

Richmond City Council

Boards & Commissions Appointments Formal Meeting of Richmond City Council

Monday, June 10, 2024 – 6:00 p.m.

Education and Human Services Standing Committee recommends appointment of the following applicant:					
Board Name	Criteria for Appointment	Applicant Name	Terms		
Social Services Advisory	City Resident	Ali Faruk	06/24/2024 - 06/23/2028		
Board		3 rd District Resident	Succeeding Timika Cousins		
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Social Services Advisory Board

Vacancies as of August 11, 2024

The board shall consist of **nine members**, all of whom shall be **citizens of the City**.

The Director of Social Services shall assign an employee to act as secretary of the board.

(Assigned to the Education and Human Services Standing Committee)

Current Vacancy							
Member Name	Criteria for Appointment	Live / Work District	Term	Terminate			
Timika Cousins	Citizen of City	7 th	First	06/23/2024			
Timika Cousins	Citizen of City	/	Contacted – no response received				
	Curren	t Membersh	nip				
Member Name	Criteria for Appointment	Live / Work District	Term	Terminate			
Portia Allman	Citizen of City	6 th	First	03/26/2028			
Jameson Ryan Babb	Citizen of City	5 th	First	09/26/2027			
Ann Kramer	Citizen of City	6 th	First	09/26/2027			
Preston A. Page	Citizen of City	6 th	Second	06/22/2025			
Lisa Specter-Dunaway	Citizen of City	5 th	First	01/11/2026			
Nicole Poulin	Citizen of City	4 th	First	10/21/2027			
Sherrell Thompson	Citizen of City	7 th	First	04/22/2027			
Kimberley Young	Citizen of City	7 th	First	09/10/2024			

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	(Name of Autho	ority, Board, Commiss	ion or Task Fo	rce		
	SOCIAL SER	VICES ADVISOR	Y BOARD			
Title: Mr.						
Name: Ali M. Faruk						
Home Address: 002811	GRIFFIN AVE R	ICHMOND VA 232	222			
Home Telephone: 571-217	'-1092			Home F	ax: n/a	
Personal E-Mail Address:	farukam@gmail.co	om				
Employer: Va Dept of Me	dical Assistance Se	ervices				
Job Title: Senior Policy Ai	nalyst				How Long?	
Business Address: VA	•					
Business Telephone:		Ext:	Business			
			Fax:			
Business E-Mail Address:	ali.faruk@dmas.vi	rginia.gov				
Is Your Place of Employment	Located in the city of F	Richmond? Yes				
Is your Place of Employment	Located in the County	? No If	Yes, Which Co	ounty?		
Are You A City Resident?	es If Yes, Whic	h City Council District	? 3	Number	of Years?	14

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?

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Authorities, Boards, Commissions, and Task Forces Application

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 Authori Board, Commission or Task Force:
- Bachelor of Science in Sociology, VCU - Master of Public Administration, focus on health safety net & budget/financial management in govt - experience working in fair housing, fair lending & community development (Housing Opportunities Ma
Equal) - experience working in family violence, abuse prevention, and maternal health (Families Forward VA) - experience working in Long term care and people with disabilities (DARS and DMAS)
List other city of Richmond Authorities, Boards, Commissions or Task Forces you currently or have previously se on. Please give date(s) and office(s) held, if applicable.
I have served on no other city authorities, boards, or commissions
Other Community Involvement:
former member, Board of Directors, Mental Health America of Virginia former member, Community Building Committee, United Way of Greater Richmond & Petersburg
(OPTIONAL) Please List Additional Information You Would Like Considered, or You May Copy and Paste Your S Resume.
How Did You Hear About or Who Referred You to Apply for Appointment to This Authority, Board, Commission o Force?
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