



Mayor and Members of the City Council:

This is the report for the week ending June 22nd, 2018.



1. Meeting Notes

The next City Council meeting is scheduled for Tuesday, June 26th beginning with Closed Session at 5:00 PM, followed by the regular meeting of Richmond City Council at 6:30 PM. The agenda may be found by clicking this link: [Richmond City Council Agenda Packet](#).

2. Point Molate Community Visioning – TOMORROW JUNE 23RD

Point Molate is located on the San Pablo Peninsula approximately 1.5 miles north of the Richmond-San Rafael Bridge. Beginning in 1942, Point Molate served as a U.S. Navy fuel storage and transfer facility covering approximately 413 acres. This Navy Base was officially closed on September 30, 1998, with the property then transferred to the City pursuant to the federal Base Realignment and Closure Act of 1990.

The City of Richmond is seeking community input about how to best use the land at Point Molate for the benefit of all. Over the next three months, the community will be welcome to provide input at three community workshops.

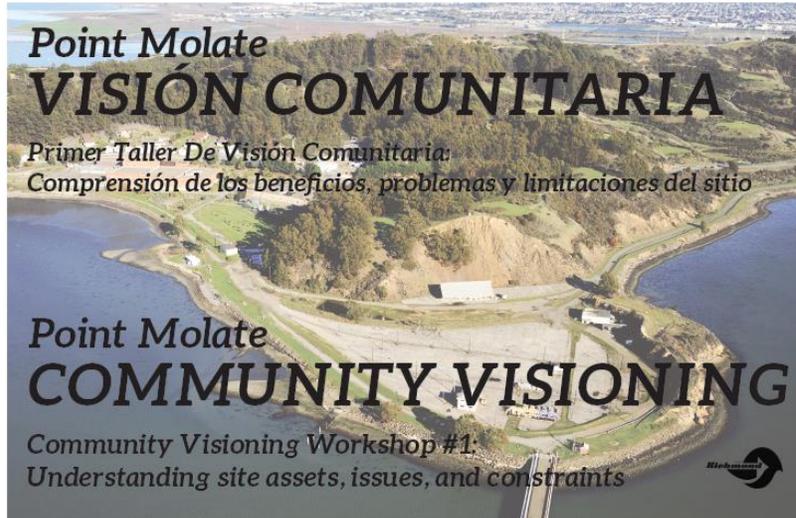
The first of these community workshops is on Saturday, June 23rd, where you can join your neighbors at the Point Molate Community Visioning Workshop and Site Tour to better understand site assets, issues and constraints and help develop a land use plan for Point Molate. The workshop and site tour will be held at:

2100 Stenmark Drive, Building 1
Saturday, June 23rd
10:00 AM to 2:00 PM

There will be transportation available from Richmond City Hall, 450 Civic Center Plaza. The transportation meeting location is at Nevin Avenue, between 25th and 26th St, from 9:00 AM – 9:30 AM. Seating is limited, please RSVP as soon as possible. Light lunch will be provided.

Additional visioning workshops for Point Molate are currently anticipated to be held in July and August.

To learn more about the Community Visioning process, to share your thoughts, and RSVP for the event, please visit: www.richmondpointmolate.org

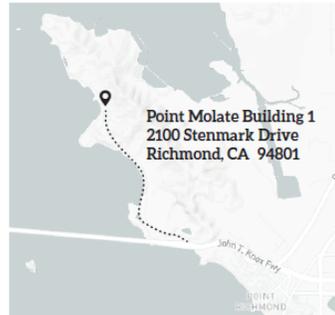


Join us for the
**1ST COMMUNITY VISIONING
WORKSHOP + SITE TOUR**

Participe en el Primer Taller De Visión Comunitaria + Visita Al Sitio

Reuniones
adicionales de la
comunidad serán
en julio
y agosto!

Future
meetings will
be held in July
and August!



Saturday, June 23, 2018
10 a.m. to 2 p.m.

Sabado, el 23 de Junio, 2018, 10 a.m. a 2 p.m.

TRANSPORTATION

Available from Richmond City Hall, 450 Civic Center Plaza.
Meet at Nevin Avenue, between 25th and 26th St, from 9-9:30 a.m.

TRANSPORTE

Disponible desde el Richmond City Hall, 450 Civic Center Plaza.
Reunión en la avenida Nevin, entre las calles 25 y 26, de 9 a 9:30 a.m.

To learn more, share your thoughts, and RSVP to the event, please visit:
Para aprender más, compartir ideas, y confirmar su asistencia al evento, visite:

www.richmondpointmolate.org

For information or questions, please email Lina_Velasco@ci.richmond.ca.us or contact Planning at (510) 620-6706.

Point Molate Visión Comunitaria

Point Molate está ubicado en la península de San Pablo aproximadamente a 1.5 millas al norte del puente Richmond-San Rafael. A partir de 1942, Point Molate

servió como una instalación de almacenamiento y transferencia de combustible de la Marina de EE. UU. Que abarca aproximadamente 413 acres. Esta Base Naval se cerró oficialmente el 30 de septiembre de 1998, y la propiedad se transfirió a la Ciudad de conformidad con la Ley federal de realineación y cierre de bases de 1990 (Base Realignment and Closure Act of 1990).

