



# Richmond Redevelopment and Housing Authority

*Vacancies as of  
February 9, 2025*

Section 5.05(d) of the Charter of the City of Richmond (2006) expressly provides that “the appointment of members of a redevelopment and housing authority in the city shall be made by the council.” Section 36-11 of the Code of Virginia (1950) authorizes the Council to provide for not more than nine or less than five commissioners of the Authority. By Resolution No. 99-R46-80, adopted March 22, 1999, the Council increased the number of commissioners from five to seven as authorized by section 36-11 of the Code of Virginia (1950). Resolution No. 2010-R140-162, adopted October 25, 2010, increased the number of commissioners from seven to nine with the addition of a Council-appointed seat and an additional tenant representative seat.

Pursuant to section 36-11 of the Code of Virginia (1950), no commissioner of the Authority may be an officer or employee of the City. By Resolution No. 2003-R230-2004-R18, adopted January 12, 2004, the Council established a procedure to be followed for appointing one member living in public or assisted housing to serve on the Authority’s Board of Commissioners as required by the regulations of the United States Department of Housing and Urban Development. This resolution was further amended by Resolution No. 2010-R141-173, adopted November 8, 2010, which revised the process of appointing the tenant representatives to the board.

*(Assigned to the Land Use, Housing & Transportation Standing Committee)*

<b>Current Vacancies</b>				
Member Name	Criteria for Appointment	Reside / Work District	Term	Terminate
Harold Parker, Jr.	Reside or work in the city	2 <sup>nd</sup> District Employment	First	01/12/2025
			<i>Application review in progress</i>	
Veronica Blount	Tenant representative	7 <sup>th</sup>	Second	01/09/2024
			<i>Term limit</i>	
<b>Current Membership</b>				
Member Name	Criteria for Appointment	Reside / Work District	Term	Terminate
Kyle Elliott	Reside or work in the city	7 <sup>th</sup>	First	06/28/2026
Dyanne Broidy	Tenant representative	7 <sup>th</sup>	Partial	10/25/2026
Michael B. Hardiman	Reside or work in the city	3 <sup>rd</sup>	Second	01/09/2028
Eddie Jackson, Jr.	Reside or work in the city	3 <sup>rd</sup> District Employment	First	04/26/2026
William Johnson	Reside or work in the city	6 <sup>th</sup>	Second	03/26/2028
Gregory Lewis	Reside or work in the city	7 <sup>th</sup>	First	03/26/2028
Charlene Pitchford	Tenant representative	3 <sup>rd</sup>	Second	11/24/2027

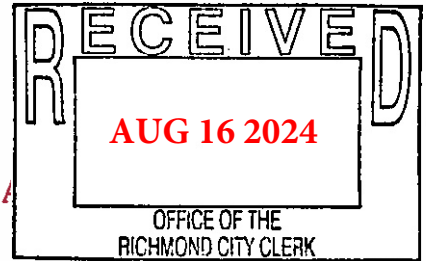
**Contact:**

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 Richmond Redevelopment & Housing Authority (RRHA)  
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 E-mail: priscilla.jackson@rrha.com



City of Richmond, Virginia  
City Council

Authorities, Boards, Commissions and Task Forces



(Please Print or Type)

Name of Authority, Board, Commission or Task Force: <i>Richmond Redevelopment + House Authority</i>	
Title: Mr. <input type="checkbox"/> Mrs. <input type="checkbox"/> Ms. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Miss. <input type="checkbox"/> Dr. <input type="checkbox"/> Other: <input type="checkbox"/>	
Last Name: <i>McCray</i>	First Name: <i>Marika</i>
Home Street Address: <i>2225 Ashton Ave Apt A.</i>	Home Telephone: <i>(804) 502-7751</i>
Home City, Zip Code: <i>Richmond, Va 23224</i>	Home Fax:
Personal E-Mail Address: <i>MarikaMcCray225@gmail.com</i>	
Employer: <i>N/A</i>	
Job Title:	How Long?
Business Street Address:	Business Telephone:
Business City, Zip Code:	Business Fax:
Business E-Mail Address:	
Is your place of employment located in the city of Richmond? Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
Is your place of employment located in the county? Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> If yes, which county?	
Are you a city resident? Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> If yes, which City Council district? <i>2324</i> Number of years? <i>10</i>	
Do you or your employer have a contract, other than a contract of employment, either with the city of Richmond or with the entity to which you are seeking appointment? Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
If yes, please provide information on the nature of the contract.	
Please list your educational background and/or other expertise or qualifications you will bring to this authority, board, commission or task force: <i>High School Diploma and Childcare Degree</i>	

**NOTE: This application is a public document. Completed applications will remain on file for consideration for six (6) months at which time it must be updated.**

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List other city of Richmond authorities, boards, commissions or task forces you currently or have previously served on. Please give date(s) and office(s) held, if applicable.

