



# City of Richmond

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## Agenda

### Education and Human Services Standing Committee

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Thursday, August 5, 2021

2:00 PM

Council Chamber, 2nd Floor - City Hall  
Virtual Meeting

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This meeting will be held through electronic communication means pursuant to and in compliance with Ordinance No. 2020-093, adopted April 9, 2020, as most recently amended by Ordinance No. 2021-181, adopted June 28, 2021. This meeting will be accessible through electronic communication means by the public and closed to in-person access by the public. Less than a quorum of the Education and Human Services Standing Committee will assemble for this meeting in the Council Chamber on the 2nd floor of City Hall at 900 East Broad Street in Richmond, Virginia 23219, and most committee members and other staff will participate by teleconference/videoconference via Microsoft Teams.

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<https://richmondva.legistar.com/Calendar.aspx> by clicking the link that reads, "In Progress" in the far right hand column entitled, "Video".

Interested citizens who wish to speak will be given an opportunity to do so by following the instructions below.

[CD.2021.324](#) August 5, 2021, Education and Human Services Standing Committee Meeting Participation Instructions

**Attachments:** [20210805 Meeting Participation Instructions](#)

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**Call to Order**

**Electronic Meeting Announcement**

**Roll Call**

**Citizen Speaker Guidelines**

**Public Comment Period**

**Approval of Minutes**

[CD.2021.325](#) July 8, 2021, Education and Human Services Standing Committee Meeting Minutes

**Attachments:** [20210708 EHS Minutes-DRAFT](#)

**Board Vacancies**

None

**Presentations**

None

**Paper for Consideration**

1. [RES. 2021-R049](#) To declare the existence of a climate and ecological emergency that threatens the city of Richmond, the surrounding region, the Commonwealth of Virginia, civilization, humanity, and the natural world.

**Patrons:** City Council

**Attachments:** [Res. No. 2021-R049](#)

**Legislative History**

7/26/21 City Council introduced and referred to the Education and Human Services Standing Committee

## Discussion Item

### 1. Richmond Public Schools Update – Jason Kamras, Richmond Public Schools Superintendent and Cheryl Burke, Richmond School Board Chair

- RPS Operating Budget Overview
- Fall 2021 Back to School Information
- 2021-2022 After-School Programming
- Resources for Students Experiencing Homelessness
- Vaccination Outreach for Students and Teachers

[CD.2021.348](#) RPS Updates

**Attachments:**

[20210805 RPS - Biden Stimulus Funding Proposal](#)

[20210805 RPS - Extended Day 2021-2022](#)

[20210805 RPS - Literacy Plan](#)

[20210805 FY22 Superintendent's Budget Proposal](#)

[20210805 RPS - Health and Safety Measures](#)

[20210805 RPS - Richmond Reopening Dashboard](#)

## Staff Report