Day was filled with the energy and excitement of about 300 attendees! Residents celebrated community health and wellness with family games, an abundance of community resources, and a special appearance from a friendly critter. Stay tuned for next year's event! View more photos: <https://flic.kr/s/aHBqjBpiWH>



## Economic Development

### DIY Fix it Clinic

**Date:** May 18, 2024

**Time:** 11:00 A.M. – 2:00 P.M.

**Location:** San Pablo Library

**13751 San Pablo Ave, San Pablo**

Bring broken items (electronics, appliances, toys, etc.) for assessment and possible fixing. Consult FixIt Coaches, use workspace/tools, and enjoy learning to repair together. All ages welcome! This event is no cost made possible by a partnership with RecycleMore, San Pablo Library, and FixIt Clinic.

Register your item to ensure the FixIt Team knows what item you are bringing.

Click the link to complete the Google Form registration: <https://bit.ly/itemcheckin>

## Environment & Health

**SAVE THE DATE!**

**fixitclinic**

San Pablo Library  
13751 San Pablo Ave, San Pablo, CA

**May 18, 2024 | 11am-2pm**

Join RecycleMore at San Pablo library for a day of repair and rejuvenation to breathe new life into your old treasures. Coaches will be on hand to access and assist with your repair needs.

**recyclemore**  
WEST CONTRA-COSTA INTEGRATED  
WASTE MANAGEMENT AUTHORITY

**CONTRA COSTA COUNTY LIBRARY**  
Sharing. Reading. And Living. Together.  
[cclib.org](http://cclib.org)

# PG&E Virtual Town Hall Bay Area

**Date: May 14, 2024**

**Time: 5:30 P.M. – 7:00 P.M.**

**Location: Virtual**

Do you want to be involved in reducing wildfire risk in the Bay Area?

PG&E will share how they are working to reduce wildfire risk to help better serve you and your community. Attendees will have the opportunity to ask questions and connect with PG&E's regional leadership team, including Regional Vice President, Jake Zigelman.

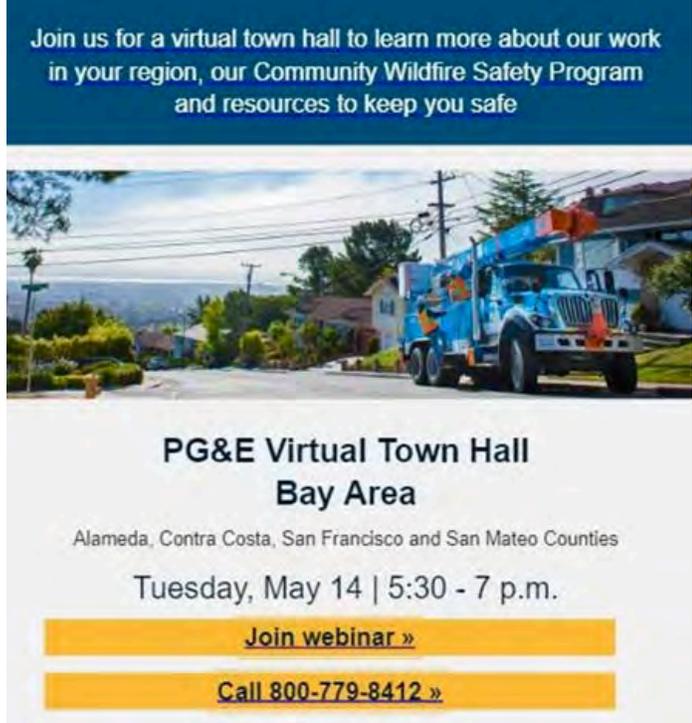
We encourage you to join and learn more about:

- Projects happening in your area
- Our Community Wildfire Safety Program
- Safety tips and resources available

Join via Microsoft Teams link:

<https://tinyurl.com/PGE-Virtual-Town-Hall> or Call (800) 779-8412

For more information, please visit: [safetyactioncenter.pge.com](https://safetyactioncenter.pge.com)



Join us for a virtual town hall to learn more about our work in your region, our Community Wildfire Safety Program and resources to keep you safe



**PG&E Virtual Town Hall  
Bay Area**

Alameda, Contra Costa, San Francisco and San Mateo Counties

Tuesday, May 14 | 5:30 - 7 p.m.