La Ciudad de Richmond está buscando opiniones de la comunidad sobre cómo usar mejor la propiedad de Point Molate para el beneficio de todos. Durante los próximos tres meses, la comunidad será bienvenida para proporcionar sus opiniones en tres talleres comunitarios.

El primero de estos talleres comunitarios es el sábado 23 de junio, donde puede unirse a sus vecinos en el taller comunitario y excursión del sitio Point Molate (Point Molate Community Visioning Workshop y Site Tour) para comprender mejor los activos del sitio, problemas y limitaciones y ayudar a desarrollar un plan de uso para la propiedad de Point Molate. El taller y la visita al sitio se llevarán a cabo en:

2100 Stenmark Drive, Edificio 1
Sábado, 23 de junio
10:00 a.m. a 2:00 p.m.

Habrà transporte disponible desde el Richmond City Hall, 450 Civic Center Plaza. La ubicación de la reunión de transporte se encuentra en Nevin Avenue, entre las calles 25 y 26, de 9:00 a.m. a 9:30 a.m. Los asientos son limitados, por favor confirme su asistencia lo antes posible. Almuerzo ligero será proporcionado.

Actualmente, se esperan talleres de visión adicionales para Point Molate en julio y agosto.

Para obtener más información sobre el proceso de Visión comunitaria, compartir sus ideas y confirmar su asistencia al evento, visite: www.richmondpointmolate.org

Para obtener información o preguntas, envíe un correo electrónico a Lina_Velasco@ci.richmond.ca.us o comuníquese con Planning al (510) 620-6706.

3. Pop-Up Farm, Bike Blender Smoothies, History Hike & More at Healthy Village Festival, June 23rd! – TOMORROW, JUNE 23RD

All are invited to the 9th annual Healthy Village Festival on Saturday, June 23rd from 10:00 AM -1:00 PM at the Community Green Space (Harbour Way & Macdonald Avenue) in Downtown Richmond.

This fun, family-friendly festival, will offer health and wellness resources, interactive activities, and memorable experiences: produce bag giveaways, artisan vendors, information and resource booths, pony rides, [Happy Lot Farm Pop-Up](#), music, arts and crafts, Zumba, lawn chess, and hanging out with Richmond Fire Fighters.

Special activities hosted by Richmond Main Street [Youth Committee](#) and “Ask a Doc” Kaiser Permanente physicians are sure to please. Plus, local musician group, [Tatsumaki Taiko](#), takes the stage at 10:30 AM and the Downtown History Hike tour, led by local history buff Karen Buchanan, will departing at 11:00 AM. Exclusive food vendor, [CulEnarE DEva](#), will serve up delicious healthy soul food and delectable fruit-forward desserts. Guests can also use their own pedal power to make delicious bike blender smoothies courtesy of Rich City Rides.

Admission is free. All are welcome. For more information, visit [RichmondMainStreet.org](#), call [\(510\) 236-4049](#), or email admin@richmondmainstreet.org.

Richmond Main Street presents...



JUNE
23
Saturday
10am-1pm
FREE ADMISSION

9th annual

Healthy Village Festival

ZUMBA Health Tips & Resources Giveaways Farm Animals
Music Info Booths Arts & Crafts Food & More!

Community Green Space @ Harbour Way & Macdonald Ave, Richmond

more info

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RichmondMainStreet.org



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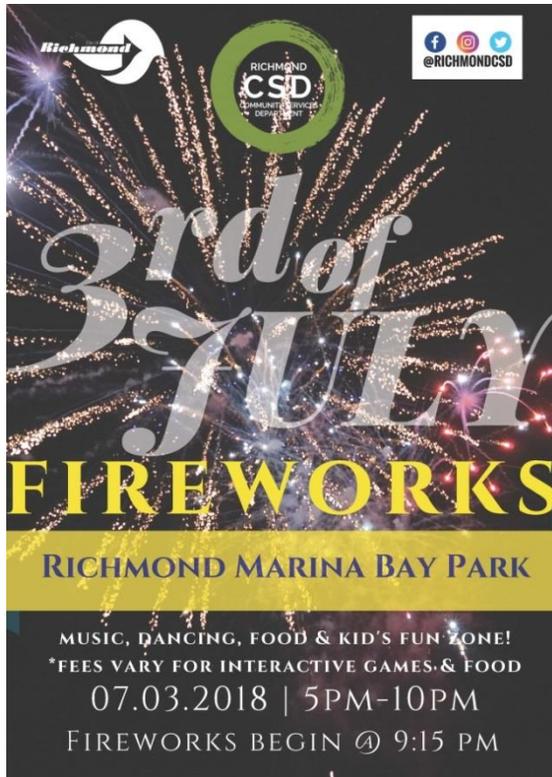


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4. 3rd of July Fireworks



The City of Richmond Community Services Department presents the 3rd of July Celebration on Tuesday, July 3rd at the Marina Bay Park from 5:00 PM – 10:00 PM. The event will offer music, dance, food, kids play area and a spectacular aerial fireworks display at 9:15 PM. There is no entrance fee for the event, but food and games have a minimal cost.

