

INTRODUCED: April 9, 2018

A RESOLUTION No. 2018-R033

To express the Council's support for the oversight of the design and construction of public schools in the city of Richmond by the School Board of the City of Richmond and to request that the School Board prepare and submit to the Council, the Mayor, and the Chief Administrative Officer a construction plan for the design and construction of such facilities.

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Patrons – Ms. Larson and Ms. Trammell

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Approved as to form and legality  
by the City Attorney  
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PUBLIC HEARING: APR 23 2018 AT 6 P.M.

WHEREAS, the Council believes that it is in the best interests of the citizens of the City of Richmond that the School Board of the City of Richmond be responsible for the oversight of the design and construction of public schools in the city of Richmond and that the Council request that the School Board of the City of Richmond prepare and submit to the Council, the Mayor, and the Chief Administrative Officer a plan for the design and construction of such facilities;

NOW, THEREFORE,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF RICHMOND:

AYES:            5            NOES:            2            ABSTAIN:        \_\_\_\_\_

ADOPTED:      MAY 29 2018      REJECTED:      \_\_\_\_\_      STRICKEN:      \_\_\_\_\_

That the Council supports oversight of the design and construction of public schools of the City of Richmond by the School Board of the City of Richmond.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED:

That the Council hereby requests that the School Board of the City of Richmond prepare and submit to the Council, the Mayor, and the Chief Administrative Officer a plan for the design and construction of public schools in the city of Richmond that proposes expenditures consistent with appropriations for the design and construction of such schools in the Capital Budget adopted for the fiscal year commencing July 1, 2018, and ending June 30, 2019, and the planned appropriations for the four fiscal years thereafter set forth in the capital improvement program adopted for the five fiscal years commencing July 1, 2018.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED:

That the Council hereby requests that the School Board of the City of Richmond provide to the Council, the Mayor, and the Chief Administrative Officer ongoing quarterly reports describing the progress made with regard to the submitted plan no later than the 15<sup>th</sup> day following the end of the preceding quarter, with the first such report being provided no later than October 15, 2018.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED:

That the Council hereby requests that the School Board of the City of Richmond publish each quarterly report on the School Board's website and make a copy of the most recently provided quarterly report available for inspection by the public at each meeting of the School Board.



# Richmond City Council

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Richmond, Virginia

Lou Brown Ali  
Council Chief of Staff

## Office of the Council Chief of Staff

### Council Ordinance/Resolution Request

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**DATE** March 28, 2018

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**TITLE:** Resolution to support Richmond Public Schools (RPS) Construction Plan

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OFFICE OF CITY ATTORNEY

This is a request for the drafting of an **Ordinance**  **Resolution**

**REQUESTING COUNCILMEMBER/PATRON**

Council Member Kristen Larson

**SUGGESTED STANDING COMMITTEE**

Education and Human Services

**ORDINANCE/RESOLUTION SUMMARY**

Resolution to show support of Council for Richmond Public Schools to oversee the design and construction of school buildings; share a construction plan that fits within the approved CIP budget for RPS; and provide quarterly progress reports to Council, School, Mayor and the public.

**BACKGROUND**

The patron is requesting a resolution that City Council agrees that Richmond Public Schools should oversee the design and construction of school

buildings. The resolution is also requesting that the School Board share a school construction plan that fits within the FY19 approved CIP budget for RPS.

On a quarterly basis, the plan should be shared with City Council, School Board, Mayor and the public. In an effort to provide the public with transparency for this process, the plan and progress related to the plan should be shared publicly via public meetings as well as school board and city websites on a quarterly basis.

**FISCAL IMPACT STATEMENT**

Fiscal Impact	Yes <input type="checkbox"/>	No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Budget Amendment Required	Yes <input type="checkbox"/>	No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Estimated Cost or Revenue Impact	\$	

Attachment/s      Yes     No