



City of Richmond

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Agenda

Governmental Operations Standing Committee

Wednesday, July 23, 2025

1:00 PM

Council Chamber, 2nd Floor - City Hall

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<https://go.rva.gov/GovOps-Jul23> or dial *67-804-316-9457 and enter ID:772 483 429#

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Call to Order

Chamber Emergency Evacuation Plan Announcement and Public Speaker Guidelines

Public Comment Period

Approval of Minutes

Presentation(s)

1. Employee Training and Engagement ~ Tyrome Alexander, Director of Human Resources

[CD.2025.244](#) Department of Human Resources Engagement and Training Update

Attachments: [GovOps_HR_Presentation_Engagement_Training_2025_07_18](#)

2. Report on Reports Part II ~ Maria Garnett, Council Policy Analyst and Will Perkins, Senior Council Legislative Services Manager for the Office of the Council Chief of Staff

[CD.2025.242](#) Report on Reports (Round 2)

Attachments: [Report on Reports Round 2 Final - 7.23.25 - UPDATED](#)

3. Circular Economy ~ Tara Worden, Sustainability Manager for the Office of Sustainability

[CD.2025.245](#) Circular Economy Positioning Richmond to Lead Virginia's Circular Economy Revolution

Attachments: [GovOps-CircularEcon-July2025](#)

Paper(s) for Consideration

1. [ORD. 2025-136](#) To repeal City Code §§ 2-29, 2-31, 2-32, and 2-33, concerning the classifications of Council liaison, Council Policy Analyst, Council Budget Analyst, and the Council Public Relations Specialist, respectively, and to amend City Code § 2-30, concerning the Council Chief of Staff appointment and duties, for the purpose of providing for the appointment of employees in such classifications by the Council Chief of Staff.

Patrons: Vice President Jordan, President Newbille, Mr. Breton, Ms. Lynch, Ms. Jones, Ms. Abubaker and Ms. Robertson

Attachments: [Ord. No. 2025-136](#)

Legislative History

6/2/25	City Council	introduced and referred to the Governmental Operations Standing Committee
6/11/25	Governmental Operations Standing Committee	recommended for continuance to the City Council
6/23/25	City Council	continued and referred back to the Governmental Operations Standing Committee

2. [RES. 2025-R031](#) To authorize the utilization of the design-build procurement method for the construction of the Canoe Run Park CSO Storage Tank project.

Patrons: Mayor Avula

Attachments: [Res. No. 2025-R031](#)

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Board Vacancies

[CD.2025.241](#) Governmental Operations Standing Committee Boards & Commissions Vacancy Report Wednesday, July 23, 2025

Attachments: [20250723 Gov Ops Board Report](#)

Discussion Item(s)

None

Staff Report