Entity: \_\_\_\_\_  
Date(s) Served: \_\_\_\_\_ Office(s) Held: \_\_\_\_\_

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Other community involvement:

**OPTIONAL**  
Please list additional information you would like considered, or you may attach your resume or other information.

Check this box if your resume is attached.

How did you hear about or who referred you to apply for appointment to this authority, board, commission or task force? *I was called by Ms. Myrlin and was told what the Board, Commission or task force was about.*

Signature: *Michele Jones* Date: \_\_\_\_\_  
(By signing, forwarding or otherwise transmitting this form, you certify that all information submitted for consideration is true and accurate to the best of your knowledge)

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# Marika mccray

Richmond, VA

## Work Experience

### **Package Handler**

Lingo Staffing - Richmond, VA  
November 2020 to Present

- Repeatedly lifted, bending, twisting, and crouching, and buffed floors, commitment to wowing clients & contributing to a team.
- Ability to problem solve and communicate clearly, humble, genuine, kind person who listens to feedback and is always improving.
- Work on a production line packing, organizing and ordering filling, productivity, and workflow metric, picking and packing, and filling customer ticket orders, following safety procedures.

### **Production Line Operator**

The Vitamin Shoppe - Ashland, VA  
September 2017 to November 2018

- Work on a production line packing, organizing and ordering filling, productivity, and workflow metric, picking and packing, and filling customer ticket orders, following safety procedures.
- Repeatedly lifted, bending, twisting, and crouching, and buffed floors, commitment to wowing clients & contributing to a team.
- Ability to problem solve and communicate clearly, humble, genuine, kind person who listens to feedback and is always improving.

### **Production Operator/Material Handler**

The Noodle Company - Chesterfield, VA  
January 2017 to February 2018

- Work on a production line packing, organizing, and ordering filling.
- Productivity, and workflow metric.
- Picking and packing.
- Filling customer ticket orders, following safety procedures.

### **Shift Supervisor**

Golden Gates inc - Richmond, VA  
December 2013 to January 2017

- Contracted to clean State and Federal Office Building.
- Supervise Office Building Staff: hiring, firing, performance evaluations, training, and development.
- Trained new hires, and maintains standards of the company's service quality.
- Manages in compliance with established company policies and procedures.
- Manages in compliance with local, state, and federal laws and regulations.
- Manages the reservation function to maintain the highest possible room occupancy and average daily rate through suggestive selling by employees.
- Maintains procedures for credit control and handling of financial transactions.

- Repeatedly lifted, bending, twisting, and crouching, and buffed floors, commitment to wowing clients & contributing to a team.
- Ability to problem solve and communicate clearly, humble, genuine, kind person who listens to feedback and is always improving.

### **Office Manager**

Golden Gate Services Inc - Richmond, VA  
December 2012 to January 2017

- Supervises Front Desk staff: hiring, firing, performance evaluations, training, and development.
- Maintains standards of the company's service quality.
- Manages in compliance with established company policies and procedures.
- Manages in compliance with local, state, and federal laws and regulations.
- Manages the reservation function to maintain the highest possible room occupancy and average daily rate through suggestive selling by employees.
- Maintains procedures for credit control and handling of financial transactions.
- Maintains procedures for security of monies, guest security, and emergency procedures.
- Receives departmental-related guest complaints and ensures corrective action is taken.
- Schedules staff according to labor standards.
- Ensures staff uses correct guest interaction skills.
- Performs other related duties as required.
- Paper work pay roll in take application call, people, for job interviews filing paperwork
- Knows and complies with all company policies and procedures pertaining to this position and its duties.

