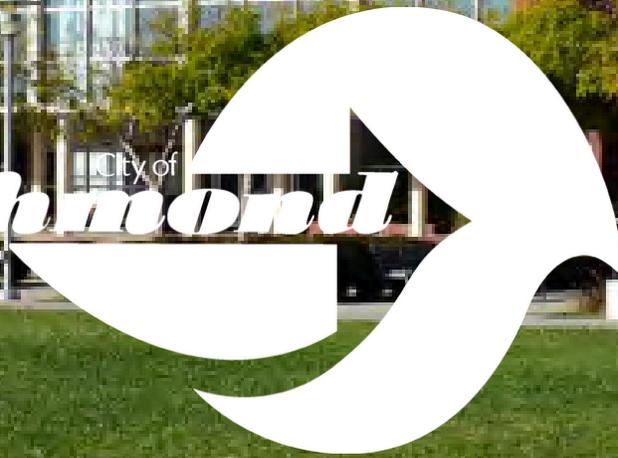


CITY MANAGER'S Weekly

R E P O R T

APRIL 18, 2025

City of
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 or call (510) 620-6512 to provide your feedback!!

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CITY MANAGER'S WEEKLY REPORT

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Connect with us on Social Media!





Upcoming City Council Meeting

The next City Council meeting is scheduled for Tuesday, April 22, 2025. Closed Session begins at 3:30 PM, followed by the Regular Meeting of the Regular City Council Meeting at 5:00 PM. The agenda may be found by clicking on the following link: <http://www.ci.richmond.ca.us/4157/City-of-Richmond-Council-Meetings>



Upcoming Events

Community Budget Meeting

Date: April 23, 2025

Time: 5:30 PM

**Location: Richmond City Council Chamber
440 Civic Center Plaza**

Join us for the final Community Budget Meeting hosted by the City of Richmond’s Finance Department! This is your opportunity to learn about the City’s budget process, gain insight into Richmond’s current financial landscape, and ask questions or share your input directly with staff.

What to Expect:

- An overview of how the City budget works
- A presentation on the City’s finances
- Time for community questions and input

This is your chance to help shape the future of Richmond—don’t miss it!

Help Set Priorities with the Prioritization Tool!

Tell us what matters most to you! Use this interactive tool to rank the City Council’s six Strategic Goal Areas. You can also leave comments or suggest additional priorities. Tip: The tool works best on mobile. On desktop, zooming out can improve the experience.

[Use the Prioritization Tool in English](#)

[Usa la herramienta de priorizacion](#)

Try the Budget Simulation Tool

Where should the money go? Try allocating \$10 million based on the City Council’s strategic goals and priorities. Add your comments or propose new ideas—your feedback will help guide how resources are used.

[Try the simulation in English](#)

[Prueba la simulacion en español](#)

Community BUDGET MEETINGS

Hosted by the Finance Department

You will receive an overview of the City’s budget process and information on the City’s finances. City Staff is also available to answer questions.

April 23 @ 5:30 PM
In-Person and online on Zoom*
Richmond Council Chamber,
440 Civic Center Plaza
www.Zoom.us/join Webinar ID: 953.6472.1794

JOIN US! We look forward to your attendance and input!

FOR INQUIRIES AND MORE INFORMATION:

(510) 620-6591
budget_helpdesk@ci.richmond.ca.us
www.ci.richmond.ca.us/budgetmeetings

*TO PARTICIPATE VIRTUALLY ON 4/10 OR 4/23:
www.Zoom.us/join Webinar ID: 953.6472.1794

A recording of the Community Budget Meeting will be available on YouTube and KCRT-TV after the April 23rd meeting.

Reuniones Comunitarias sobre el Presupuesto Anual de la Ciudad de Richmond

Organizado por el Departamento de Finanzas

Usted recibirá una descripción general del proceso presupuestario de la ciudad e información sobre las finanzas de la ciudad. El personal de la ciudad también estarán disponibles para responder a sus preguntas.

23 de abril @ 5:30PM
En persona y en línea via Zoom*
Consejo Municipal, 440 Civic Center Plaza
www.Zoom.us/join Webinar ID: 953.6472.1794

Únase a nosotros! Esperamos su asistencia y comentarios!

PARA PREGUNTAS Y OBTENER MÁS INFORMACIÓN:

(510) 620-6591
budget_helpdesk@ci.richmond.ca.us
www.ci.richmond.ca.us/budgetmeetings

*PARA PARTICIPAR VIRTUALMENTE, ÚNASE VÍA ZOOM EL 10 O EL 23 DE ABRIL
www.Zoom.us/join Webinar ID: 953.6472.1794

La grabación de la reunión del presupuesto comunitario estará disponible en YouTube y KCRT-TV después de la reunión del 23 de abril.



City Manager's Chronicles

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

- Met with Field Representative Theresa Nevins, staff member for United States Senator Alex Padilla
- Met with UC Berkeley representatives and Community Development Director Lina Velasco
- Provided remarks at the Richmond Neighborhood Coordinating Council meeting regarding the proposed Fiscal Year 2025-26 budget
- Met with Interim RecycleMore Director Steve Duran
- Met with Finance staff to discuss the Fiscal Year 2025-26 draft budget
- Attended the April 15 City Council meeting
- Met with Mayor Martinez to review the draft Fiscal Year 2024-25 Mid-Year budget
- Reviewed and approved agenda reports for the April 22 City Council meeting

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.



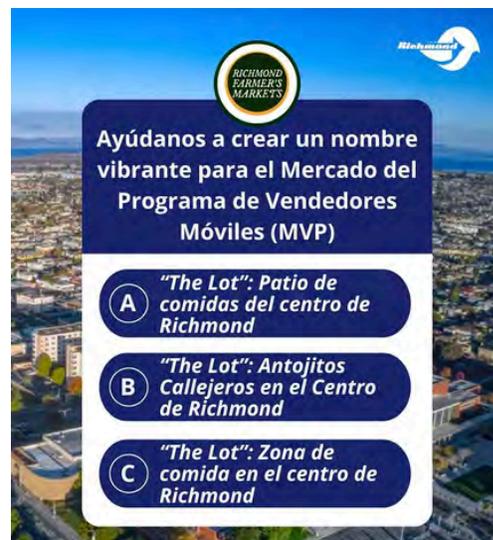


Help us choose a fresh name for the Mobile Vendor Program (MVP) Market

Closing Date: April 25, 2025

The City of Richmond, in collaboration with the Richmond Certified Farmers' Market, has launched a community survey to gather resident feedback on renaming the Mobile Vendor Program (MVP) Market. This effort aims to enhance community identity and engagement through a refreshed market name that better reflects local values and culture.

To participate in the survey visit: <https://cirichmondca.form.transform.civicplus.com/52768>



Recap: Canva Create 2025

Community Service Technician, Abdul Black, attended Canva Create 2025, exploring cutting-edge design tools and AI-powered features that boost productivity, collaboration, and creativity. These innovations will enhance the City's communication, making public materials clearer, more engaging, and accessible. The event sparked fresh ideas to improve citywide outreach and strengthen connections with the Richmond community.





Community Development

BAAQMD Grants for Homeowners to Remove and/or Replace Wood-burning Heaters with Electric Heat Pumps

Deadline to apply: April 30, 2025 at 5:00 PM

The Bay Area Air Quality Management District (BAAQMD) is excited to announce the Clean Heating Efficiently with Electric Technology (Clean HEET) Program has new project options for homeowners to remove and/or replace wood and pellet-burning heating devices with electric heat pumps. The Clean HEET Program is accepting applications with expanded funding options. The deadline to apply is 5:00 PM Pacific Time on April 30, 2025.



If you are interested in applying, you may visit: <https://www.baaqmd.gov/funding-and-incentives/residents/clean-heet-program>



Community Services

Baywork Operations & Maintenance Trades Internships

Paid internships at Bay Area Water/Wastewater agencies. Shadow and assist skilled tradespeople in operations and maintenance while learning safety and repair practices. Includes job referrals and apprenticeship guidance. Apply by April 25, 2025: <https://forms.gle/E8xbpNNYsxcumC2B9>

For more information email: sfbaywork2011@gmail.com

Employment & Training



Experience the work environment of an Operator, Maintenance Mechanic, Maintenance Machinist, Electrician, Instrumentation Tech or Lab Worker at a Bay Area water/wastewater agency. Learn to work safely and responsibly while shadowing and assisting tradespeople as they inspect and repair various operational, mechanical, electrical, and instrumentation systems to ensure efficient operation.

