INTRODUCED: December 11, 2023

# **Expedited Consideration**

To appoint Riad Ali to serve as City Auditor.

A RESOLUTION No. 2023-R060

Patron – President Jones						
Approved as to form and legality by the City Attorney						
	PUBL	IC HEARING	: DEC 11 2023 A	AT 6 P.M.		
BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF RICHMOND:						
1.	That Riad Ali is hereby appointed to the position of City Auditor for an indefinite					
term beginning December 18, 2023, provided the appointee has satisfied all necessary pre-hiring						
requirements; and						
2.	2. That the City Auditor shall have and exercise all the powers and duties conferred					
upon the City Auditor by law or required of the position by law.						
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AYES:	8	NOES:	0	ABSTAIN:		
ADOPTED:	DEC 11 2023	REJECTED: _		STRICKEN:		



## **Ordinance & Resolution Request**

TO:	Laura K. Drewry

City Attorney

**THROUGH:** LaTesha S. Holmes

Council Chief of Staff

**FROM:** Kimberly J. Kyle

Management Analyst Sr.

**COPY:** Michael Jones, President

Council Member - Ninth Voter District

Tabrica Rentz

Deputy City Attorney

**DATE:** November 30, 2023

**SUBJECT:** Appointment of Riad Ali as City Auditor

This is a request for the drafting of an **Ordinance**  $\square$  **Resolution**  $\boxtimes$ 

REQUESTING COUNCILMEMBER/ PATRON SUGGESTED

STANDING COMMITTEE

President Michael Jones

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#### ORDINANCE & RESOLUTION SUMMARY

The purpose of this Resolution is to request the appointment of Riad Ali to the position of City Auditor.

#### **BACKGROUND**

This request is in accordance with Richmond City Code §4.18, which states, "There shall be a city auditor who shall be appointed by the council for an indefinite term. The City Auditor shall have been certified as a certified public accountant by the Virginia State Board of Accountancy or by the examining board of any other state which extends to and is extended reciprocity by the Commonwealth of Virginia and shall be qualified by training and experience for the duties of the city auditor. The city auditor shall have the power to appoint such accountants and other assistants for the performance of the duties of the city auditor's office as the council may provide for. It shall be the duty of the city auditor to examine and audit all accounts, books, records, and

financial transactions of the city or any department, board, commission, office, or agency thereof, including all trust funds, special funds, and other funds. In performing the city auditor's duties, the city auditor shall have access at any and all times to all books, records, and accounts of each department and agency subject to examination and audit by the City Auditor."

Therefore, the effective date for Council appointment is December 18, 2023. The O&R requested date of introduction is December 11, 2023.

### FISCAL IMPACT STATEMENT

Fiscal Impact:	Yes No No			
Budget Amendment Required:	Yes 🗌 No 🔀			
Estimated Cost or Revenue Impact:	Annual Salary - <b>\$217,000</b>			
Funding for this position is included in the FY24 budget.				
Attachment/s Yes No 🖂				