For more information call (510) 620-6793.

As in the ten past years, the evening will also feature a performance of the Oakland Symphony in the Craneway Pavilion on the Richmond waterfront at the base of Harbour Way. Doors open at 6:30 PM with performances by the East Bay Center for Performing Arts and the Richmond Jazz Collective, followed by the Oakland Symphony concert at 8:00 PM to accompany the fireworks at 9:15 PM.



**FAMILY FUN!
LIVE MUSIC!
FIREWORKS!
FREE!**

**10TH ANNUAL
2018 INDEPENDENCE EVE
CELEBRATION CONCERT**

PRESENTED BY WANG BROTHERS INVESTMENTS

**TUESDAY, JULY 3
MICHAEL MORGAN, CONDUCTOR
CRANEWAY PAVILION
ON THE RICHMOND WATERFRONT**

6:30PM

**Doors open; performance by
East Bay Center for the Performing Arts,
Richmond Jazz Collective**

8:00PM

**Oakland Symphony concert:
Sousa marches, music from the movies,
singalongs & more!**

9:15PM

**Spectacular fireworks display over the water,
accompanied by the Symphony**

**FOR MORE INFORMATION:
OAKLANDSYMPHONY.ORG
OR CRANEWAY.COM**

CONCERT SPONSORS



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Artisan Cove Live-Work, Chevron, Kaiser Permanente, Klein Financial Corporation

Supporting Sponsors
AAK, Levin Richmond Terminal, Mechanics Bank, Republic Services, Sims Metal Management, National Gypsum Company

5. Supplemental Emergency Notification System



On [July 1, 2018](#), the City of Richmond will be launching a new way of communicating important, time-sensitive information to the community using Nixle. Nixle is used successfully by over 8,000 jurisdictions across the United States for critical life safety alerts such as shelter-in-place and evacuations. In addition, Nixle is used for advisory notices to inform the public of less urgent, but need-to-know information such as road closures, police or public works activities. Nixle sends these alert and advisory notices to community subscribers utilizing multiple communication paths, including short message service (text), email, and social media platforms.

The City of Richmond's use of Nixle is separate from Contra Costa County's Community Warning System (www.cwsalerts.com). The CWS will continue to be utilized as needed.

We are encouraging all who live and/or work in the City of Richmond to sign up now by:

1. Texting your zip code to 888 777
2. Registering online at www.nixle.com
3. Downloading the Nixle Mobile App

For more information, please visit: www.ci.richmond.ca.us/Nixle

The City of Richmond will be using Nixle during **the 3rd of July** fireworks display. To receive alerts and advisories related to the event, on your smartphone text **3rdofJuly** to **888 777**.

6. Fiscal Year 2018-19 Operating and Capital Improvement Budget Update

This past week, staff presented to the City Council a balanced budget with a surplus of \$5,642. The Council directed staff to appropriate \$10,000 in the operating budget for expanded Youth Council activities, and, following several additional adjustments, staff will submit the operating budget with a surplus of \$642 for adoption at the next City Council meeting on Tuesday, June 26th.

7. Rent Board Approves the 2018 Annual General Adjustment

At their meeting on June 20th, members of the Rent Board adopted a regulation announcing the 2018 Annual General Adjustment (AGA) rent increase for Controlled Rental Units of 3.6%. Effective September 1, 2018, the Maximum Allowable Rent for tenancies in effect prior to September 1, 2017, will increase by 3.6%.

To apply the 2018 Annual General Adjustment rent increase of up to 3.6%, landlords must comply with State law requirements and file a notice of rent increase with the Rent Board within two (2) business days after service on the tenant, in accordance with the [Rent Increase Procedure](#) on the Rent Program website (www.richmondrent.org). Rent increases for the 2018 Annual General Adjustment may not take effect prior to September 1, 2018.

What if I never applied the 2016 or 2017 Annual General Adjustment Rent Increases?

Landlords may apply deferred Annual General Adjustment rent increases; however, there are restrictions on how much of an increase can be applied in any 12-month period in accordance with Rent Board Regulation 17-09. Please visit www.richmondrent.org/increase to access resources such as notice of rent increase templates, a Maximum Allowable Rent Calculator, and more.

What's the Annual General Adjustment?

The Annual General Adjustment (AGA) is an annual rent increase for Controlled Rental Units permitted by the Richmond Fair Rent, Just Cause for Eviction, and Homeowner Protection Ordinance. The Annual General Adjustment is calculated based on the percentage change in the Consumer Price Index of the Bay Area, which includes San Francisco, Oakland, and San Jose.

For more information about the Fair Rent, Just Cause for Eviction, and Homeowner Protection Ordinance and Richmond Rent Program, please visit www.richmondrent.org.



8. Proposition 68 Action Team Kick-Off Meeting

This past June 5th, voters of the State of California passed Proposition 68, authorizing a bond measure of \$4.1 billion for outdoor recreation, land conservation, and water projects. Investment priorities range from safe parks for children and families to promoting recreation. The first round of funding will be released in the fall of 2018.