This Program Provides:

- Paid internship at Bay Area water and wastewater agencies
- On the job experience in operations and maintenance trades
- Post-internship referrals to job openings with Bay Area agencies
- Referral to local apprenticeship and civil service testing opportunities

Internship Requirements:

- Completion of at least one semester of either Water Technology, Machine Technology, IMMM certificate training, Industrial Electrical, Electronic, Instrumentation and Controls or Laboratory Sciences programs at a Bay Area Community College, relevant formal apprenticeship, relevant military training, or private trades training program. Equivalent work experience may be considered to satisfy the education requirement
- Possession of a high school diploma or GED
- Possession of the physical characteristics to learn and perform tasks including lifting and carrying tools and equipment weighing 50 lbs. or more
- Given the work is in industrial settings, the candidate must be willing to work outdoors and in inclement weather

Application Process:

- Fill out the online application [here](#).
- Eligible applicants with complete applications will be invited to a phone interview
- Selected qualified applicants will be invited to an in-person interview

Pay Rate
\$20-\$40/hr depending on location.



Program Begins
July 2025

Apply at: <https://forms.gle/E8xbpNNYsxcumC2B9>

Questions? Contact sfbaywork2011@gmail.com

Working Waterfront Coalition– Maritime Jobs

Learn skills and train for an exciting career in the Maritime Industry.

If interested, complete the interest form: <https://tinyurl.com/YWInterestForm>

For more information call: (510) 412-2044

WATERFRONT JOBS.COM HIGH ROAD CALIFORNIA
WORKING WATERFRONT COALITION
MARITIME JOBS

LEARN SKILLS AND TRAIN FOR AN EXCITING CAREER IN THE MARITIME INDUSTRY

- Marine Trades
- Marine Carpenter
- Marine Painter
- Marine Machinist
- Marine Welder
- Water Transportation

TRAINING COURSE

- Marine Trades-10 Weeks
- Deckhands/Senior Deckhands

STIPEND PROVIDED

PREREQUISITES

- HS Diploma/GED (preferred)
- Reading/Math (8th Grade Level)
- CA Driver's License
- Reliable Transportation
- Able to Pass a Drug Test
- Deckhands/Senior Deckhands

Are you interested or would like to learn more?
 Submit an Interest Form!

Contact Us:

- ☎ 510-412-2044
- 🌐 www.ci.richmond.ca.us/662/YouthWORKS
- 📍 330 25th Street, Richmond, CA 94804

SCAN ME!
<https://tinyurl.com/YWInterestForm>

Connect with us on Social Media!

RichmondYouthWORKS
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Launch Your Tech Career – Bay Tech Career Initiative

This program provides young adults aged 18–24 with the opportunity to learn and earn in exciting technology fields like Cybersecurity, Salesforce Administration, Data Science, and more. If interested, complete the interest form: <https://tinyurl.com/YWInterestForm>

For more information call: (510) 412-2044

LAUNCH YOUR TECH CAREER
 W/BAY TECH CAREER INITIATIVE

TRAINING OPPORTUNITIES:

Cybersecurity (14-Weeks)

- Cybersecurity Fundamentals
- HubSpot: Ticketing
- System Management
- Entrepreneurship Awareness

Salesforce Administration (12-Weeks)

- Business Analyst
- System Administration: Setup & Configuration
- Salesforce Trailhead

Data Science (12-Weeks)

- Python Statistical & Object
- Oriented Programming
- Solutions Design

Eligibility:

- 18-24 years of age
- Unemployed / Underemployed
- U.S. Citizens or Eligible to Work in the U.S.
- Social Security Card & Valid Government Issue ID/01
- Selective Service Registration (males 18+)
- Intermediate Computer Skills Required
- Must Be Able to Commit to Hybrid Classes

Are you Interested or would like to learn more?
 Submit an Interest Form!

Benefits:

- Weekly Stipends Available for Attending Classes
- Earn Industry-Recognized Certification
- On-the-Job (OJT) Training Available
- Gain Real-World Experience and Professional Development

SCAN ME!
<https://tinyurl.com/YWInterestForm>

LANZA TU CARRERA TECNOLÓGICA
 CON/INICIATIVA PROFESIONAL DE BAY TECH

OPORTUNIDADES DE ENTRENAMIENTO:

Ciberseguridad (14-Semanas)

- Fundamentos de ciberseguridad
- HubSpot: Ticketing
- Gestión de sistemas
- Concienciación sobre emprendimiento

Administración de Salesforce (12-Semanas)

- Análisis de Negocios
- Administración de Sistemas: Configuración
- Salesforce Trailhead

Data Science (12-Semanas)

- Estadística y Objetos de Python
- Programación Orientada
- Diseño de Soluciones

Requisitos:

- 18-24 años
- Desempleado/subempleado
- Ciudadano estadounidense o con derecho a trabajar en EE. UU.
- Tarjeta del Seguro Social y documento de identidad/licencia de conducir válido emitido por el gobierno
- Registro del Servicio Selectivo (hombres mayores de 18 años)
- Se requieren conocimientos informáticos intermedios
- Debe poder asistir a clases híbridas

¿Te interesa o quieres saber más?
 ¡Envía un formulario de interés!

Beneficios:

- Estipendios semanales disponibles para asistir a clases
- Obtengo una certificación reconocida por la industria
- Capacitación en el trabajo (OJT) disponible
- Adquiere experiencia práctica y desarrollo profesional

SCAN ME!
<https://tinyurl.com/YWInterestForm>

City of Richmond Workforce Development Board & EASTBAYWorks Local & Regional Workforce Development Plans Program Years 2025-2028

Dates: March 19, 2025 – April 19, 2025

The Richmond Workforce Development Board and EASTBAYWorks Local and Regional Plans will be available for a 30-day public review and comment period from March 19, 2025, to April 19, 2025.

For more information, visit:
<https://www.ci.richmond.ca.us/671/Richmond-WDB>



Public Notice

City of Richmond Workforce Development Board & EASTBAYWorks
 Local & Regional Workforce Development Plans
 Program Years 2025-2028

The City of Richmond and EASTBAYWorks will be submitting their Local and Regional Workforce Development Plans for Program Years 2025 through 2028 to the Governor's Workforce Development Board as of April 27, 2025.

As outlined in the Workforce Innovation and Opportunity Act (WIOA) Section 108, Local Plans provide an action plan for operationalizing the road map laid out in the Regional Plan by describing how individuals' access services through the America's Job Centers of California™ (AJCC) system. Local Plans are used to articulate how Local Boards will coordinate with local partners to ensure a person-centered service-delivery.

The Richmond Workforce Development Board's Local Plan will be available for its 30-day public review and comments (March 19, 2025, through April 19, 2025) at the following location:
<https://www.ci.richmond.ca.us/671/Richmond-WDB>

Interested parties may submit comments regarding the proposed Local Plan to the City of Richmond, Workforce Development Board, Employment and Training Department at: info@richmondworks.org

As outlined in the Workforce Innovation and Opportunity Act (WIOA) Section 108 and mandated by the State of California, state-designated workforce regions are required to create new Regional Plans every four years.

EASTBAYWorks, the regional partnership of the Workforce Development boards serving Contra Costa and Alameda Counties and the Cities of Richmond and Oakland, is pleased to release the Draft 2025-2028 Regional Plan for 30-day public comment for the period March 19, 2025 - April 19, 2025.

Developed with input from partners and stakeholders, the regional plan describes goals and strategies for building regionally coordinated workforce services to meet the needs of employers and job seekers in the East Bay region.

The EASTBAYWorks Regional Plan and online comment forms can be found on the [EASTBAYWorks website](https://www.eastbayworks.org). Interested parties may send comments directly to: ebwregionalplancommentbox@gmail.com.

