



City of Richmond

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Summary City Council

Monday, May 6, 2019

5:00 PM

Council Chamber, 2nd Floor - City Hall

Special Meeting

1. [ORD. 2019-041](#) To adopt the General Fund Budget for the fiscal year commencing Jul. 1, 2019, and ending Jun. 30, 2020, and to appropriate the estimated revenues for such fiscal year for the objects and purposes stated in such budget.

Patrons: Mayor Stoney

Amended and continued to Monday, May 13, 2019
2. [ORD. 2019-042](#) To adopt the Special Fund Budgets for the fiscal year commencing Jul. 1, 2019, and ending Jun. 30, 2020, and to appropriate the estimated receipts of the Special Revenue funds for the said fiscal year.

Patrons: Mayor Stoney

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3. [ORD. 2019-043](#) To accept a program of proposed Capital Improvement Projects for the fiscal year beginning Jul. 1, 2019, and for the four fiscal years thereafter; to adopt a Capital Budget for the fiscal year beginning Jul. 1, 2019; and to determine the means of financing the same.

Patrons: Mayor Stoney

Amended and continued to Monday, May 13, 2019
4. [ORD. 2019-044](#) To appropriate and to provide funds for financing the school budget for the fiscal year commencing Jul. 1, 2019, and ending Jun. 30, 2020.

Patrons: Mayor Stoney

Amended and continued to Monday, May 13, 2019
5. [ORD. 2019-045](#) To adopt the Debt Service Fund Budget for the fiscal year commencing Jul. 1, 2019, and ending Jun. 30, 2020, and to appropriate the estimated expenditures from the Debt Service Fund for the said fiscal year.

Patrons: Mayor Stoney

Amended and continued to Monday, May 13, 2019

6. [ORD. 2019-046](#) To adopt the Internal Service Fund Budgets for the fiscal year commencing Jul. 1, 2019, and ending Jun. 30, 2020, and to appropriate the estimated receipts of the Internal Service funds for the said fiscal year.

Patrons: Mayor Stoney

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7. [ORD. 2019-047](#) To adopt the Department of Parks, Recreation and Community Facilities' Richmond Cemeteries Budget for the fiscal year commencing Jul. 1, 2019, and ending Jun. 30, 2020, and to appropriate the estimated receipts of the Richmond Cemeteries for the said fiscal year for the operation and management of the facilities.

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8. [ORD. 2019-048](#) To adopt the Department of Public Works' Parking Enterprise Fund Budget for Fiscal Year 2019-2020, and to appropriate the estimated receipts of the Department of Public Works' Parking Enterprise Fund for the said fiscal year for the operation and management of parking facilities.

Patrons: Mayor Stoney

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9. [ORD. 2019-049](#) To adopt the Electric Utility Budget for the fiscal year commencing Jul. 1, 2019, and ending Jun. 30, 2020; to appropriate the estimated receipts of the Electric Utility for the said fiscal year; and to make appropriations from the Electric Utility Renewal Fund or Operating Fund for renewing, rebuilding or extending the plant and distribution system of the Electric Utility and for the purchase of vehicles.

Patrons: Mayor Stoney

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10. [ORD. 2019-050](#) To adopt the Gas Utility Budget for the fiscal year commencing Jul. 1, 2019, and ending Jun. 30, 2020; to appropriate the estimated receipts of the Gas Utility for the said fiscal year; and to make appropriations from the Gas Utility Renewal Fund or Operating Fund for renewing, rebuilding or extending the plant and distribution system of the Gas Utility and for the purchase of vehicles.

Patrons: Mayor Stoney

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11. [ORD. 2019-051](#) To adopt the Department of Public Utilities' Stores Internal Service Fund Budgets for the fiscal year commencing Jul. 1, 2019, and ending Jun. 30, 2020, and to appropriate the estimated receipts of the Department of Public Utilities' Stores Internal Service Funds for the said fiscal year.