On Tuesday, June 19th, representatives from Pogo Park, YES Nature to Neighborhoods, First Five, UC Berkeley School of Natural Resources – California Outdoor Engagement Coalition, Richmond Parks and Landscaping Division, and the Community Services Department, held its first meeting to identify potential improvement projects for Richmond parks and trails in disadvantaged neighborhoods.

A few members of the Proposition 68 Action Team are also members of the Richmond Outdoor Coalition (ROC). This coalition was formed in May 2017 and consists of cross-sector partners that collectively expand equitable access to the outdoors in Richmond.

During the summer, members of this team will host community meetings to obtain input from Richmond residents regarding needed park improvements in disadvantaged neighborhoods. Please watch the *weekly report* and other sources for more information as these community meetings are scheduled.



9. City Manager Farewell Party – Friday, July 27th

As you may know, the city manager is leaving his post at the end of July following thirteen years with the City of Richmond, and staff members are very kindly organizing a farewell party. For those that can attend this event, please see the following information and invitation link below; for those that cannot attend, please drop by my office before the end of July to say hello. In either case, I would certainly welcome the opportunity to thank you for all of your support for these many years.

When: July 27th
6:30 PM – 9:30 PM

Where: Richmond Memorial Auditorium
403 Civic Center Plaza
Richmond, CA 94804

Tickets: <https://www.eventbrite.com/e/farewell-party-bill-lindsay-tickets-47094774739>



10. City Manager Chronicles

I have listed below some of the topics for meetings that I attended during the past week in the hope that it provides an idea of the varied issues with which our organization deals routinely.

Meetings and events of note during the past week included:

- Met with staff from the Department of Toxic Substances Control and representatives from Zeneca, along with Planning and Building Services Director Richard Mitchell, Planning Manager Lina Velasco, and legal counsel, to discuss the draft soils Remedial Action Plan for the Zeneca property on the south Richmond shoreline;
- Met with representatives from the Chevron Refinery to discuss the status of their modernization project;
- Met with representatives from the Hilltop stakeholder's group, along with Director of Infrastructure Maintenance and Operations (DIMO) Tim Higare, and staff members from DIMO and the Finance Department, to discuss the Hilltop Landscape Maintenance District assessment budget and benefit apportionment methodology;
- Met with representatives from Laconia to discuss the status of the Terminal 1 development, along with staff members from the City Attorney's office, Finance Department, and Planning and Building Services Department;
- Attended the Richmond Promise Board meeting;

- Met with Terri Waller, from the West Contra Costa Unified School District (WCCUSD), and Rosemary Viramontes from the City's Employment and Training Department, to discuss WCCUSD's Career Pathway Program.

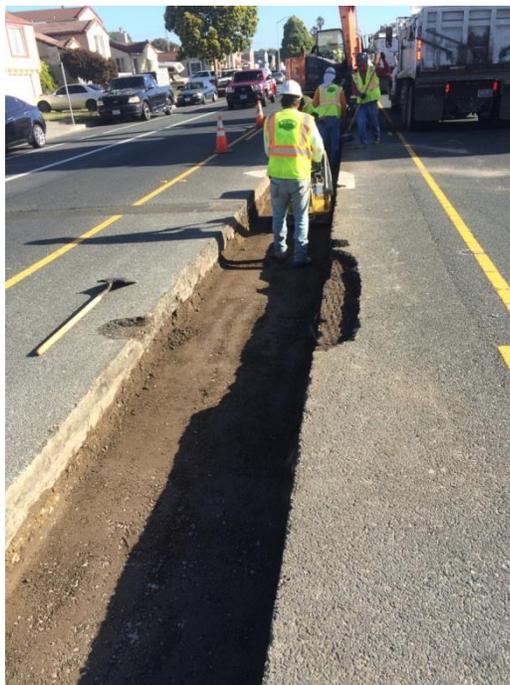
These meetings were in addition to attending the regular management staff meeting, agenda planning, reviewing staff reports to the City Council, doing department head "check-ins," having discussions on various personnel matters, and having short discussions with staff, community members, members of the press, etc.

11. UPDATE: Final Paving Begins for Sewer Replacement Project on South 23rd Street

Final paving for the sewer replacement project on South 23rd Street between Ohio Avenue and Cutting Boulevard is currently scheduled for the night of Thursday, June 28th. This work must be completed at night due to the batch asphalt plant only producing rubberized asphalt during these hours for this project, and due to the large Caltrans paving project also happening at night.

Traffic control will begin at 7:00 PM, and the work is expected to last only one night. Final striping will follow the paving.

For additional information, please contact the Veolia Capital Program Management team at (510) 412-2001.



12. San Pablo Avenue Complete Streets Project: Construction is Ongoing

The San Pablo Avenue Complete Streets Project is a federally funded corridor enhancement project that focuses on multimodal access, safety and connection along San Pablo Avenue between Rumrill Boulevard and La Puerta Road. The project is a partnership between the cities of San Pablo and Richmond, with major funding (\$5.978 million) from a One Bay Area Grant (OBAG). The City of San Pablo is the lead agency for the project.