Administrative Medical Assistant Training

Date: May 29, 2025

Location: Castro Valley Adult and Career Education

Register for mandatory orientation every Tuesday and Thursday for administrative medical assistant training. Contact (510)886-1000 or www.Cvadult.org to register.

ADMINISTRATIVE MEDICAL ASSISTANT

You will learn:

- Medical terminology
- Anatomy & Physiology (basic)
- Medical law and ethics
- Telephone management
- Electronic Health Records Management
- Administrative tasks
- Billing, Appointment, & Insurance
- Medical Practice

Class Information:

Dates: 4/15/2025 to 4/22/2025
Days: Tuesday and Thursday
Format: 1 day online, 1 day in-person
Time: 9:00am to 4:00pm
Last Day 44 Required Hours

To Enroll:

- Register for Mandatory Virtual Orientation
- Pass Assessment
- Pay \$1149 Enrollment Fee and English Proficiency Fee
- Pay or wait for funding

\$1149

Call (510) 886-1000 for more information or visit www.Cvadult.org for more information. For more information, visit www.Cvadult.org.

Richmond YouthWORKS – Become a Worksite

Employ today's youth! Become a worksite for Richmond YouthWORKS and give Richmond youth the opportunity to gain valuable job skills for their future.

Apply now: <https://tinyurl.com/YWWorksite> or call (510) 412-2044 for more information.

Richmond YouthWORKS
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BECOME A WORKSITE

- ✓ ASSISTANCE WITH SHORT TERM PROJECTS
- ✓ PROVIDE HANDS ON TRAINING IN YOUR FIELD
- ✓ MENTOR YOUTH THROUGH PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT
- ✓ YOUTHWORKS IS THE PAYROLL ON RECORD

APPLY NOW

https://youthworksformstack.com/forms/step_3ex_3m5cvm_bk4811

Youth Work Experience Program

Calling all Richmond Youth! The YouthWORKS Work Experience program is open and taking applications! Gain valuable skills, work with your local organizations and government bodies, all while getting paid! To view the application, visit: <https://tinyurl.com/YouthWORKSWEX>. If you have any questions or concerns, please call us at (510)412-2044.

Richmond YouthWORKS
2024-2025 RICHMOND YOUTH WORK EXPERIENCE PROGRAM

work experience

- UP TO \$800 MONTH @ \$17.75/HOUR
- DEVELOP WORKFORCE SKILLS, SET CAREER GOALS, & LEARN MORE ABOUT YOUR COMMUNITY
- WORK WITH YOUR LOCAL GOVERNMENT, BUSINESS, COMMUNITY-BASED ORGANIZATIONS, & NON-PROFIT

ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS

- 16-24 YEARS OF AGE
- RICHMOND RESIDENT (PROOF OF RESIDENCY IS REQUIRED)

APPLICATION IS NOW OPEN

APPLY NOW

<https://tinyurl.com/COR-YOUTHWORKS>
 (510) 412-2044
 Youthworks@richmondwex.org

Richmond YouthWORKS
2024-2025 JUVENTUD DE RICHMOND PROGRAMA DE EXPERIENCIA DE TRABAJO

work experience

- HASTA \$800/MES @ \$17.75/HORA
- DESARROLLA HABILIDADES LABORALES, ESTABLECE OBJETIVOS PROFESIONALES Y APRENDE MÁS SOBRE TU COMUNIDAD
- TRABAJA CON SU GOBIERNO LOCAL, EMPRESAS, ORGANIZACIONES COMUNITARIAS Y ORGANIZACIONES SIN FINES DE LUCRO

REQUISITOS DE ELEGIBILIDAD

- 16-24 AÑOS DE EDAD
- RESIDENTE DE RICHMOND (SE REQUIERE PRUEBA DE RESIDENCIA)

APLICACIÓN YA ESTA ABIERTA

APPLY NOW

<https://tinyurl.com/COR-YOUTHWORKS>
 (510) 412-2044
 Youthworks@richmondwex.org

Library & Literacy

April Adult Craft Kit

**Location: Main Library
325 Civic Center Plaza**

Made with busy adults in mind, these kits come with easy crafts so you can take a break and spark some creativity! April's adult kit explores National Journal Writing Month by providing a small journal, a pen, and three colored pencils to ease you into writing a little bit every day.

The cover of the journal is a coloring page. Use the colored pencils to color – another calming activity! Available while supplies last at the Main Library. For more information, call (510) 620-6561. Happy crafting!



Recreation

Come Celebrate Earth Day with the North Richmond Mobile Tool Library!

Date: April 19, 2025
Wildcat Creek Clean Up: 9:00 AM – 11:00 AM
Festival and Activities: 10:30 AM – 2:30 PM
**Location: Shields-Reid Park
1410 Kelsey Street**

Please join the North Richmond Mobile Tool Library for Earth Day 2025 at Shields-Reid Park! This annual celebration features activities for young and old alike including food, live music, a petting zoo and much more !

There will also be a community clean-up of Wildcat Creek hosted by Urban Tilth from 9:00 AM to 11:00 AM for volunteers who wish to support beautification efforts in Richmond. Come join your neighbors and the Richmond community in celebrating Earth Day 2025.

A promotional poster for the Earth Day Festival. The top half features three photos: a group of people at a community clean-up, a close-up of a white goat, and a person working in a garden. The bottom half is a green and white text box with the following information:

EARTH DAY FESTIVAL
EMBRACING OUR POWER, OUR PLANET

JOIN US ON
APRIL 19, 2025 AT
SHIELDS-REID PARK
ADDRESS: 1410 KELSEY STREET, RICHMOND, CA 94801

EVENT SCHEDULE:
CLEANUP & RESTORATION PROJECTS: 9:00-11:00 AM
FESTIVAL ACTIVITIES: 10:30 AM-2:30 PM

Kick off the day with community cleanup and restoration projects led by The Watershed Project and Urban Tilth from 9 AM to 11 AM at Lucky's A Park. Afterward, enjoy live music, a petting zoo, eco-friendly booths, and exciting baseball games!

Visit our website to get more information:
communityhdc.org

For more information, please reach out to:
Kolu Dennis, Community Services Coordinator
(510) 221-2595 or email: kdennis@communityhdc.org

Jointly funded by the City of Richmond & Contra Costa County

Earth Day Celebration

Date: April 19, 2025

Time: 10:00 AM - 1:00 PM

**Location: Unity Park
1605 Ohio Avenue**

Join us for a vibrant Earth Day Celebration as we come together to create a more sustainable future! This exciting event will feature hands-on activities, inspiring speakers, and interactive experiences that empower our community to care for our planet.

Event highlights:

- Tie-Dye Activity
- Smoothie Bike
- Closet Swap & Upcycling Clothing
- Petting Zoo
- Live Music
- Volunteer Opportunities & More!

This celebration is made possible thanks to the California Strategic Growth Council's Transformative Climate Communities Program, City of Richmond, MCE, Republic Services, and Love Your Block!



URBAN TILTH RICHMOND, CA

the watershed project

RICH CITY

FREE EVENT!

EARTH DAY CELEBRATION

**SATURDAY
APRIL 19**

**UNITY PARK 1605 OHIO AVE
10:00 AM - 1:00 PM**

REGISTER FOR FREE TODAY

urbantilth.org/events

Supported by: California Strategic Growth Council's Transformative Climate Communities Program, City of Richmond, MCE, Republic Services, and Love your Block

We are dedicated to making this event accessible to all. If you require any accommodations or have specific accessibility needs, contact us at least two weeks in advance. For more info contact greenway@urbantilth.org

Activities shown: PETTING ZOO, LIVE MUSIC, CLOTHING SWAP

Celebración del Día de la Tierra

Date: April 19, 2025

Time: 10:00AM - 1:00PM

**Location: Unity Park
1605 Ohio Avenue**

¡Únete a una celebración vibrante del Día de la Tierra para unirnos y crear un futuro más sostenible! Este evento contará con actividades prácticas, ponentes inspiradoras y experiencias interactivas que empoderarán a nuestra comunidad a cuidar nuestro planeta.

Aspectos destacados del evento:

- Actividad de teñido anudado
- Bicicleta de batidos
- Intercambio y reciclaje de ropa
- Zoológico interactivo
- Música en vivo
- Oportunidades de voluntariado ¡y mucho más!