Patrons: Mayor Stoney

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12. [ORD. 2019-052](#) To adopt the Stormwater Utility Budget for the fiscal year commencing Jul. 1, 2019, and ending Jun. 30, 2020; to appropriate the estimated receipts of the Stormwater Utility for the said fiscal year; and to make appropriations from the Stormwater Utility Renewal Fund or Operating Fund for renewing, rebuilding or extending the stormwater utility and for the purchase of vehicles.

Patrons: Mayor Stoney

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13. [ORD. 2019-053](#) To adopt the Wastewater Utility Budget for the fiscal year commencing Jul. 1, 2019, and ending Jun. 30, 2020; to appropriate the estimated receipts of the Wastewater Utility for the said fiscal year; and to make appropriations from the Wastewater Utility Renewal Fund or Operating Fund for renewing, rebuilding or extending the plant and distribution system of the Wastewater Utility and for the purchase of vehicles.

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14. [ORD. 2019-054](#) To adopt the Water Utility Budget for the fiscal year commencing Jul. 1, 2019, and ending Jun. 30, 2020; to appropriate the estimated receipts of the Water Utility for the said fiscal year; and to make appropriations from the Water Utility Renewal Fund or Operating Fund for renewing, rebuilding or extending the plant and distribution system of the Water Utility and for the purchase of vehicles.

Patrons: Mayor Stoney

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15. [ORD. 2019-055](#) To amend section II of the Pay Plan adopted by Ord. No. 2018-319 on Jan. 14, 2019, to provide a 3% pay increase for classified and unclassified permanent City employees who are not in the step based pay system for police and fire employees.

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16. [ORD. 2019-056](#) To amend sections III(B)(4)(b), III(B)(11), III(B)(12), and III(B)(25)(e) of the Pay Plan adopted by Ord. No. 2018-319 on Jan. 14, 2019, to (i) suspend the police and fire career development program until Jun. 30, 2020, (ii) provide the Commonwealth Attorney's Office with \$828,229 for salary supplements and \$194,229 for Virginia Retirement System contributions and the Commonwealth Attorney with a \$49,586 salary supplement and a \$10,006 Virginia Retirement System contribution, (iii) provide the Sheriff's Office with \$1,685,683 for salary supplements and the Sheriff with a \$27,154 supplement, and (iv) to suspend the education incentive for police and fire program until Jun. 30, 2020.

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17. [ORD. 2019-057](#) To amend section III(B)(40) of the Pay Plan adopted by Ord. No. 2018-319 on Jan. 14, 2019, to modify the step-based pay system for sworn firefighters and police officers from a 14-step system to an 18-step system.

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18. [ORD. 2019-058](#) To amend and reordain City Code § 26-355, concerning the levy of tax on real estate, to increase the real estate tax rate from \$1.20 to \$1.29 for every \$100 of assessed value of real estate for the tax year beginning Jan. 1, 2020.

Patrons: Mayor Stoney

This ordinance was stricken.

19. [ORD. 2019-059](#) To amend ch. 26 of the City Code by adding therein a new art. XVIII, consisting of sections numbered 26-1277 through 26-1287, concerning the levy of a cigarette tax, for the purpose of imposing a new tax on the sale of cigarettes.

Patrons: Mayor Stoney

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20. [ORD. 2019-060](#) To amend and reordain the fees set forth in Appendix A of the City Code for § 2-729(c), concerning fees applicable to subscribers who use the City's emergency communications systems and for whom the Department installs, maintains, or repairs equipment in vehicles, to establish revised charges for such services.

Patrons: Mayor Stoney

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21. [ORD. 2019-061](#) To amend and reordain the fees set forth in Appendix A of the City Code for sections 7-6(a) and (c) (concerning cemetery fees) and 7-92 (concerning fees for care of burial spaces and lots) to increase the charges for internments, disinternments, reinternments, and entombments.

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22. [ORD. 2019-062](#) To amend and reordain the fees set forth in Appendix A of the City Code for City Code §§ 7-122 for the scattering gardens, and 7-132, for the purchase of memorial site for cremation bench, to establish revised charges therefor.