The project includes installation of new traffic signals at La Puerta Road and Robert Miller Drive, and installation of sidewalk, bicycle facilities, crosswalks, and lighting improvements along San Pablo Avenue from Rivers Street to La Puerta Road.

Key elements of the project include:

- Modification of the existing road section to add Class 2 bike lanes in both directions of travel;
- Sidewalk installation on the west side of San Pablo Avenue from Rivers Street to La Puerta Road (southbound), and from Rivers Street to Lancaster Drive on the east side (northbound);
- Removal of an existing slip lane into Robert H. Miller Drive and replacement of a right turn pocket;
- Installation of a new traffic signal at La Puerta Road;
- Modification of existing traffic signals at Rivers Street and Robert H. Miller Drive;
- Construction of soil nail and concrete retaining walls to allow the roadway to be widened sufficiently to accommodate the new facilities for non-motorized roadway use;

San Pablo Avenue will remain open to traffic in both directions at all times; however, for safety reasons, there will be times during construction when only one travel lane in each direction is available for vehicular traffic.

This week, the contractor continued construction of the new median between Rivers Street and Lancaster Drive, and prepared the east shoulder north of La Puerta Drive for installation of a wider roadway.

Project information is available on the following website: <http://www.ci.san-pablo.ca.us/1416/San-Pablo-Avenue-Complete-Streets-Projec>.

Construction questions can be directed to the Construction Manager, Jaemin Park, at jpark@park-eng.com or (925) 818-3756.



San Pablo Avenue Complete Streets Project

13. Richmond Promise: Summer Success Workshops and Baseball! – RSVP Today

The Richmond Promise is kicking off the summer with a series of College Success Workshops to support a successful high school to college transition. If you know a Scholar who received the Richmond Promise Scholarship, please remind them to RSVP for the College Success Workshop on July 10th. RSVP for one workshop at richmondpromise.eventbrite.com.

Earn Richmond Promise Scholarship! 

Graduate from high school!

RSVP for one College Success Workshop

- June 12 • June 20
- June 13 • July 10
- June 19

What day will we see you?

+ 10:00 - 3:00 + Contra Costa College

DATE TIME LOCATION

RSVP at [therichmondpromise.eventbrite.com!](http://therichmondpromise.eventbrite.com)

Questions? scholarships@richmondpromise.org // 510-761-7231

Support Richmond Promise by Enjoying America's Pastime!

Support Richmond Promise by purchasing a ticket from the Oakland A's Non Profit Ticket Fundraising Program during the 2018 season! By purchasing tickets to one of the select games listed on [this link](#), you will qualify for a special ticket discount. In addition, 25% of every ticket sold will go back to our organization!

For more information, or to purchase a group of 15+, please contact Luke Johnson at (510) 746-4433 or ljohnson@athletics.com.

<https://www.mlb.com/athletics/tickets/specials/richmond-promise>




**Support
Richmond Promise!**

Purchase a special game ticket from the Oakland A's Non Profit Ticket Fundraising Program during the 2018 season.

Saturday May 26 1:05 PM		Arizona D-backs
Friday Jun 15 6:35 PM		Los Angeles Angels
Tuesday Jul 3 6:05 PM		San Diego Padres
Friday Jul 20 6:35 PM		San Francisco Giants
Sunday Jul 22 1:05 PM		San Francisco Giants
Saturday Aug 18 1:05 PM		Houston Astros
Sunday Sep 9 1:05 PM		Texas Rangers
Sunday Sep 23 1:05 PM		Minnesota Twins




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14. Get Ready for Celebrate Downtown 2018!

Summer is just around the corner and Downtown Richmond is the place to be! Mark your calendar for four amazing community events:

- Healthy Village Festival on June 23rd (see item [3], above);
- Music on the Main summer concerts on July 25th & August 22nd; and
- Spirit & Soul Festival on September 15th.

All events are free admission, family friendly and feature activities, food, vendors, music, and more...all in Downtown Richmond, specifically various locations along Macdonald Avenue between Harbour Way and Richmond BART.

Check out each event's webpage for details, including ways to participate as a sponsor, vendor, or volunteer!

More info at www.RichmondMainStreet.org or by calling (510) 236-4049.

CELEBRATE
2018
DOWNTOWN
richmond • ca

free admission • family friendly
music • vendors • activities • food

6.23 Healthy Village Festival
health & wellness fair 11am - 1pm

7.25 Music on the Main
8.22 summer concerts 5pm-7:30pm

9.15 Spirit & Soul Festival
street fair on main street! 1pm-5pm

vendor, volunteer & sponsor opportunities, too!

RichmondMainStreet.org
(510) 236-4049

15. Apply for Your U.S. Passport at Richmond City Hall!

The City of Richmond City Clerk's Office is accepting passport applications on behalf of the United States Department of State. United States citizens planning international travel may apply for their passport at 450 Civic Center Plaza, Suite 300, during the following hours by appointment only:

Monday: 10:00 AM to 4:00 PM

Wednesday: 10:00 AM to 4:00 PM
Friday: 10:00 AM to 2:00 PM
(Closed 12:00 PM to 1:00 PM – days of operation only)

Please recognize that the area is an operational executive office, and a quiet zone. No drop in service for same day appointments or scheduling future appointments is available at this time; you **must** call **(510) 620-6786** to schedule **all** appointments.