Esta celebración es posible gracias al Programa de Comunidades Climáticas Transformadoras del Consejo de Crecimiento Estratégico de California, la Ciudad de Richmond, MCE, Republic Services y Love Your Block.



URBAN TILTH RICHMOND, CA

the watershed project

RICH CITY

¡EVENTO SIN COSTO!

CELEBRACIÓN DÍA DE LA TIERRA

SÁBADO 19 DE ABRIL

**UNITY PARK 1605 OHIO AVE
10:00 AM - 1:00 PM**

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urbantilth.org/events

Con el apoyo de: California Strategic Growth Council's Transformative Climate Communities Program, City of Richmond, MCE, Republic Services, y Love your Block

Para más detalles, puedes contactar a greenway@urbantilth.org

¡Te invitamos a hacer que este evento sea accesible para todos. Si requiere alguna adaptación o tiene necesidades de accesibilidad particulares, por favor, contáctanos con al menos dos semanas de anticipación.

Activities shown: ZOOLOGICO DE MASCOTAS, MUSICA EN VIVO, INTERCAMBIO DE ROPA

Park Rx Day

Date: April 26, 2025

Time: 10:00 AM – 1:00 PM

**Location: Nicholl Park
3230 Macdonald Avenue**

Looking for a fun way to spend your Saturday outdoors? Join us for a day of health, nature, and well-being at our Annual Park Rx Day event on Saturday, April 26 from 10:00 AM to 1:00 PM at Nicholl Park! Play family games, chat with a healthcare professional, learn about local resources, and get active with interactive activities like relay races, free Zumba classes, and more!

Want to host an activity or resource table? Contact us at (510)620-6793.



City of Richmond
Community Services - Recreation

Park Rx Day

Join us for a day with nature at the park to improve your health and well-being. Bring your family and friends! Make new friends and learn about community resources!

Highlights:

- Picnic in the Park - Free Lunch
- Play Family Games
- Chat with Healthcare Professionals
- Get Moving - Free Community Fitness Classes

**Saturday, April 26th, 2025
10:00 AM - 1:00 PM**

**Nicholl Park
3230 Macdonald Ave,
Richmond**

Park Rx Day is a partnership between the City of Richmond, Kaiser Permanente, and the California Department of Public Health. For more information, visit www.richco-communityservices.org or call 510 620 6793.

Cinco de Mayo Festival

Date: May 4, 2025

Time: 10:00 AM – 5:00 PM

**Location: 23rd Street between
Clinton Avenue and Rheem Avenue**

Come and enjoy the 20th Annual Cinco de Mayo Festival on Sunday, May 4! There will be food, music, and live entertainment for the entire family!

Calling All Vendors!

If you're interested in becoming a vendor. Don't miss this great opportunity to be part of a fun and vibrant event spaces may fill up fast!

<https://www.23rdstreetmerchants.com/vendor-form>



23rd Street Merchants Association

23RD ST COMMUNITY FOUNDATION INC.

Invites you to the 20th annual
Cinco de Mayo
FESTIVAL IN RICHMOND

When: Sunday May 4 2025
Time: 10am to 5pm
Where: 23rd Street between Clinton Ave & Rheem Ave

There will be Food, Music and Live Entertainment for the entire family!!



THANKS TO OUR SPONSORS!!

93.3 PIZZA, La Strada Restaurant, Modesto Bank, Chevron, RIBBS, CHEVY, MCE, and others.

For sponsorship information go to www.23rdstreetmerchants.com
call 510-233-1866 or email 23rdstreetmerchantsa@gmail.com

41st Annual Senior Information & Health Fair

Date: May 21, 2025

Time: 10:00 AM – 1:00 PM

**Location: Richmond Memorial Auditorium
403 Civic Center Plaza**

Come out to our 41st Annual Senior Information & Health Fair! We will have informational vendors, entertainment, interactive exercises 50/50 door prize and much more. If you would like to be a informational vendor, please reach out to Tania_swartz@ci.richmond.ca.us or call (510)620-6812.

PRESENTED BY THE CITY OF RICHMOND
COMMUNITY SERVICES-RECREATION

41ST ANNUAL SENIOR INFORMATION & HEALTH FAIR

WEDNESDAY, MAY 21, 2025

**RICHMOND MEMORIAL AUDITORIUM
403 CIVIC CENTER PLAZA
RICHMOND, CA 94804**

**TIME
10AM-1PM**

50/50 DOOR PRIZE
INFORMATIONAL VENDORS
INTERACTIVE EXERCISES
DEMONSTRATIONS
ENTERTAINMENT & SO MUCH MORE!
SIGN UP EARLY - ONLY 44 VENDOR TABLES
AVAILABLE

VENDOR APP

FOR VENDOR OR
EVENT INFO

510-620-6812

Parks Make Life Better!

PRESENTADO POR LA CIUDAD DE RICHMOND
SERVICIOS COMUNITARIOS-RECREACIÓN

41ST ANUAL INFORMACIÓN SUPERIOR Y FERIA DE SALUD

MIÉRCOLES 21 DE MAYO DE 2025

**AUDITORIO MEMORIAL DE RICHMOND
403 CENTRO CÍVICO PLAZA
RICHMOND, CA 94804**

**TIEMPO
10 A.M. A 1 P.M.**

PREMIO DE PUERTAS 50/50 VENDEDORES
DE INFORMACIÓN EJERCICIOS
INTERACTIVOS DEMOSTRACIONES
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¡Y MUCHO MÁS!
REGISTRATE TEMPRANO, SOLAMENTE 44
MESAS DISPONIBLES

VENDOR APP

PARA INFORMACIÓN
DEL PROVEEDOR O
DEL EVENTO

510-620-6812

Parks Make Life Better!

Contra Costa Legal Services Workshops

**Location: Annex Senior Center
5801 Huntington Avenue**

Contra Costa Legal Services will be at the Annex Senior Center providing workshops regarding various senior topics. Please see flyer for specific dates and times. For further information, please call us at the Annex Senior Center (510) 620-6812.

**CONTRA COSTA LEGAL SERVICES
WORKSHOPS AT THE ANNEX
SENIOR CENTER**

Home Ownership Protection for Elders
February 26, 2025 at 1:00pm - 2:30pm

Safeguarding your Assets from Scams and Identity Theft
March 26, 2025 at 1:00pm - 2:30pm

Advance Health Care Directives and Powers of Attorney
April 23, 2025 at 1:00pm - 2:30pm

Appointments for Wills
Must preregister
May 28, 2025 at 12:30pm - 2:30pm

Appointments for Small Claims
Must preregister
June 11, 2025 at 12:30pm - 2:30pm

Appointments for Power of Attorney
Must preregister
June 25, 2025 at 12:30pm - 2:30pm

5801 Huntington Avenue
Richmond CA 94804
510 620 - 6812

Richmond Senior Center Lunch Program

Time: 12:00 PM - 1:00 PM

**Location: Richmond Senior Center
2525 Macdonald Avenue**

Richmond Senior Center offers \$3 lunches for seniors 60+ and \$6 for ages 55-59, Monday to Friday. Please come in and fill out a lunch application. For more info, call (510)307-8087.



Soul Line Dancing

Dates: Tuesdays and Thursdays

Time: 12:00 PM - 1:30 PM

**Location: Richmond Senior Center
2525 Macdonald Avenue**

Soul Line dancing is a fun class to learn new moves, make new friends and exercising all in one. Come and join us every Tuesday & Thursday from 12:00 PM to 1:30 PM. For more information, call (510)620-6793.



Recap: Point Richmond Spring Fling Street Party

Location: Park Place, Point Richmond

Hundreds gathered on a bright, sunny day in Point Richmond on April 5th for their Spring Fling Street Party! Neighbors explored local vendors, enjoyed music, and participated in plenty of children's games and activities. Overall, it was a great way to ring in spring time!



Recap: Spring Break Camp

Location: Richmond Recreation Complex

Thank you for joining us for spring break camp! We had an amazing week filled with fun activities, laughter, and new friendships. We appreciate you allowing us to be a part of your child's spring break. We hope they had a great time and we look forward to seeing you again soon! For information on future camps, please call (510)620-6793.