Patrons: Mayor Stoney

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23. [ORD. 2019-063](#) To amend and reordain City Code § 8-274, concerning the issuance of permits and conditions for concessions in public parks and playgrounds of the City, and the fees set forth in Appendix A of the City Code for § 8-274(a)(2), for the purpose of providing for permit fees for the issuance of permits for concessions in public parks and playgrounds of the City.

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24. [ORD. 2019-064](#) To amend the fees set forth in Appendix A of the City Code for sections 12-120(a)(4), 12-120(a)(5), 12-120(a)(6), 12-120(a)(7), 12-120(a)(9), 12-120(a)(15), 12-120(a)(16), 12-120(a)(17), 12-120(a)(21), and 12-120(a)(22), concerning rates and discounts for parking facilities operated by the City.

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25. [ORD. 2019-065](#) To amend City Code § 27-219, concerning fines for parking violations, for the purpose of adjusting the fines for certain violations.

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26. [ORD. 2019-066](#) To amend City Code § 14-152, concerning permits and fees for erosion and sediment control; and to amend and reordain Appendix A of the City Code by adding therein a new fee for § 14-152(c).

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27. [ORD. 2019-067](#) To amend and reordain the fees set forth in Appendix A of the City Code for section 24-365 (concerning fees for installing gaslights) of the City Code, effective as of the date of rendering bills for Cycle I in July, 2019, to establish revised charges for such services.

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28. [ORD. 2019-068](#) To amend and reordain the fees set forth in Appendix A of the City Code for sections 28-191(2) and 28-191(3) (concerning fees for residential gas service), 28-192(2) (concerning fees for residential gas peaking service), 28-193(2) (concerning fees for general gas service), 28-195(f) and 28-196(f) (concerning fees for transportation service), 28-198(2) (concerning fees for municipal gas service), 28-202(c) (concerning fees for large volume gas sales service), 28-203(c) (concerning fees for large volume, high load factor, gas sales service) and 28-204(b) (concerning fees for natural gas vehicle gas service) of the City Code, effective as of the date of rendering bills for Cycle I in July 2019, to establish revised charges for such services.

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29. [ORD. 2019-069](#) To amend the fees set forth in Appendix A of the City Code for sections 28-923 (concerning fees for residential stormwater service) and 28-924 (concerning fees for developed residential properties stormwater service) of the City Code, effective as of the date of rendering bills for Cycle I in July, 2019, to establish revised charges for the stormwater utility's services.

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30. [ORD. 2019-070](#) To amend and reordain certain fees set forth in Appendix A of the City Code for sections 28-650 (concerning fees for residential wastewater service), 28-651 (concerning fees for commercial wastewater service), 28-652 (concerning fees for industrial wastewater service), 28-653 (concerning fees for state and federal wastewater service), 28-654 (concerning fees for municipal wastewater service) and 28-799 (concerning fees for discharge of hauled materials into designated septage receiving stations by contractors) of the City Code, effective as of the date of rendering bills for Cycle I in July, 2019, to establish revised charges for such services.

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31. [ORD. 2019-071](#) To amend and reordain the fees set forth in Appendix A of the City Code for sections 28-326 (concerning fees for residential water service), 28-327 (concerning fees for commercial water service), 28-328 (concerning fees for industrial water service), 28-329 (concerning fees for municipal water service), 28-330 (concerning fees for state and federal water service), 28-458 (concerning fees for water for fire protection) and 28-549 (concerning fees for water use during conservation periods) of the City Code, effective as of the date of rendering bills for Cycle I in July, 2019, to establish revised charges for such services.

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32. [ORD. 2019-072](#) To amend and reordain the fees set forth in Appendix A of the City Code for section 23-42 (concerning fees for solid waste) of the City Code, effective as of the date of rendering bills for Cycle I in July, 2019, to establish revised charges for such services.