For application forms, information on documentation required, fees, and a wealth of other passport and international travel information, visit the only official website for passport information – travel.state.gov.

For more information about the City of Richmond Passport Acceptance Facility, please visit <http://www.ci.richmond.ca.us/passports>.



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450 Civic Center Plaza, Ste. 300
Richmond, CA 94804

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(Closed 12:00 p.m. to 1:00 p.m.)

**BY APPOINTMENT ONLY - NO WALK-INS
YOU MUST CALL (510) 620-6786**

16. Community Services Highlights

Upcoming Events and Program Activities

Richmond Swims



Although swimming lessons are offered throughout most of the year at the Richmond Swim Center, summer provides more opportunities to learn to swim. Starting June 18th, mid-week afternoon/evening lessons are offered in two-week sessions (8 classes per session). We also continue to offer Saturday sessions (3 classes per session) with the first summer session beginning June 16th. Classes are available for ages 3 and up, with a limited number of private lessons in each session. Group lessons are available for children, teens and adults at every level or ability.

Registration for each session starts on the first of the month, one month prior to the start date. Online registration or in-person registration is available on weekdays 8:30 AM – 4:00 PM at the Recreation Complex. Here you can view the summer swim lessons schedule and description of class levels.

CodeWorks – Learn to Code!



Learn to code with ServiceWorks! This FREE 7-week program is designed to introduce youth (ages 16-24) to coding in a collaborative, safe, and fun environment! Snacks and refreshments provided.

Program Dates:
Tuesdays & Thursdays
July 3 - August 16, 2018
2:30 pm - 4:30 pm

Richmond Civic Center Computer Lab
450 Civic Center Plaza

During this cohort you will:

- Learn HTML/CSS
- Javascript Fundamentals
- Build your own website
- Develop interpersonal skills

Orientation Session:
Tues, June 26 and Fri, June 29
5:30 pm-6:30 pm

Participants must attend at least one orientation session.

ALL FOR FREE
Space is limited, register now!

Want to learn how to create websites, games, and more? Learn to code with ServiceWorks for FREE! We offer a COLLABORATIVE and FUN environment! This cohort will meet weekly during the summer to introduce youth and young adults to the fundamentals of front end web development. Participants will have the opportunity to build their own website along and build lasting relationships with peers and mentors. Snacks and refreshments will be provided!

*** Attending [orientation](#) is required prior to program start date ***

Program Dates:

Dates: Tuesdays & Thursdays from July 3 - August 16, 2018

Location: Richmond Civic Center Computer Lab (450 Civic Center Plaza, Richmond)

Cost: FREE

Hours: 2:30 PM - 4:30 PM

Program Schedule:

Week 1: July 3rd and 5th

Week 2: July 10th and 12th

Week 3: July 17th and 19th

Week 4: July 24th and 26th

Week 5: July 31st and August 2nd

Week 6: August 7th and 9th

Week 7: August 14th and 16th

To sign up, visit: <http://bit.ly/codeworksrichmond>

Contact:

(510) 620-6552

faye_hayes@ci.richmond.ca.us

FAQ's and other information on the City of Richmond website [here](#)

Commission on Aging Recruitment

RICHMOND SENIORS NEED YOU!

RICHMOND COMMISSION ON AGING
Promoting Health & Wellness for seniors

Myrtle Braxton, Chairperson
Beverly Wallace, Vice Chairperson
Naomi Williams, Correspondence Secretary
Valerie Robinson, Recording Secretary
Christine Caldwell, Treasurer
Rose Brooks, Assistant Treasurer
Shirley Gilbert, Member

The Richmond Commission on Aging is looking for seniors age 55 or over to become a member of the Commission. The purpose of the Commission is to enhance the quality of life for older adults with an emphasis on health, wellness and independence.

If you are age 55 or older and reside in the West Contra Costa County which includes areas within WCCUSD boundaries, consider joining this active Commission that is dedicated to enhancing the quality of life of seniors.

Please contact Chair, Myrtle Braxton, 510-233-0777 for additional information.

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Free Nutrition and Cooking Classes

**Want Help Eating Healthier
& Feeling Better?**

Join Us for
VeggieRx
Free Nutrition
& Cooking
Classes

The FREE VeggieRx Program Includes:

- 8 healthy eating classes with cooking demos
- Weight monitoring
- Get free vouchers to spend on fresh fruits & vegetables at the farmers' market throughout the program (over \$400 for a family of four!)

Call or Email to Reserve Your Seat
Phone: 925-771-2990 or 1-800-949-3276 | Email: veggierx@freshapproach.org

First English Class on Thursday June 28th
Nevin Community Center
598 Nevin Ave • Richmond

Classes will be held every other week for a total of 8 classes
Classes available in both English and Spanish!

