

# OFFICE OF NEIGHBORHOOD SAFETY



## 2016 HIGHLIGHTS

The Office of Neighborhood Safety (ONS) mission is to reduce firearm assaults and associated injury and deaths. The ONS is a non-law enforcement agency within the City of Richmond California government that provides and coordinates trauma responsive services and opportunities for those identified to be the most likely victims of gun violence.

## IMPACT



**7,575+**

**HOURS OF STREET OUTREACH COVERAGE**

**3,718**

**1:1 INTERVENTION ENGAGEMENTS**

**960**

**COMMUNITY CONFLICT MEDIATIONS**

**462**

**SOCIAL SERVICE NAVIGATIONAL SUPPORTS**

**208**

**GUN VIOLENCE INTERRUPTION**

**\$1.5M**

**RESOURCES MOBILIZED FOR IMPACT**



# THE BELOVED COMMUNITY

COMMUNITY DRIVEN

EVIDENCE-BASED

PREVENTION & INTERVENTION

## ACTIVITIES

**11,000+** HOURS OF HI-IMPACT SERVICE

PROVISION TO RICHMOND YOUTH AND YOUNG ADULTS

## PARTNERS

THE RYSE CENTER

RICHMOND POLICE ACTIVITIES LEAGUE

LITERACY FOR EVERY ADULT PROGRAM [LEAP]

CITY OF RICHMOND RICHMONDWORKS

NATIONAL COUNCIL ON CRIME AND DELINQUENCY

CITY OF RICHMOND OFFICE OF NEIGHBORHOOD SAFETY

CONTRA COSTA COUNTY

STATE OF CALIFORNIA

WEST CONTRA COSTA UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT



# OPERATION PEACEMAKER FELLOWSHIP



**4 COHORTS COMPLETED**

**84 FELLOWS**

*SINCE BECOMING A FELLOW:*

**94% ARE ALIVE**

**83% WERE NOT INJURED BY FIREARM**

**77% ARE NOT A SUSPECT IN NEW FIREARM ACTIVITY**

The Operation Peacemaker Fellowship is an 18-month, non-mandated engagement specifically designed for those considered most likely to become a victim of gun violence within 6 months of being offered the Fellowship opportunity. The Fellowship is a developmental and trauma responsive approach to interrupting urban gun violence. The Fellowship intensively engages those at the core of firearm conflicts in urban neighborhoods. Fellowships are personalized and each utilizes seven (7) concentrated touch-points and is grounded in evidence-based practice. The Fellowship represents one effective/successful [public] health approach to ending urban gun violence. **In 2016, the ONS completed its 4<sup>th</sup> Fellowship cohort. Twenty-two Fellows were enrolled. Of the 22 Fellows after 18-months – 100% are ALIVE, 84% have not been injured by a firearm, and 76% are not a suspect in a new firearm crime since becoming a Fellow.**

# ONS IN THE NEWS

theguardian

TIME



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HARVARD  
POLITICAL  
REVIEW

FOX  
NEWS



Detroit Free Press



CNN

# ACROSS THE USA

## 28 CITIES



# REPRESENTING 19 STATES...

**Communicating Interest or Seeking Technical Advice on how to establish an Office of Neighborhood Safety or the Richmond Fellowship Model.**

- ATLANTA • BALTIMORE • BOSTON • CHICAGO • CLEVELAND • COATSVILLE • DETROIT • GARY  
• HARTFORD • INDIANAPOLIS • LEXINGTON • LIMA • LOS ANGELES • MEMPHIS • MIAMI GARDENS  
• MIAMI • NEW ORLEANS • NEW YORK • OAKLAND • OMAHA • PHILADELPHIA • SACRAMENTO  
• SALINAS • SAN JOSE • ST. LOUIS • TOLEDO • WASHINGTON DC • WILMINGTON



## 2016 EXPERIENCE

"They want to see us alive. They want to see us healthy. They want to see us having jobs and cars. Living. Being people. Not being a statistic."

-Tykire, 18  
O.N.S. Fellow



IN 2016, THE CITY LOST 22 SOULS  
PREMATURELY AS A RESULT OF GUN VIOLENCE

*BETWEEN 2007 WHEN THE ONS  
WAS LAUNCHED AND 2016*

**71%↓**

**\*REDUCTION IN GUN VIOLENCE  
CAUSING INJURY OR DEATH**

21% REDUCTION IN NON-FATAL SHOOTINGS BETWEEN 2015 and 2016

**WE STILL HAVE A LOT OF WORK TO DO  
AND BIGGER VISION TO ACCOMPLISH.**

"It's really a crisis to deal with murder with the regularity like we do out here. This ain't normal. We're not supposed to go to 14-year-olds' funerals, man."

-Kevin Yarbrough



## **WE CAN OVERCOME GUN VIOLENCE!**

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**THE BEST IS YET TO COME!**



**WE WISH YOU A HEALTHY AND SAFE 2017!**