### **Lead Daycare Teacher**

As We Grow Learning Center - Richmond, VA  
April 2015 to September 2015

- Assist lead Teacher with toddlers circle time how do activities endure activities arts and crafts breakfast lunch and evening snacks.
- Implementation of curricula activities and encourage participation by children
- Actively engage in activities; manage cleanliness, maintenance, and availability of classroom materials
- Maintain frequent communications with parents through informal discussions and progress reports
- Encourage self-help and good hygiene through behavior modeling
- Help ensure smooth, the daily transition from home to childcare center
- Follow all center policies and state regulations
- Maintain personal professional development plan to ensure continuous quality improvement
- Strong oral and written communication skills and basic computer skills
- Knowledge and understanding of child development
- Ability to lead and organize
- Create lesson plans and, outdoor and indoor activities circle time meals and snacks nap art and craft

### **Security Officer**

Admiral Security Services, Inc - Richmond, VA  
January 2008 to April 2012

- Work at a security desk patrols floor checks secure building monitor cameras lockdown building at night and unlock in mornings
- Effectively speak, read and write English
- Observe and report activities, incidents at an assigned client site.

- Provide security and assure that safety is our number one priority for the client's property and personnel.
- Make periodic patrols to check for irregularities, inspect protection devices and fire control equipment.
- Preserves orders and may act to enforce regulations and directives for the site pertaining to personnel, visitors, and premises.
- Control access to client site and or facility through the admittance process.
- Patrols assigned for the site on foot or in vehicle; checks for unsafe conditions, hazards, unlocked doors, security violations, blocked entrances, and exits.
- Protects evidence or scene of incident in the event of accidents, emergencies, or security investigations.
- Responds to incidents of fire, medical emergency, bomb threat, flooding, water discharge, elevator emergency, hazardous materials, inclement weather, and other incidents.
- Prepares logs and reports as required.

### **Lead Child Care Teacher**

Academy For Kids - Richmond, VA

January 2007 to June 2008

- Implementation of curricula activities and encourage participation by children
- Actively engage in activities; manage cleanliness, maintenance, and availability of classroom materials
- Maintain frequent communications with parents through informal discussions and progress reports
- Encourage self-help and good hygiene through behavior modeling
- Help ensure smooth, the daily transition from home to childcare center
- Follow all center policies and state regulations
- Maintain personal professional development plan to ensure continuous quality improvement
- Early Childhood Degree
- 4 years of professional child care experience
- Energetic
- Ability to work well with others
- Strong oral and written communication skills and basic computer skills
- Knowledge and understanding of child development
- Ability to lead and organize
- Create lesson plans and outdoor and indoor activities circle time meals and snacks naps art and craft

### **production work on a line**

Sunoco production - Sandston, VA

June 2006 to July 2007

- Work on a production line packing, organizing, and ordering filling.
- Productivity, and workflow metric.
- Picking and packing.
- Filling customer ticket orders, following safety procedures.
- Warehouse on a production line operator filling ink cartridges and packaging.

## Education

### **Associate's Degree in Early Childhood Education**

J Sargeant Reynolds Community College - Richmond, VA

September 2006 to June 2008

**High school diploma in High school**

Highland Springs High School - Richmond, VA

September 2000 to June 2006

**High school or equivalent**

Certifications and Licenses

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**Driver's License**

**Child care**

Present





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September 23, 2024

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This is to confirm that Ms. Marika McCray is a current Housing Choice Voucher participant in good standing.

Please do not hesitate to contact our office if you have any questions.

Respectfully submitted,

Housing Choice Voucher Management Team  
Richmond Redevelopment & Housing Authority



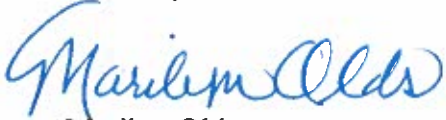
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August 20, 2024

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I would like to recommend Ms. Marika McCray for appointment to the position of Voucher Resident Commissioner. She is qualified to hold this leadership position and has demonstrated a genuine interest in the housing needs of Richmond residents, especially those who reside in government subsidized housing. I am sure that her appointment to the Board of Commissioners will allow her the opportunity to display both her administrative and humanitarian skills. If you have any questions, please contact me at the telephone number below.

Sincerely,



Marilyn Olds  
President  
Richmond Tenants' Organization  
804-437-2217

Hello, I Am Marika McCray I Became a Resident of RRHA in 2015, and with me saying that is to say I would love to become a part of the Commission Board for Richmond Redevelopment & Housing Authority So that I can be the voice for the people who are not being heard and also for myself as a part of the community myself. I am a people person I love talking and helping out others I am a good listener and I am also the right person for the spot I would love to make a lot of things better for the communities so things can be done and heard for the community needs Thank You!