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### Ordinance/Resolution Request

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**TITLE** **Approval of FY22 and FY23 Richmond Behavioral Health Authority Community Services Performance Contract**

This is a request for the drafting of an **Ordinance**  **Resolution**

#### REQUESTING COUNCILMEMBER/PATRON

President Newbille, 7<sup>th</sup> District  
Representative

#### SUGGESTED STANDING COMMITTEE

Education and Human Services

#### ORDINANCE/RESOLUTION SUMMARY

To approve the FY22 and FY23 Performance Contract between the Richmond Behavioral Health Authority and the Commonwealth of Virginia.

#### BACKGROUND

##### Summary:

The Richmond Behavioral Health Authority (RBHA) is required by state law to enter into a bi-annual contract with the Department of Behavioral Health and Developmental Services. The RBHA Performance Contract is submitted to Council for approval on an annual basis, and was last approved on October 12, 2020.

This contract is referred to as the Performance Contract and identifies anticipated budgets needed to serve consumers with intellectual disabilities, mental health, and substance abuse challenges. Sections 37.2-508 and 37.2-608 of the Code of Virginia established this contract as the primary accountability and funding mechanism between the Virginia Department of Behavioral Health and Developmental Services (Department) and RBHA. The Department monitors the RBHA's outcomes throughout the year.

This Performance Contract was approved by RBHA's Board of Directors on July 6, 2021.

The requested introduction date is September 13, 2021.

Attached is the performance contract and exhibits.

**FISCAL IMPACT STATEMENT**

Fiscal Impact Yes  No

Budget Amendment Required Yes  No

Estimated Cost or Revenue Impact:

The cost, \$3,428,000, has been included in the Non-Departmental budget.

**Attachment/s** Yes  No

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