Recap: Spring Egg Hunt

Location: Nicholl Park

Thank you for coming out and joining us for our Spring Egg Hunt! We hope your family had a wonderful time searching for colorful eggs and enjoying the fun. It was great seeing everyone come together and celebrate the season. We look forward to seeing you at our next event! Call us at (510) 620-6793 if you want to know about our next events!



Elevate Summer Camp Program

Days: Monday – Friday, June 16 through August 8

Time: 10:00 AM–4:00 PM

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

Give your child an unforgettable summer filled with adventure, learning, and fun! Our Elevate summer camp offers exciting outdoor activities, field trips, and team-building games in a safe, supportive environment. Campers build confidence, make new friends, and create lifelong memories. Sign up today for an enriching and exciting summer experience! Call (510)620-6793 for more information.



2025 ELEVATE SUMMER CAMP

REGISTRATION BEGINS APRIL 1ST

MAY VALLEY COMMUNITY CENTER
RICHMOND RECREATION COMPLEX

KINDER-8TH GRADE
JUNE 16–AUG 8

MONDAY-FRIDAY
EARLY CARE 8AM - 10AM
CAMP 10AM - 4PM
EXTENDED CARE 4PM - 6PM

CAMP RATES
\$100 RESIDENT/WEEK
\$125 NON-RESIDENT/WEEK
\$30/WEEK EARLY CARE
\$30/WEEK EXTENDED CARE

More Info : (510) 620-6793

REGISTER ONLINE AT:
tinyurl.com/richmondrecreation

IN-PERSON REGISTRATION
3230 MACDONALD AVE

Achieve Summer Camp

Dates: Monday–Friday, June 16 through August 8

Time: 10:00 AM - 4:00 PM

**Community Centers: Booker T. Anderson: 960 S 47th St
Nevin: 598 Nevin Ave
Parchester: 900 Williams Dr
Shields Reid: 1410 Kelsey St**

Give your child an unforgettable summer filled with adventure, learning, and fun! Our Achieve summer camp offers exciting outdoor activities, field trips, team-building games, and enrichment providers in a safe, supportive environment. Campers build confidence, make new friends, and create lifelong memories. Sign-ups begin May 1 at each site. Don't miss out! Call (510)620-6793 for more information.



2025 ACHIEVE SUMMER Camp

Monday-Friday
K-8TH Grade
FREE

BOOKER T ANDERSON
NEVIN, PARCHESTER
SHIELDS-REID

JUNE 16–AUG 8, 2025
10AM–4PM

REGISTRATION BEGINS AT EACH SITE
MAY 1ST

IN COLLABORATION WITH THE WEST CONTRA COSTA PUBLIC ED FUND, THE RICHMOND COMMUNITY SERVICES RECREATION DIVISION IS OFFERING A FREE SUMMER CAMP AT FOUR(4) OF OUR COMMUNITY CENTERS. CAMPERS WILL PARTICIPATE IN ACADEMIC CURRICULUM TAUGHT BY ACCREDITED TEACHERS WITH THE SUPPORT OF RICHMOND RECREATION STAFF AND YOUTH WORKERS. CAMPERS WILL ALSO PARTICIPATE IN ART & CRAFTS ACTIVITIES, HIGH ENERGY GROUP GAMES, MOVEMENT ACTIVITIES, FIELD TRIPS, AND SO MUCH MORE! JOIN TODAY TO MAKE NEW FRIENDS AND RECONNECT WITH OLD ONES!

FOR MORE INFORMATION CALL (510) 620-6793

Awareness Through Movement

Dates: Tuesdays and Thursdays

Time: 10:45 AM – 12:00 PM

**Location: Richmond Senior Center
2525 Macdonald Avenue**

Awareness Through Movement is a class that helps with bending, lifting, & reaching with ease. It is not yoga, but a class that helps you become aware of every movement. Class is given every Tuesday and Thursday. Come and join us at 10:45 AM. For more information, call (510)307-8087.



Transportation

Become a Bike Ambassador for the City of Richmond's Electric Bikeshare Program

Want to make a difference in your community? Become a Richmond Bike Ambassador and help expand access to e-bikes! You'll engage with residents, promote safe riding, and gain valuable leadership experience—all while enjoying free rides. Join us in creating a greener, more connected Richmond—sign up today!

Form Link:

<https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSebEIEkwuhG0nqvYwrcsPbA5xjeMbrgUT5XEDS8-JwTf7YJqg/viewform?usp=dialog>

Rewards:

- Free Rides on Richmond's Electric Bikeshare
- Hands-on Community Engagement Experience
- Job Readiness & Customer Service Training
- Help build a more sustainable & bike-friendly Richmond
- Connect with local organizations and businesses

Sign Up Today!



today
Powering a New Era of Travel

Senior Transportation in Richmond!

In Richmond, we believe mobility is essential for independence and quality of life. That's why our Senior Transportation Programs offer safe, reliable, and accessible services for older adults and individuals with disabilities. Whether it's wheelchair-accessible vans or personalized door-to-door rides, we're committed to helping you get where you need to go — with dignity and ease. Let us help you stay connected to your community.

Call (510)307-8026 for more information.



Richmond
SENIOR AND DISABLED
TRANSPORTATION SERVICES
**R-TRANSIT
SERVICES**
AVAILABLE NOW!

- MEDICAL APPOINTMENTS
- GROCERY SHOPPING
- FAMILY VISITS
- PARK OUTINGS
- PUBLIC TRANSIT (BART/BUS STATION)
- GROUP EXCURSIONS
- BANKING ERRANDS
- COMMUTES TO WORK

<https://www.cj.richmond.ca.us/Rtransit>
(510) 307 - 8026



Economic Development

Arts & Culture

Learn about Teaching at Richmond Art Center

Richmond Art Center is seeking passionate, community-focused teaching artists to lead visual arts programs for youth and adults, both on-site and off-site. Artists with experience in cultural arts, youth engagement, and bilingual/multilingual skills are strongly encouraged to apply.

Click the following link to see the job descriptions and application instructions:

<https://richmondartcenter.org/about/jobs/>



Recap: 12th annual East Bay Innovation Awards

Congratulations to RCF Connects (Richmond Community Foundation) for winning the Community Impact Award at the 12th Annual East Bay Innovation Awards on March 27th! With over 25 years of service in Richmond and Contra Costa County, RCF Connects continues to advance its mission of building healthy, thriving, and equitable communities. The City's Economic Development Team encourages more Richmond businesses to apply for these annual awards, which honor innovation across Alameda and Contra Costa counties.



Report Air Quality and Odor Complaints to the Bay Area Air District

Report air quality and odor complaints to the Bay Area Air Quality Management District (BAAQMD) by completing the online complaint form <https://permits.baaqmd.gov/aq#/complaints/complaint-overview> or calling BAAQMD's 24-hour toll-free hotline at 1-800-334-6367.

Community members play a vital role in identifying air pollution events and often provide the first alert for air quality problems. Common types of complaints include: odors, dust or chemical air pollutants emitted by industrial plants, refineries, neighborhood businesses, gas station nozzles, idling trucks, locomotives and buses; and smoke from agricultural fires, controlled burns, non-cooking backyard fires, and outdoor trash burning.

For more information, please visit the Bay Area Air District's Air Pollution Complaints website, www.baaqmd.gov/en/online-services/air-pollution-complaints.

Report an air quality complaint online or call our 24-hour toll-free complaint line.

