

Formal Awards Ceremony Docket

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1	<p>Mr. Dick Harman</p> <p>To be received by: Mr. Dick Harman</p>	<p>RICHMOND OFFICIAL RECOGNITION AWARD</p>	<p>To recognize, honor, and celebrate him on the auspicious occasion of his 30th Anniversary serving as the Host Announcer of Richmond City Council Formal Meetings that are televised and digitally streamed on the internet.</p>	<p>Gray</p>



Richmond City Council

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Richmond, Virginia

RICHMOND OFFICIAL RECOGNITION AWARD

By virtue of the authority vested in the United States of America, Commonwealth of Virginia, Virginia Code of Laws and the Richmond City Charter: Richmond City Council, the governing body of Richmond, Virginia, in the United States of America, do hereby officially recognize:

Mr. Dick Harman

The Honorable Members of Richmond City Council, the governing body of Richmond, Virginia, in the United States of America, do hereby unite in solidarity and common purpose to recognize, honor, and celebrate Mr. Dick Harman on the auspicious occasion of his 30th Anniversary serving as the Host Announcer of Richmond City Council Formal Meetings that are televised and digitally streamed on the internet.

A dedicated professional, Mr. Harman began serving as the Host Announcer of Richmond City Council Meetings in March 1988. Over the years, Mr. Harman has hosted an estimated 700 Richmond City Council Formal and Special Meetings held during that time.

Produced by Richmond City Council in collaboration with Commonwealth Public Broadcasting, WCVE TV (Public Broadcasting Service), Mr. Harman provides pre- and post-meeting overviews, information, and summaries of our local legislative process.

Broadcast live on television over the airwaves and on cable television with no commercial breaks by Commonwealth Public Broadcasting, the meetings are also digitally streamed live on the internet; replayed multiple times on Richmond Government Access TV Channel 17; and, archived for 24-hours a day access via the Richmond City Council Website.

Mr. Harman's career in broadcasting began in 1955 in radio and TV in Buffalo, New York, and has included work in Binghamton, New York, Hampton Roads, Virginia, and Richmond. Since coming to Richmond in 1976, Mr. Harman worked in advertising, marketing, and broadcasting before retiring from fulltime work in 2008 as the Marketing and Sponsorship Coordinator for the State Fair of Virginia. Mr. Harman's sports involvement has included announcing for the University of Richmond, Randolph-Macon College, and Trinity Episcopal High School. Mr. Harman also has been involved with the Special Olympics for more than 30 years.

Now, Therefore, The Honorable Members of Richmond City Council do hereby recognize, honor, and celebrate Mr. Dick Harman on the auspicious occasion of his 30th Anniversary serving as the Host Announcer of Richmond City Council Formal Meetings that are televised and digitally streamed on the internet; and, brings this to the attention of a grateful Richmond community.

In Witness Whereof, we have hereunto given under our hands for presentation on the twenty-sixth day of March, two thousand eighteen, of the Common Era, in the two hundred eighth year of the foundation of Richmond in 1737, in the two hundred forty-first year of the Commonwealth of Virginia and United States of America.

The Honorable Chris A. Hilbert
Council President, Richmond City Council
Councilman, Richmond Northside 3rd Voter District

The Honorable Cynthia I. Newbille
Council Vice President, Richmond City Council
Councilwoman, Richmond East End 7th Voter District

The Honorable Kim B. Gray
Councilwoman, Richmond City Council
Richmond North Central 2nd Voter District