+ Children and family are welcome to attend all classes and events!
For more information, visit us at www.freshapproach.org | Follow us!

Want help eating healthier and feeling better? Join us for a summer series of free nutritional and cooking classes!

The FREE VeggieRx Program includes:

- Classes available in both English and Spanish
- 8 healthy eating classes with cooking demos
- Weight monitoring
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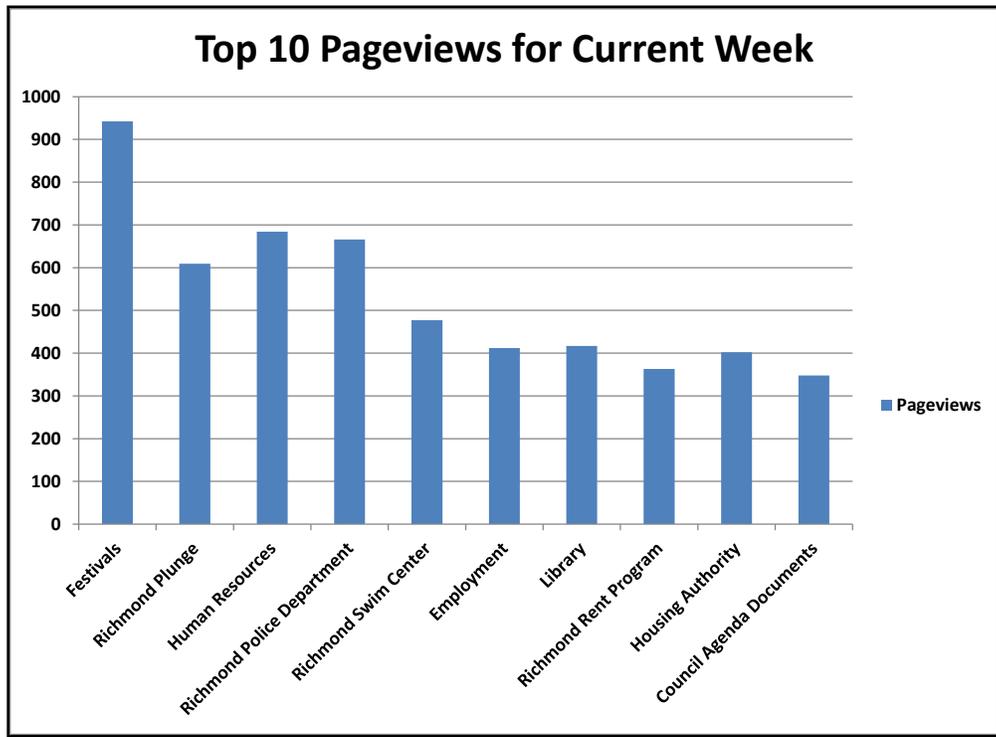
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17. Information Technology

Website Statistics for the week of June 22 2018



✓ Followers are up

KCRT DATANET OF THE WEEK



18. I-80 Central Avenue Operations Improvement Project (I-80 and Central Avenue)

This week, the contractor finished installing the variable message sign on the overhead structure at I-80 Eastbound on-ramp. Next week, the variable message signs will be turned on.

19. Engineering & Capital Improvement Department (ECIP)

Streets Division:

Paving crews performed haul grindings, and worked from the outstanding pothole list in various locations around the City.



Haul Grindings

Street sweeping staff performed residential sweeping services for the third Monday through Thursday and fourth Friday in the North Richmond, Iron Triangle, North Belding Woods, Atchison Village, South Belding Woods, Richmond Annex, Parkview, Panhandle Annex, and Eastshore neighborhood council areas.

Signs and Lines repaired 2 signs, installed 5 new signs and poles, and painted 111' of curbs and zoning.

20. Infrastructure Maintenance and Operations (DIMO)

Code Enforcement:

Code Enforcement staff discovered items that were illegally dumped onto the street from private property. A Notice of Violation and Demand to Abate was posted at the property and mailed to the property owner and the furniture and debris was removed from the street and the public right of way.



Code Enforcement staff was driving by this location and observed a large amount of discarded tree limbs in a front yard. The Code Enforcement Officer sent a Notice of Violation to the property owner and the violation was abated.



Code Enforcement staff responded to a complaint regarding overgrown vegetation. The responding Code Enforcement Officer sent a Notice of Violation to the property owner and the owner corrected the violation.



Code Enforcement staff and the Richmond Police responded to complaints regarding the property to the rear of a Metro PCS store. Displaced individuals were living in the trash enclosure and creating a nuisance to nearby businesses. Code Enforcement made contact with the individuals on several occasions and also with the property owner. The property is now in compliance and is being monitored on a regular basis.



Facilities Maintenance Division:

Stationary Engineers performed routine pool and boiler inspection tests, fixed the refrigerator and replaced the exhaust fan belts at Fire Station #68, replaced the air conditioner air filters at the Police Department trailers, repaired the toilet in the Corporation Yard trailer, cleared the kitchen sink at the Museum, repaired the 1st

Floor restroom and replaced the exhaust fan belts at 450 Civic Center Plaza, installed a thermostat, performed a water heater replacement, and replaced the air filters at the May Valley Community Center and Library.