<p>General Air Pollution Complaints</p> <p>1-800-334-ODOR (1-800-334-6367)</p>  <p>Report a complaint about odors, smoke, dust, or other air pollutants from refineries, gas stations, asbestos, idling trucks, locomotives and buses, open burning, and other commercial, manufacturing, and industrial facilities and operations.</p> <p>REPORT A COMPLAINT →</p>	<p>Wood Smoke Complaints</p> <p>1-877-4NO-BURN (1-877-466-2876)</p>  <p>Report a complaint about smoke from indoor wood-burning devices such as fireplaces and wood stoves. Wood burning is prohibited when a Spare the Air alert is in effect, year-round. Learn more at www.sparetheair.org.</p> <p>REPORT A COMPLAINT →</p>	<p>Smoking Vehicles Complaints</p> <p>1-800-EXHAUST (1-800-394-2878)</p>  <p>Report a complaint about excessive exhaust from cars, trucks or buses. For more information about programs for which your smoking vehicle might qualify, please visit the Vehicle Buy Back Program.</p> <p>REPORT A COMPLAINT →</p>
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BAY AREA AIR QUALITY MANAGEMENT DISTRICT
AIR POLLUTION COMPLAINTS

COMPLAINT INFORMATION

Welcome to the Air District's online complaint reporting system. You may report air quality complaints that occur within the nine Bay Area counties (Alameda, Contra Costa, Marin, Napa, San Francisco, San Mateo, Santa Clara, southwestern Solano and southern Sonoma). All complaints will be investigated to ensure compliance with air quality rules and regulations. Please answer a few questions to help us investigate your complaint.

WHAT TYPE OF COMPLAINT IS IT?

 ODOR	 DUST/SMOKE/PARTICULATES	 ASBESTOS
 GAS STATION	 ILLEGAL FIRE	 WOODSMOKE
 SMOKING VEHICLE	 OTHER	

EXAMPLES OF TYPES OF COMPLAINTS OUTSIDE OF AIR DISTRICT JURISDICTION & AUTHORITY

- Aircraft Contrails
- Odors associated with Composting
- Mold
- Indoor Air Quality
- Noise
- Vaping / Marijuana / Cigarette Smoke
- Recreational Barbeque
- Agricultural Odors or Dust associated with Crop Growing or Livestock Raising



Human Resources

City of Richmond – Job Opportunities

Discover your purpose with us at the City of Richmond. Explore our current job openings and detailed job descriptions at <https://www.governmentjobs.com/careers/richmondca>



JOB OPPORTUNITIES

JOB TITLE	JOB TYPE	CLOSING
Administrative Student Intern	Part Time	Continuous
Communications Dispatcher I	Full Time	Continuous
Communications Dispatcher II	Full Time	Continuous
Deputy City Attorney / Assistant City Attorney	Full Time	4/28/2025
Equipment Mechanic, Senior	Full Time	Open Until Filled
Learner Coordinator	Part Time	Continuous
Lifeguard	Part Time	Continuous
Lifeguard/Senior Lifeguard	Permanent Part Time	Open Until Filled
Maintenance Aide II	Part Time	Continuous
Office Aide	Part Time	Continuous
Office Clerk - Cashier	Part Time	Continuous
Peacekeeper	Stipend	Continuous
Police Cadet	Part Time	Continuous
Police Officer Academy Grad (Direct)	Full Time	Continuous
Police Officer Lateral	Full Time	Continuous
Police Officer Trainee	Exempt	Continuous
Public Services Support Librarian	Part Time	Continuous
Recreation Program Aide	Part Time	Continuous
Recreation Program Leader	Part Time	Continuous
Recreation Program Specialist	Part Time	Continuous
School Crossing Guard	Part Time	Continuous
Senior Assistant City Attorney (Labor and Employment)	Full Time	4/28/2025



FOR MORE INFORMATION, VISIT:

[GOVERNMENTJOBS.COM/CAREERS/RICHMONDCA](https://www.governmentjobs.com/careers/richmondca)



Information Technology

KCRT Datanet for the Week

Community
BUDGET
MEETINGS

You will receive an overview of the City of Richmond's budget process and information on the City's finances. City Staff is also available to answer questions.

April 23rd at 5:30PM

Richmond City Council Chamber
440 Civic Center Plaza

In-Person and on Zoom
www.Zoom.us/join
Webinar ID: 953 6472 1794

Programming

New "NewsBytes" and Regular Series Episodes:

- New episodes of "Best of California," "The Jet Set," "White House Chronicle," "California Bountiful," "Baby Blue Arts," "Creature Features," and "Sidewalks Entertainment."

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

- Police Commission on Parking Enforcement
- City of Richmond's Black History Month Celebration
- Boorman Park Groundbreaking
- Legacy Court Groundbreaking
- RNCC's Black History Month celebration
- Richmond Police Department's 2024 Exceptional Service Awards Ceremon

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



IMS: New Permitting System Launching April 28, 2025

We are excited to announce that the City will transition to a new permitting system, IMS, starting Monday, April 28, 2025. This will be for permitting, planning and code enforcement activities.

This new system will provide a more streamlined and user-friendly experience for submitting and tracking permit applications.

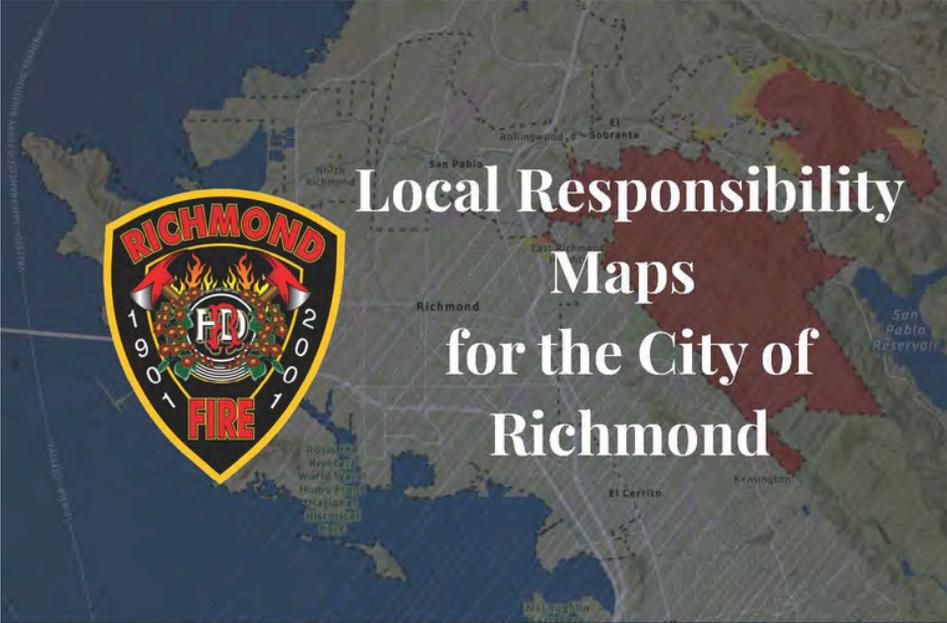
Please note that the last day to submit applications in eTRAKiT will be Tuesday, April 23, 2025, by end of day. After this date, eTRAKiT will no longer accept new submissions. Staff members will not be able to accept new applications until Monday, April 28, 2025.

We appreciate your patience during this transition and encourage you to plan accordingly.



Fire Hazard Severity Zones (FHSZ) Local Responsibility Area Maps (LRA)

On February 24, 2025, the Office of State Fire Marshal (OSFM) issued Phase II of the recommended Fire Hazard Severity Zones (FHSZ) Local Responsibility Area (LRA), which includes the City of Richmond. The Richmond Fire Department has created a website regarding the new LRA maps which contains information about the affected areas, City of Richmond before-and-after maps, instructions on how to submit public comments, as well as facts and an informational video from OSFM. Refer to the website for updates and additional information. Richmond residents are encouraged to visit the website and submit public comments by following instructions on the link below: <https://www.ci.richmond.ca.us/4780/Fire-Hazard-Severity-Zones-in-Local-Resp>



Local Responsibility Maps for the City of Richmond

INTERACTIVE MAPS ARE AVAILABLE



Scan the QR Code
or visit
www.ci.richmond.ca.us/LRA

Richmond Fire Department - Fire Prevention Services Division
440 Civic Center Plaza Richmond, CA 94804
Phone: (510) 307-8037
Fax: 510-307-8048

Recap: Fire Prevention Services Division Installs Knox Box

The Richmond Fire Department Fire Prevention Services Division partnered with the Parks and Public Works Department to install a Knox Box at the City's Parks Yard. This joint effort enhances emergency access and improves response efficiency, ensuring firefighters can rapidly enter the facility during critical incidents without delay or forced entry.