Patrons: Mayor Stoney

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33. [ORD.
2019-073](#)

To authorize the issuance of general obligation public improvement bonds of the City of Richmond in the maximum principal amount of \$48,365,559 to finance the cost of school projects and general capital improvement projects of the City for the following purposes and uses: construction, reconstruction, improvements and equipment for public schools; construction, reconstruction, improvement and equipment for various infrastructure needs, including traffic control facilities, streets, sidewalks and other public ways, bridges, storm sewers, drains and culverts, and refuse disposal facilities; participation in redevelopment, conservation and community development programs, including the construction, reconstruction, improvement and equipment for targeted public facilities included in these programs; construction, reconstruction, improvements and equipment for public institutional, operational, cultural, educational and entertainment buildings and facilities, including but not limited to the theaters, parks, playgrounds, cemeteries, libraries and museums; acquisition of real property therefor as appropriate; and the making of appropriations to the City's Economic Development Authority ("EDA") to be used by the EDA to finance capital expenditures or to make loans or grants to finance capital expenditures for the purposes of promoting economic development; to authorize the Director of Finance, with the approval of the Chief Administrative Officer, for and on behalf of the City, to sell such bonds for such capital improvement projects, to provide for the form, details and payment of such bonds; to authorize the issuance of notes of the City in anticipation of the issuance of such bonds; and to authorize the issuance of taxable bonds, for the same purposes and uses, in the same maximum principal amount and payable over the same period as such general obligation public improvement bonds.

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34. [ORD. 2019-074](#) To authorize the issuance of public utility revenue bonds of the City of Richmond in the maximum principal amount of \$87,191,049 to finance the cost of capital improvement projects of the gas, water and wastewater utilities and public utilities buildings and facilities for the following purposes and uses: enlargement, extension, repair, replacement, improvement and equipping of the gas plant and transmission lines; enlargement, extension, repair, replacement, improvement and equipping of the waterworks plant and transmission lines; enlargement, extension, repair, replacement, improvement and equipping of the wastewater plant and intercepting lines; construction, reconstruction, repair, replacement, and improvement of sanitary and storm water sewers, pumping stations, drains and culverts; construction, reconstruction, repair, replacement, improvement and equipping of public utility buildings and facilities therefor, including but not limited to the stores division; and acquisition of real property and real property rights (including without limitation easements and rights-of-way) therefor as appropriate; to authorize the Director of Finance, with the approval of the Chief Administrative Officer, for and on behalf of the City, to sell such bonds for such capital improvement projects; to provide for the form, details and payment of such bonds; to approve the form of supplemental indenture of trust; to authorize the issuance of notes of the City in anticipation of the issuance of such bonds; and to authorize the issuance of taxable bonds, for the same purposes and uses, in the same maximum principal amount and payable over the same period as such public utility revenue bonds.

Patrons: Mayor Stoney

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35. [ORD. 2019-075](#) To authorize the issuance of general obligation equipment notes of the City of Richmond in the maximum principal amount of \$5,291,067 to finance the cost of equipment for the following purposes and uses: acquisition of computer, radio, office, solid waste collection, office furniture and miscellaneous equipment and vehicles for the various departments, bureaus and agencies of the City, and equipment for City schools; and to authorize the Director of Finance, with the approval of the Chief Administrative Officer, for and on behalf of the City, to sell equipment notes to finance the acquisition of such equipment, and to authorize the issuance of taxable notes, for the same purposes and uses, in the same maximum principal amount and payable over the same period as such general obligation equipment notes.

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City Council will hold a public hearing on the following ordinances on Monday, May 13, 2019, at 6:00 p.m.:

36. [ORD. 2019-123](#) To amend and reordain ch. 22, art. VII of the City Code by adding therein a new section numbered 22-206, concerning a voluntary retirement incentive program, to be effective Jul. 1, 2019, for the purposes of providing for (i) the alternate computation of benefits in connection therewith and (ii) a limited period during which qualified members of the Richmond Retirement System's defined benefit and enhanced defined benefit plans shall be eligible to retire with a one-time incentive payment.

Patrons: City Council

This ordinance was introduced and committee referral waived pursuant to Rule VI(B)(2).

37. [ORD. 2019-124](#) To amend City Code § 26-2, concerning the commission for the collection, accounting, and remission of meals taxes, for the purpose of increasing the commission percentage from 1.5 percent to three percent of the amount of such tax due and accounted for.

Patrons: City Council

This ordinance was introduced and committee referral waived pursuant to Rule VI(B)(2).