Water Heater Replacement

Utility workers cleaned the enclosure in the back of the Auditorium, hung new photos in the Council Chambers, moved delivery boxes, set-up meeting rooms for events, and maintained 29 City-owned facilities.



Delivery Receiving

Parks and Landscaping Division:

General Maintenance crews cleaned Nicholl Park from the Juneteenth celebration, cut vegetation at Rifle Range Road, weed-whipped the Nunn Avenue soundwall and around Nevin Plaza, repaired play equipment at Wendell Park, removed graffiti from parks, repaired irrigation at Lucas, Nevin and Parchester Park, weeded along Harbour Way, completed fencing around the new shed at the Plunge, prepared the Martin Luther King, Jr. Park baseball field, removed tree trunks from Booker T. Anderson Par,k and weeded and cleaned along Carlson Boulevard.



Play Equipment Repair

Tree crews cut or trimmed trees on: Amador Avenue, Key Boulevard, Castro Ranch Road, Sheldon Drive, and Nelson Drive.



Tree Removal on Castro Ranch Road

Hilltop District crews continued general maintenance around the business area, completed weed abatement on Hilltop Drive, completed weed abatement on Atlas Road, and started weed abatement on Richmond Parkway ramps to Giant Road.



Richmond Parkway Maintenance

Marina District crews removed two dead trees, repaired, mowed and edged turf, performed maintenance at Shimada Park, performed median strip clean-up on Marina Bay Parkway, and attended training.



Turf Repair

Feel free to contact me if you have any questions or comments about these or any other items of interest to you.

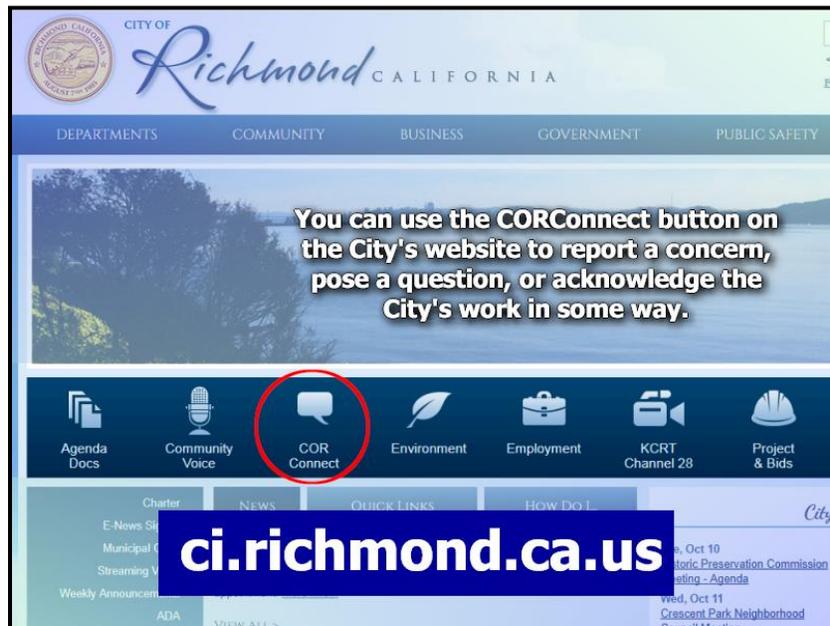
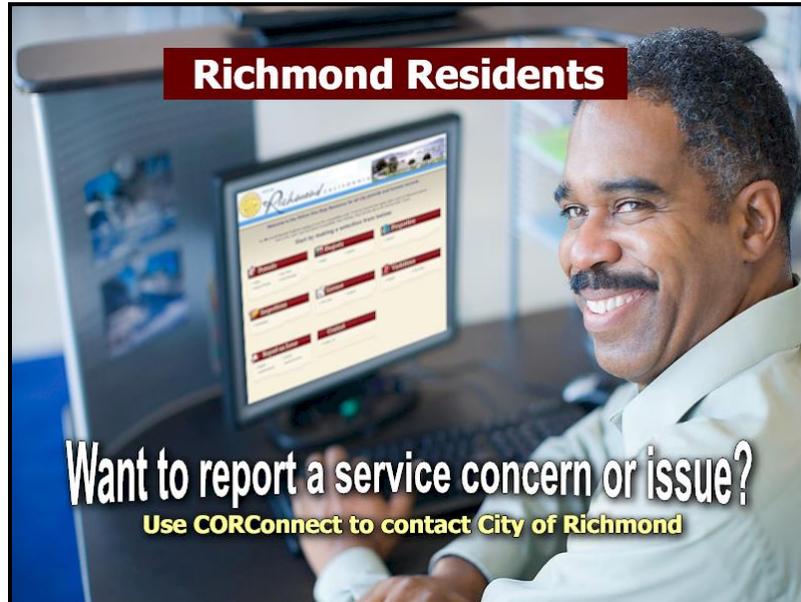
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On the page, you can also look up information on a parcel, see permits issued and look up business license information. If you have a current business license you can pay to renew it online with a credit card.

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