Recap: Recruit Academy Update

Recruits of the 2025-01 Richmond Fire Academy advanced their training with firefighter safety and survival drills in smoke-filled structure scenarios. Fire hose evolutions emphasized deployment, advancement, and water flow, while ropes and knots training introduced essential rescue skills. Their hands-on progress reflects growing tactical confidence and strong teamwork under realistic, high-pressure conditions.





Recap: Promotional Ceremony

On April 6th, the Richmond Police Department (RPD) held a promotional ceremony, honoring three newly promoted personnel. Lieutenant Erik Oliver, Sergeant Richard Ramos, and Sergeant Michael Sagan were promoted to their new roles in the RPD leadership team. We congratulate them on their well-deserved promotions!



Recap: Dispatcher Appreciation Week

The week of April 14th has been designated as National Public Safety Telecommunicators Week recognizes the hard work of our dispatchers, who work 24/7 answering our community's calls for help. On average,, they answer 235,000 calls every year! We thank them for their hard work and service to the community.



Recap: Street Sweeping Enforcement

Starting Monday, 4/15, the Parking Enforcement team was out in force enforcing street sweeping time zones. After several public forums and social media posts, enforcement has resumed. Within the first several days of enforcement, several hundred citations have been issued.





Public Works

Abatement

Crews performed the following tasks this week:

- In collaboration with Republic Services and Sims Metal Recycling:
 - Hosted the Carriage Hills North and South/Castro Heights Neighborhoods Dumpster Day
 - Collected seven dumpsters of debris and assisted 40 seniors and disabled citizens
- Abated:
 - Weeds from City owned properties and alleyways
 - Debris from various homeless encampments citywide
 - 66 tons of illegally dumped debris throughout the city (including 60 mattresses, 82 tires and approximately 30 gallons of oil/paint)
 - Removed graffiti from various locations throughout the city
 - Completed 70 Trak-it® cases



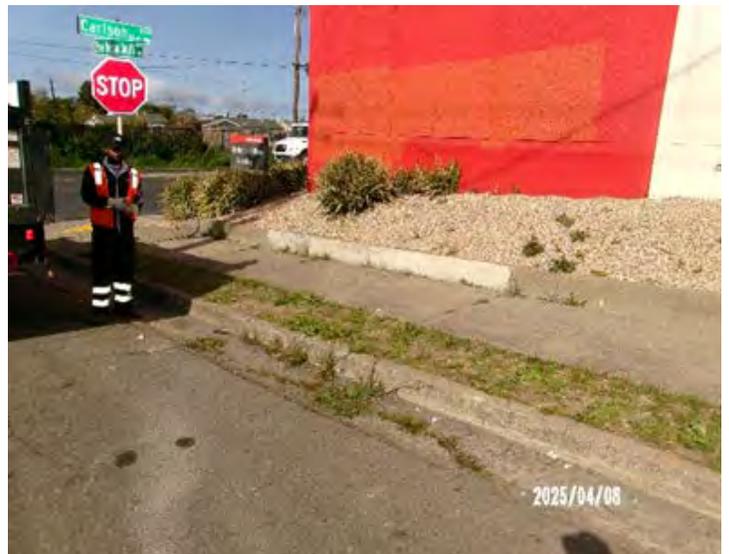
Carriage Hills Dumpster Day



Encampments Abatement



Weed Abatement



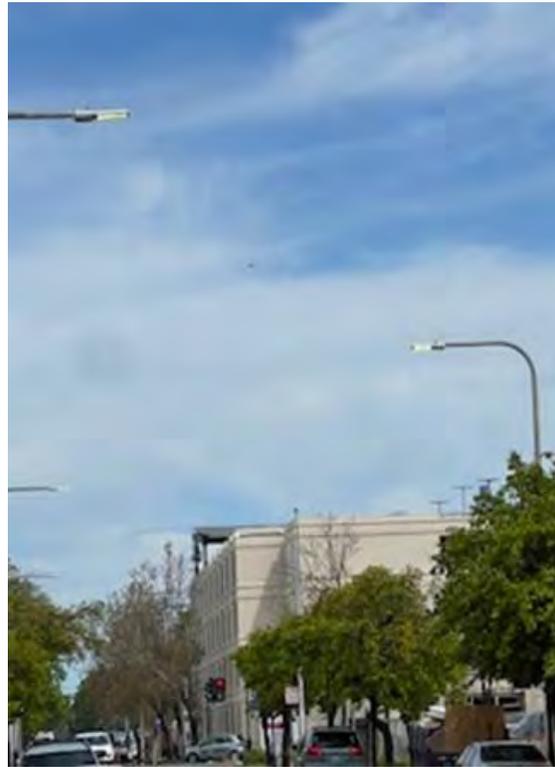
Graffiti & Illegal Dumping Abatement (before and after)

Electrical Shop

Work completed this past week:

- Repaired green indication outage at the intersection of Regatta Avenue & Marina Bay Parkway
- Repaired green indication outage at the intersection of Castro Street & Hensley Street
- Repaired yellow and green indication outage at the intersection of Hilltop Mall Road & Hillview Drive
- Repaired street light outage at the intersection of 23rd Avenue & Bissell Avenue
- Repaired green indication outage at the intersection Blume Drive & Klose Way
- Repaired lighting issues in the Fire Chief's Office
- Completed installation of upgraded lighting for Mechanics Bay
- Electricians completed training for:
 - High Work and Overhead Powerline Safety
 - Bucket Truck Safety
- Installed electrical infrastructure for cameras at the following locations:
 - Nicholl Park on MacDonalld Avenue
 - Unity Park
 - 15th Street & Cutting Boulevard
 - Marina Way & Macdonalld Avenue
 - Civic Center Parking Lot
- Closed out four Trak-it® cases
- Processed 87 requests for Underground Utility Markings





Completed street light outage vandalism repairs at 6th, 7th, 8th Street & Bissell Avenue

Facilities Maintenance

Crews performed the following tasks this week:

- Daily routine cleaning and maintenance of all City owned buildings
- Work completed:
 - Replaced batteries in clocks across multiple Community Centers
 - Arranged a classroom setup with tables and chairs for training in the Council Chamber
 - Replaced several light bulbs throughout City Hall
 - Removed spider webs from the front entrance area of Shields Reid Community Center



Replaced clock battery at Parks Yard



Removing spider webs at Shields Reid

Stationary Engineer

Crews performed the following tasks this week:

- Daily inspection and daily maintenance of:
 - Richmond Swim Center
 - Richmond Plunge
 - City Hall Civic Center devices:
 - Boilers
 - Circulating pumps
 - Sump pumps
- Repaired a leak on the Chlorine Injection Line for the Indoor Pool at the Richmond Swim Center
- Assisted Parks Department with repairs to the women's toilet at Shimada Friendship Park
- Repaired leaking condensate return line on Boiler #5 in the Boiler Room of the Community Services Building
- Repaired aftercooler pressure tubing on the air compressor in Equipment Services at the Corporation Yard



Replaced Chlorine Injection Line



Repaired Condensate Return Line

Permits and Land Development

Permits completed:

- Encroachment Permit – 14
- Certificate of Compliance (Sewer Lateral Video Review) – 1
- Certificate of Compliance (full line replacement) – 3
- Transportation – 4
- Sewer Lateral Grant – 1

Inspections completed:

- Initial – 9
- Asphalt – 4
- Concrete – 4
- Traffic Control – 64
- Final – 10
- Back Fill – 1
- Customers Served at Counter – 13
- Field inspection on the public right-of-way:
 - As part of the new community development near 2301 Columbia Blvd., City Ventures Construction INC has installed new sidewalks, curbs, gutters, and pavement, enhancing both accessibility and aesthetics in the area.



New Toll Canopy on Route 580 (Richmond- San Rafael Bridge)



The Richmond-San Rafael (RSR) Bridge Open Road Tolling and Interstate 580 Westbound Carpool Lane Project is a part of the Bay Area Toll Authority's Open Road Tolling (ORT) program to replace the current, aging toll systems on the region's seven state-owned bridges. The project seeks to provide safety and operational improvements on westbound I-580 approaching the RSR Bridge by:

- Converting one of the three existing general-purpose lanes into an carpool lane, beginning just west of the westbound I-580 on-ramp from Regatta Boulevard
- Replacing the existing tolling structure with overhead toll gantries east of the existing toll booths
- Providing transit priority for Golden Gate Transit Route 580

Construction begins in May 2025. Stenmark Drive will be closed starting in September or October 2025. Stenmark Drive closure will take place until May 2026.



