



City of Richmond

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Agenda

Governmental Operations Standing Committee

Wednesday, June 11, 2025

2:30 PM

Council Chamber, 2nd Floor - City Hall

Persons requesting to provide comments virtually during the public hearings or public comment period held at this meeting, must call the Office of the City Clerk at (804) 646-7955, option 3, by no later than 10:00 a.m., on Wednesday, June 11, 2025.

Call to Order

Chamber Emergency Evacuation Plan Announcement and Public Speaker Guidelines

Public Comment Period

Approval of Minutes

[CD.2025.189](#) February 5, 2025 Governmental Operations Special Meeting Minutes

Attachments: [20250205 GovOps Special Minutes \(Draft\)](#)

Presentation(s)

None

Paper(s) for Consideration

1. [ORD. 2025-134](#) To amend City Code §§ 28-54, concerning deposits and refunds on gas and water utilities accounts, 28-57, concerning disconnection of gas, water and wastewater service for nonpayment of service charges and notice, and 28-58, gas service to residential customers billed under RS rate schedule, disconnection for nonpayment of gas, water and wastewater services for nonpayment and notice, all for the purpose of aligning the City Code with state law.

Patrons: Mayor Avula

Attachments: [Ord. No. 2025-134](#)

Legislative History

6/2/25 City Council introduced and referred to the Governmental Operations Standing Committee

2. [ORD. 2025-135](#) To authorize the Chief Administrative Officer, for and on behalf of the City of Richmond, to execute an Agreement between the Virginia Department

of Health and the City of Richmond for the purpose of facilitating the performance of public health services by the Richmond Henrico Health District.

Patrons: Mayor Avula

Attachments: [Ord. No. 2025-135](#)

Legislative History

6/2/25 City Council introduced and referred to the Governmental Operations Standing Committee

3. [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

4. [ORD. 2025-137](#) To amend and reordain City Code § 21-4, concerning definitions related to public procurement, and to amend ch. 21, art. II, by adding therein new section 21-75, concerning reverse auctioning, authorized by Va. Code § 2.2-4303(I).

Patrons: Mayor Avula

Attachments: [Ord. No. 2025-137](#)

Legislative History

6/9/25 City Council introduced and referred to the Governmental Operations Standing Committee

5. [ORD. 2025-138](#) To amend City Code § 2-1204, concerning the residency of certain officers and employees, to modify the City's residency requirement for certain officers and employees.

Patrons: Ms. Abubaker, Ms. Gibson, Ms. Jones, Ms. Trammell, Mr. Breton and Ms. Lynch

Attachments: [Ord. No. 2025-138](#)
[Mayor Avula Residency Requirement Memorandum 6-11-25 Final v3](#)

Legislative History

6/9/25 City Council introduced and referred to the Governmental Operations Standing Committee

Board Vacancies

None

Discussion Item(s)

None

Staff Report