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## Port Operations

### Recap: Subaru Staff Contributing to Port Clean Up

Shout out to the Subaru staff that operate at the Auto Warehouse Co. (AWC) site at Point Potrero Marine Terminal. Once a month they take time to clean up around the AWC parking area and the General Warehouse where trash accumulates. Their contribution is greatly appreciated, and you can see they filled their bags!





## Public Safety

### Fire

## Recap: Phillips 66 Richmond Terminal Spill Exercise

On May 1 and May 2, the City of Richmond represented by the Fire Department, Office of Emergency Services participated in a multi-agency spill response exercise sponsored by Phillips 66. This mandated functional exercise focused on a worst-case discharge at the Phillips 66 Richmond Marine Terminal impacting the Santa Fe Channel and nearby area.

The goal of the exercise was to test Phillips 66 local and global response capabilities and revise coordination protocols with all responding partners under the National Incident Management System (NIMS) framework. Other participating agencies included Contra Costa County Health/Hazmat, California Fish & Wildlife/Office of Spill Prevention and Response (OSPR), California Office of Emergency Services (CalOES), and the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA).

The organizers also extended a special invitation to Councilmember Soheila Bana and other guests to support exercise conduct in their role as elected officials.



## Recap: Coffee with a Cop

Today, Target Richmond hosted a delightful Coffee with a Cop event. Visitors were warmly greeted by Chief French, Assistant Chief Simmons, and Captain Stonebreaker, and several other team members of the police department. We engaged with residents, addressing safety concerns in English and Spanish. Thanks to all who made this event special!



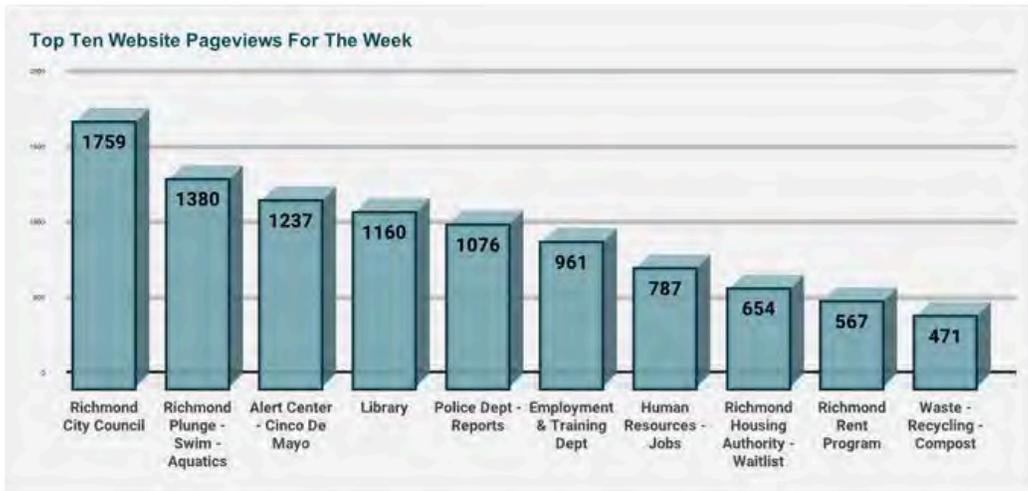


## Information Technology

### KCRT Datatnet for the Week



### Website Statistics For The Week



## Programming

### New "NewsBytes" and Regular Series Episodes:

- New episodes of "The Jet Set," "Best of California," "Baby Blue Arts," "Creature Features," "Smart Movie Show," and "Sidewalks Entertainment."

### Some "NewsBytes" Segments or Specials Currently On-Air:

- Community Budget Meeting
- Libraries In The Age Of Disinformation
- Employee Appreciation Day (acquired by Mayor's Office)
- Public Safety Awards
- Electric Bike Share Program 2024

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



## Public Works

## Abatement

Abatement crews abated weeds from Richmond Parkway medians, City-owned lots and alleyways, abated several tons of debris from around homeless encampments, abated illegally dumped debris and removed graffiti from various locations throughout the city.



