



# Richmond City Council

*The Voice of the People*

*Richmond, Virginia*

## Budget Commitments

In their role as the governing legislative institution of Richmond, Richmond City Council is dedicated to investing in the needs of our community. This document shares the key priorities, budget commitments, the overall picture of how funds are spent, and a link for further information about the budget process to keep Richmond residents informed about these vital efforts.

### Priorities

Richmond City Council uses the following priorities to advocate for community needs.

- Planned Growth, Economic Justice, and Affordable Housing
- Safe and Clean Neighborhoods
- Strong Futures for Children, Adults, and Families
- Responsive and Accountable Government
- Strategic Infrastructure Investments

### COMMITMENTS

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#### Collective Bargaining

Focusing on making the City of Richmond an employer of choice, the City Council is supporting our core employees by dedicating \$27 million to Collective Bargaining per year.

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#### Richmond City Schools

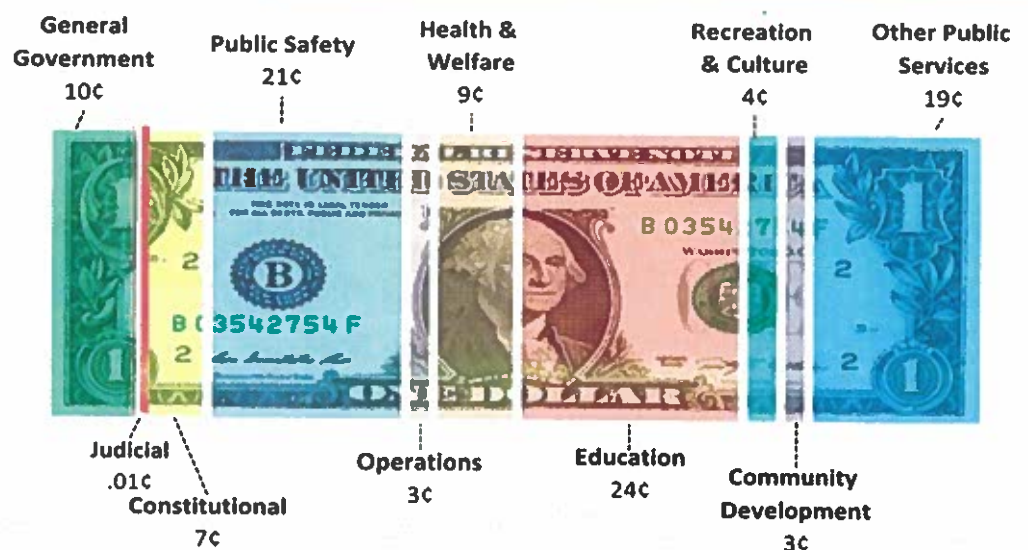
With a deep commitment to our schools and children, The City of Richmond has increased the RPS budget by over \$97.3 million dollars since 2017.

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#### Public Mobility and Infrastructure

We have made critical improvements to our roads, ensuring safety and reliability for all users. City Council is committed to expanding connectivity across the City.

### How a dollar is spent in Richmond's General Fund?



Visit this link to learn more.

<https://rva.gov/richmond-city-council/richmond-budget>

