



City of Richmond

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Agenda

Education and Human Services Standing Committee

Thursday, June 11, 2026

2:00 PM

Council Chamber, 2nd Floor - City Hall

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Call to Order

Chamber Emergency Evacuation Plan Announcement and Public Speaker Guidelines

Public Comment Period

Presentation(s)

1. Juvenile Justice and Gun Violence Prevention Efforts ~ Greg Hopkins, Director of Justice Services/Office of Gun Violence Prevention

[CD.2026.166](#) Department of Justice Services and Office of Gun Violence Prevention

Attachments: [GVP for June EHS](#)

Discussion Item(s)

1. Richmond Public Schools Updates ~ Jason Kamras, RPS Superintendent
2. Deputy Chief Administrative Officer Report ~ Amy Popovich, DCAO for Human Services

Paper(s) for Consideration

1. [ORD. 2026-139](#) To amend Ord. No. 2025-057, adopted May 12, 2025, which adopted the Fiscal Year 2025-2026 General Fund Budget and made appropriations pursuant thereto, by transferring funds in the amount of \$80,000.00 from the Outside Agencies and Central Appropriations agency Venture Richmond, Inc. line item in the Organizational Subsidy category for the Administration and Finance portfolio and to appropriating such transferred funds in the amount of \$80,000.00 to the Department of Neighborhood and Community Services for the purpose of funding CARITAS Surge Shelter Operations.

Patrons: Mayor Avula

Attachments: [Ord. No. 2026-139](#)

Legislative History

6/8/26 City Council introduced and referred to the Finance and Economic Development Standing Committee

2. [ORD. 2026-140](#) To authorize the Chief Administrative Officer, for and on behalf of the City of Richmond, to accept funds in the amount of \$1,164,547.84 from the National Opioid Settlement Fund, resulting from settlement agreements with Sandoz Group, Kroger, CVS, Allergan, Teva, Walgreens, and Distributor, and to amend Ord. No. 2025-057, adopted May 12, 2025, which adopted the Special Fund Budget for the Fiscal Year 2025-2026 and made appropriations thereto, by increasing the revenues and the amount appropriated to the Department of Neighborhood and Community Services' National Opioid Settlement Special Fund by \$1,164,547.84, for the purpose of funding opioid abatement and remediation strategies to combat the opioid crisis.

Patrons: Mayor Avula

Attachments: [Ord. No. 2026-140](#)

Legislative History

6/8/26 City Council introduced and referred to the Education and Human Services Standing Committee

3. [ORD. 2026-141](#) To amend Ord No. 2025-057, adopted May 12, 2025, which adopted the Fiscal Year 2025-2026 Special Fund Budget and made appropriations pursuant thereto, by transferring funds in the amount of \$300,000.00 from the National Opioid Settlement Special Fund for the Department of Neighborhood and Community Services and appropriating such transferred funds in the amount of \$300,000.00 to the Medication Assisted Treatment Pilot Program Special Fund for the City Sheriff for the purpose of funding the Medication Assisted Treatment Pilot Program.

Patrons: Mayor Avula

Attachments: [Ord. No. 2026-141](#)

Legislative History

6/8/26 City Council introduced and referred to the Education and Human Services Standing Committee

4. [ORD. 2026-142](#) To authorize the Chief Administrative Officer, for and on behalf of the City of Richmond, to execute a YMCA of Greater Richmond Grant Contract between the City of Richmond and the Young Men's Christian Association of Greater Richmond for the purpose of operating low-cost afterschool programming at six elementary schools.

Patrons: Mayor Avula

Attachments: [Ord. No. 2026-142](#)

Legislative History

6/8/26 City Council introduced and referred to the Education and Human Services Standing Committee

5. [ORD. 2026-143](#) To authorize the Chief Administrative Officer, for and on behalf of the City of Richmond, to execute a Second Amendment to Grant Contract between the City of Richmond and The Salvation Army for the purpose of extending the term of the contract through June 30, 2027, with the option to exercise three additional one-year term extensions, for the continued operations of an inclement weather shelter and year-round emergency shelter located at 1900 Chamberlayne Avenue. (3rd District)

Patrons: Mayor Avula

Attachments: [Ord. No. 2026-143](#)

Legislative History

6/8/26 City Council introduced and referred to the Education and Human Services Standing Committee

6. [ORD. 2026-144](#) To authorize the Chief Administrative Officer, for and on behalf of the City of Richmond, to execute a First Amendment to Lease Agreement between the City of Richmond, as tenant, and The Salvation Army, as landlord, for the purpose of leasing a portion of the property located at 1900 Chamberlayne Avenue for the operation of a resource and training center. (3rd District)

Patrons: Mayor Avula

Attachments: [Ord. No. 2026-144](#)

Legislative History

6/8/26 City Council introduced and referred to the Education and Human Services Standing Committee

Board Vacancies

None

Approval of Minutes

[CD.2026.168](#) May 14, 2026 - Education & Human Services Standing Committee Meeting Minutes

Attachments: [20260514 Meeting Minutes \(DRAFT\)](#)

Staff Report

[CD.2026.170](#) Education & Human Services Standing Committee June 11, 2026 Staff Report

Attachments: [June 2026 EHS Committee Staff Report](#)