Richmond Parkway/Alleys Weed Abatement



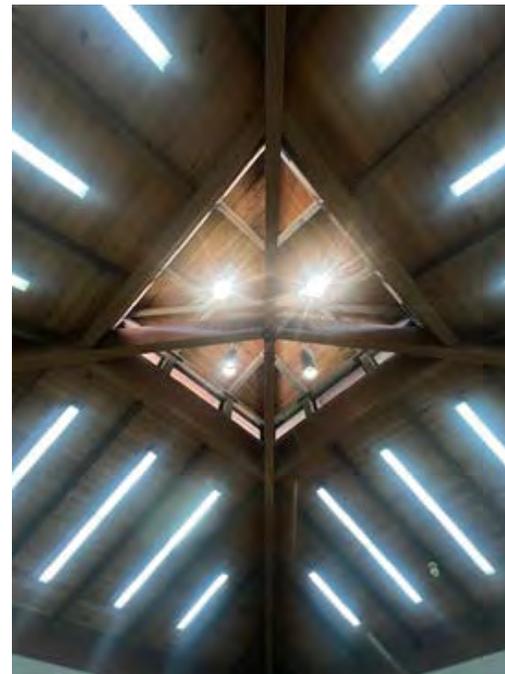
Sidewalk's Encampments Removal



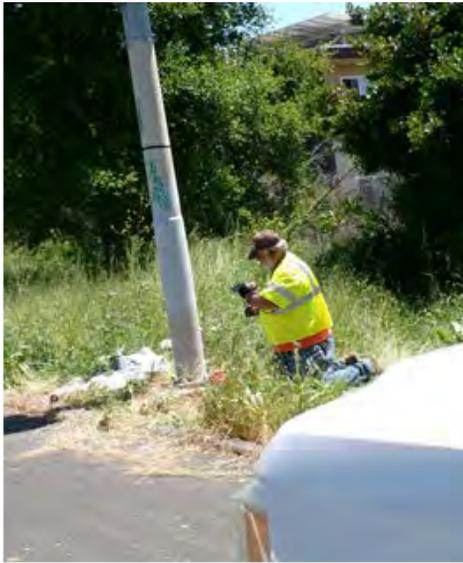
Illegal Dumping & Graffiti Removal

## Building Maintenance

Electricians repaired lighting at the Booker T. Anderson Recreation Center, replaced wire vandalized to streetlights on Robert H. Miller Drive and removed a fallen streetlight pole.



Repairs before and after



Building maintenance crews cleaned and removed debris from the interior and exterior of 440 and 450 Civic Center Plaza. Staff assisted with the removal of vermin and deep cleaned impacted areas, cleaned the exterior of the Richmond Police Department, including all common areas and provided maintenance service for 27 City owned buildings.



Removing debris and applying pigeon deterrent At Booker T. Anderson Jr. Community Center



Placing new microwaves at 450 Civic Center Plaza

Stationary engineers performed daily pool inspections and maintenance, performed daily inspections of the boiler's, circulating pumps and sump pumps at Civic Center Plaza; repaired the flushometer to the toilet of the women's staff restroom at the Main Library, replaced a broken belt to the exhaust fan and repaired a door handle at 450 City Hall, installed a flushometer kit to the toilet in the men's restroom at the Richmond Art Center, repaired a downspout at Riggers Loft, cleared a clogged sink in the upstairs kitchen of the Main Library, repaired a leaking garbage disposal at Parchester Community Center.



Garbage disposal repair



Clearing a clogged sink

## Engineering

### Santa Rita Road Project

The project is currently 80% completed as of the week ending May 3. One third of the tie backs have been drilled, and the tie backs have been placed and installed with concrete. In addition, steel beams were delivered for the retaining wall and for the contractor to continue their work. On Friday May 3, the contractor tarped the site to prepare for the upcoming rain on May 4. Construction is anticipated to be completed by June 2024.



## Park Maintenance

Hilltop District crews' abated a homeless encampment on the Richmond Parkway. In addition, crews abated weeds on Klose Way, the Richmond Parkway, and Bay Vista Park, mowed the turf at Country Club Vista Park, Vista Del Mar Park, and Bay Vista Park.



Marina Bay crews mowed the hillside behind Barbara J. Vincent Park, string trimmed weeds from around tree wells, and cleaned weeds around barbecue pits. They began hand removing weeds from medians, starting from Bayside northbound toward Regatta, mowed lawns at Marina Bay Park, Shimada Park and Barbara J. Vincent Park. Crews also removed weeds from concrete cracks on Marina Bay Parkway medians, removed trash from all receptacles in the parking lot and trail, removed graffiti from signs along trail by flag stands near Barbara J. Vincent Park, replenished doggy bags that were empty, continued with irrigation start-ups throughout parks and cut down high weeds on Marina Bay Parkway in front of the Pacific Gas and Electric (PG&E) Company building.



