



**Community Services Building
440 Civic Center Plaza
Richmond, CA 94804**

**MEETING AGENDA
MONDAY, OCTOBER 19, 2015**

Joseph Jackson
Chairman

Akira Moton
Vice Chairperson

Youth Council Members

Drew Berry
Raul Garcia
Nancy Ng
Quelane Levi
Cynthia Pardinias

The Richmond Youth Council welcomes and thanks you for participating with us tonight at our regular meeting, we would love to hear what you have to say, so please don't hesitate, fill out a pink slip and be heard.

MEETING PROCEDURES

The Richmond Youth Council encourages community participation at its Youth Council meetings and has established procedures that are intended to accommodate public input in a timely and time-sensitive way. As a courtesy to all members of the public who wish to participate in Youth Council meetings, please observe the following procedures:

PUBLIC COMMENT ON AGENDA ITEMS: Anyone who desires to address the Youth Council on items appearing on the agenda must complete and file a pink speaker's card with the Council Secretary prior to the Youth Council's consideration of the item. Once the Council Secretary has announced the item and discussion has commenced, no person shall be permitted to speak on the item other than those persons who have submitted their names to the Council Secretary. Your name will be called when the item is announced for discussion. **15 or fewer speakers, a maximum of 3 minutes; 16 to 24 speakers, a maximum of 1 and one-half minutes; and 25 or more speakers, a maximum of 1 minute.**

SPEAKERS ARE REQUESTED TO OCCUPY THE RESERVED SEATS IN THE FRONT ROW BEHIND THE SPEAKER'S PODIUM AS THEIR NAME IS ANNOUNCED BY THE COUNCIL SECRETARY.

CONDUCT AT MEETINGS: Richmond Youth Council meetings are limited public forums during which the City strives to provide an open, safe atmosphere and promote robust public debate. Members of the public, however, must comply with state law, as well as the City's laws and procedures and may not actually disrupt the orderly conduct of these meetings. The public, for example, may not shout or use amplifying devices, must submit comment cards and speak during their allotted time, may not create a physical disturbance, may not speak on matters unrelated to issues within the jurisdiction of the Youth Council or the agenda item at hand, and may not cause immediate threats to public safety.

REGULAR MEETING OF THE RICHMOND YOUTH COUNCIL

6:30 p.m.

A. CALL TO ORDER

B. ROLL CALL

C. PUBLIC FORUM

D. AGENDA REVIEW

E. PRESENTATIONS

E-1 RECEIVE a presentation by John Gioia, Supervisor and President, Contra Costa County Board of Supervisors regarding possible activities and joint partnerships between the Youth Council and the County Supervisor's Office.

E-2 RECEIVE a presentation by the Contra Costa Family Justice Center (F.J.C), staff regarding the many programs they operate, and how youth can get involved in. (**Chair Jackson**)

E-3 RECEIVE a presentation by S.F (San Francisco) Youth Commission members, staff legislative aids, and activist regarding their efforts on lowering the age to vote on municipal elections to 16 years of age, and prepare questions for the presenters to answer. (**Chair Jackson**)

E-4 RECEIVE a presentation by Tiffany Harris, regarding Girls Inc. and the programs that they offer. (**Councilmember Garcia**)

F. YOUTH COUNCIL AS A WHOLE

F-1 CONSIDER candidate's Speeches from interested members who wish to serve as Officers and be included in the November 2, 2015 Election of Richmond Youth Council Officers.

I. ADJOURNMENT