Stenmark Drive Ramp closure during staging

Park Maintenance

General Fund crews:

- Trimmed trees at Crescent Park
- Repaired a broken irrigation valve at John F. Kennedy Park
- Abated weeds and edged turf at Booker T. Anderson Park
- Abated weeds and trimmed trees at Kennedy Swim Center and Booker T. Anderson Park
- Repaired an irrigation break at Tiller Park
- Repaired a hole in fence at the Corporation Yard
- Trimmed shrubs at along Barrett Avenue at the Civic Center Plaza
- Abated weeds at the Fire Training Center
- Abated weeds along Carlson Boulevard medians from S.37th Street to Cutting Boulevard
- Hand-pulled weeds along the Nunn Sound Wall
- Abated weeds along the Tiller Sound Wall
- Raised the canopy on a tree at 909 S. 43rd Street
- Pruned trees in front of 2641 Esmond Avenue



Fire Training Center (before and after)



Weed abatement on Carlson Boulevard medians (before and after)

Hilltop District crews:

- Removed trash in the Hilltop District area
- Mowed Bay Vista, Country Club, and Vista Del Mar Parks
- Weed Abatement on Richmond Parkway from Giant Road to San Pablo Avenue
- Finished planting and mulching the median at Research Drive
- Cleaned and mulched the Hilltop Mall Landscape Office



Research Drive (before and after)

Street Maintenance

The Pavement Maintenance crew performed repairs at the following locations:

- Resurfaced Grant Avenue from 25th Street to 30th Street
- Filled potholes from the outstanding Trak-it[®] list





Grinder, prep work, and paving operations on Grant Avenue

Street sweeping crews swept the following neighborhood council areas:

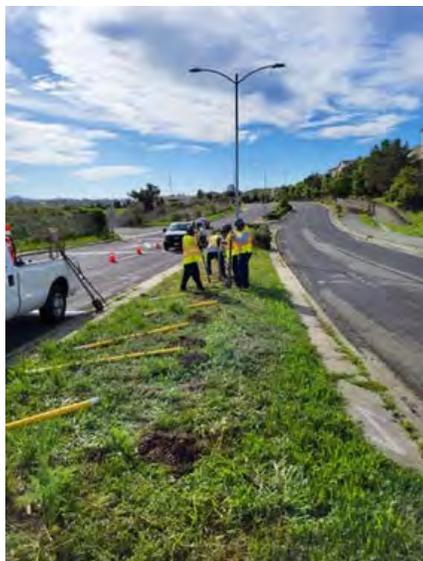
- May Valley
- Vista View
- Clinton Hill I
- North Richmond
- Iron Triangle
- North Belding Woods
- Atchison Village
- South Belding Woods
- Santa Fe
- Coronado
- Marina Bay
- Point Richmond



Sweeping Atchison Village and North Richmond neighborhoods

Traffic Signs and Lines crews:

- Installed new delineators on Richmond Parkway at Ohio Avenue and Atlas Road at Giant Highway railroad crossing quiet zones
- Replaced damaged and faded stop signs on Giant Highway at Atlas Road
- Installed new no parking signs in Point Richmond
- Refreshed red curb in Point Richmond
- Repaired stop message on Clinton Avenue at 30th Street
- Closed out two outstanding Trak-it® issues



Delineator installation and stop sign repair on Atlas Rd

Street Sweeping Parking Restrictions:

As announced at the March and April Richmond Neighborhood Coordination Council Meetings and the April 1, 2025, City Council Meeting, street sweeping parking enforcement resumed on April 15, 2025. Courtesy notices were placed on vehicles in March and early April. Check www.ci.richmond.ca.us/72/Street-Maintenance for the street sweeping schedule.



Public Works provides two self-fill sandbag stations for Richmond residents:

- 10 Harbour Way, located on Harbour Way at the Greenway
- 5100 Hartnett Ave, Bayview Library parking lot



Sandbag Fill Station 1 - Harbour Way at the Greenway



Sandbag Fill Station 2 - 5100 Hartnett Ave, Bayview Library parking lot

Water Resource Recovery

Sewer Lateral Grant Program

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

The program is open and accepting applications for the Fiscal Year 2024-25 for sewer lateral work completed between 07/01/2024 – 06/30/2025.

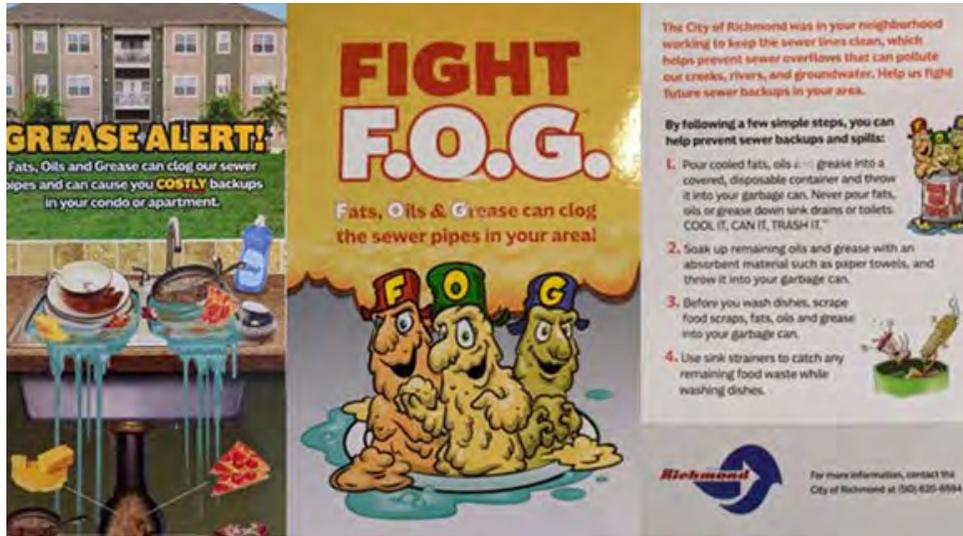
- **As of 04/14/2025, 42 grants have been awarded**

The program will reimburse applicants up to \$1,800 of the cost of a full sewer line replacement. For more information about the Sewer Lateral Grant Program, please visit www.ci.richmond.ca.us/2130/Sewer-Lateral-Grant-Program or call 510-620-5509.

Fats Oils & Grease (FOG)

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

For more information about Fats, Oils, and Grease (FOG), please call (510) 620-5509.



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

¡POR FAVOR! ¡NO PONGA GRASA POR EL DRENAJE! La grasa sigue siendo un problema en el sistema de alcantarillado sanitario y en la planta de tratamiento de alcantarillado de Richmond. La grasa obstruye las tuberías y puede ser perjudicial para la función de la planta.

Para obtener más información sobre aceites y grasas (FOG), llame al (510) 620-5509.





Rent Program

Richmond Rent Program Live Webinar: Purchasing a Rental in Richmond (Realtor, New Owner & Perspective Buyer Oriented)

Date: April 29th, 2025

Time: 5:00 PM

Location: City Council Chamber
440 Civic Plaza

Registration is required using this link:

https://us02web.zoom.us/webinar/register/WN_itkPcW0yQPq8lupmIdQZIA

This is a Live Webinar on Tuesday, April 29, 2025, at 5:00 PM. This live webinar is designed for Richmond Realtors, New Owners and Perspective Buyers to learn their rights and responsibilities on purchasing rentals in Richmond under the Fair Rent, Just Cause for Eviction, and Homeowner Protection Ordinance ("Richmond Rent Ordinance").

To attend this event, register using this link:

https://us02web.zoom.us/webinar/register/WN_itkPcW0yQPq8lupmIdQZIA.

Additional information regarding this workshop is available on the Rent Program [Workshops](#) web page.

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Comprar una Vivienda de Renta en
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