Parks General Fund crews picked up litter at all City parks and right of ways. Crews also abated weeds on the sidewalks and tree wells on 23rd St., at the Macdonald Ave underpass between 16th St. and 20th St., 19th St. medians between Macdonald Ave and Barrett Ave, Parchester Village sound wall, 25th St. and Barrett Ave parking lot, 24th St. and Nevin Ave roundabout median, LaMoine Park, Theresa/Taft Path, Carol/Overend Path, and Monterey Park beach volleyball court. They performed also abated encampments at Carlson Meadows, Southside Park and Martin Luther King Park restrooms. performed maintenance at the Tiller Park and Nicoll Park ballfields ballfield, repaired the Corp Yard fence, picked up trash from Pt. Richmond, Bay Trail, and the Richmond Greenway. The City tree crew trimmed and removed city street trees on the 900 block of 34th St. that were causing property and sidewalk damage. Sixteen Parks employees performed trash abatement at the Cinco De Mayo celebration this past Sunday, May 5.



## Street Maintenance

Pavement Maintenance crew resurfaced Brentwood Ave from Sweetwood Dr. to the end, set-up and maintained road closure for the Cinco de Mayo festival, installed speed humps on McLaughlin Ave, performed hot mix patches at various locations, and worked from the outstanding pothole/hot mix list.

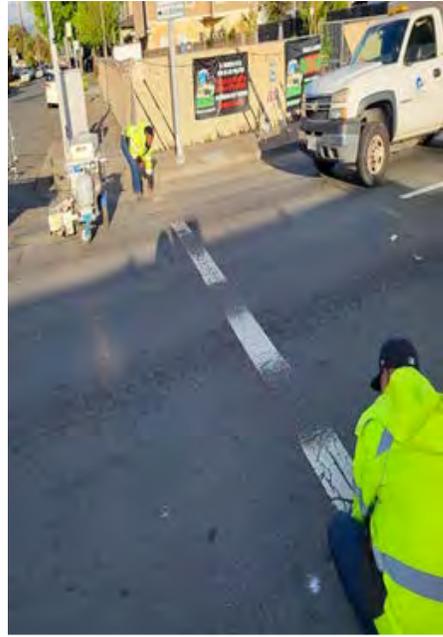
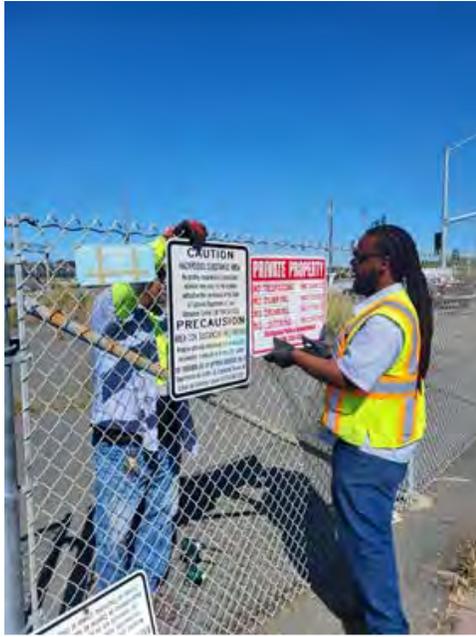


Grind and pave operations on Brentwood Ave

Street sweeping crews swept the following neighborhood council areas on the first Monday and Tuesday and second Wednesday through Friday in: Parchester Village, Hilltop Bayview, Hilltop Green, & Fairmede/Hilltop, Clinton Hill II & Clinton Hill III, Clinton Hill IV & Richmond Heights.



Traffic Signs and Lines crews replaced faded street name signs on San Pablo Ave, installed new Department of Toxic Substances Control (DTSC) and "No Trespassing" signs at Drew Middle and Drew South locations, refreshed crosswalks on 23rd St. at Garvin Ave, set-up and maintained road closures for the Cinco de Mayo festival, and made repairs to several other signs throughout the City.



Install DTSC & No Trespassing signs and crosswalk refresh on 23rd St at Garvin Ave

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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