### Richmond City Council



# Formal Awards Ceremony Docket

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#	TITLE/RECIPIENT	ТҮРЕ	SUMMARY/NARRATIVE	MAIN PRESENTER/S
1	Richmond Triangle Players  To be received by: Richmond Triangle Players	RICHMOND OFFICIAL RECOGNITION AWARD	To recognize, honor, and celebrate the Richmond Triangle Players for helping to make Richmond an even more cultured, inclusive, and better place to live, love, work, learn, play, visit, enjoy, and raise a family.	Gray
2	Richmond Department of Parks, Recreation, and Community Facilities  Movies in the Park  Program  To be received by: Richmond Department of Parks, Recreation, and Community Facilities Tariq Waajid Raqiyah Waajid Cooper Coleman Richardson Roderick Johnson Tamara Jenkins	RICHMOND OFFICIAL RECOGNITION AWARD	To recognize, honor, and celebrate the Program and thank its dedicated staff and supporters for their work in helping to make Richmond an even better place to live, love, work, learn, play, visit, enjoy, and raise a family.	Gray
3	Capt. Greer Gould 1st Police Precinct Commander Richmond Police Department - Richmond 1st Police Precinct  Capt. Michael Snawder 2nd Police Precinct Commander Richmond Police Department - Richmond Police Department - Richmond 2nd Police Precinct  To be received by: Capt. Gould Capt. Snawder	RICHMOND OFFICIAL RECOGNITION AWARD	To recognize them for their work on behalf of our community; and, thanks them and our dedicated professional law enforcement officers, staff, and support personnel for helping to make Richmond an even better and safer place to live, love, work, learn, play, visit, enjoy, and raise a family.	Trammell

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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:

# Richmond Triangle Players

### 25th Anniversary

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 the Richmond Triangle Players theatre troupe on the auspicious occasion of its 25th anniversary of theatre production season within the Richmond community.

A Richmond-based nonprofit theatre company with a commitment to the celebration of diversity and inclusion, the Richmond Triangle Players performs theatrical plays that explore equality, identity, family, gender, and cultural acceptance through the production of works created by and for the lesbian, gay, bisexual, and transgender community.

Initially conceived as a fundraiser to combat the AIDS pandemic affecting the Richmond community, the Richmond Triangle Players was founded in 1993 after producing an evening of one-act plays with proceeds benefitting the Fan Free Clinic (now known as Health Brigade).

Originally located in the Fieldens Cabaret Theatre, on the top floor of an after-hours night club, after fifteen years of growth, the Richmond Triangle Players toured their productions throughout the greater Richmond community for eighteen months in a variety of venues, including the Gay Community Center of Richmond (now known as Diversity Richmond), Metropolitan Community Church, and the Theatre Gym at Virginia Rep Center, among others. In 2010, the Richmond Triangle Players relocated to the Robert B. Moss Theatre, a 4,000-square foot building on Altamont Avenue, where they are presently located and produce an average of 180 events each year.

Highly regarded for their fine work over the years, the collective repository of awards, honors, and accolades for the Richmond Triangle Players includes the Richmond Theatre Critics Circle Awards for Best Play and Best Musical twice each and more than 90 "Best" nominations; recognized twice by Style Weekly as Richmond's Best Local Theatre Company; named as one of the fifteen most important theatres of its kind in the nation by Playbill.com; and, recognition from Equality Virginia with a 2018 OUTstanding Virginians Award for promoting diversity and inclusion.

**Now, Therefore,** Richmond City Council does hereby officially recognize, honor, and celebrate the Richmond Triangle Players theatre troupe on the auspicious occasion of its 25th anniversary of theatre production season, and thanks them for helping to make Richmond an even better and more cultured place to live, love, work, learn, play, visit, enjoy, and raise a family.

In Witness Whereof, we have hereunto given under our hands for presentation on the twenty-third day of July, two thousand eighteen, of the Common Era, in the two hundred eighty-first year of the foundation of Richmond in 1737, in the two hundred forty-second 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

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Richmond Department of Parks, Recreation, and Community Facilities

## Movies in the Park Program

**Whereas**, 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 officially recognize, honor, and celebrate the Richmond Department of Parks, Recreation, and Community Facilities Movies in the Park Program; and

**Whereas**, Established in 2009 by the Richmond Department of Parks, Recreation, and Community Facilities, the *Movies in the Park* Program was created to help further build, grow, and support even stronger, happier, and safer neighborhoods; and

**Whereas**, Holding its 10th season this year, the Movies in the Park Program screens a different recently released movie for free on Fridays during the summer months at an outdoor Richmond Department of Parks, Recreation, and Community Facilities venue; and,

**Whereas,** Scheduled in a different area of the city each week, the Movies in the Park Program is considered a huge success in providing safe fun-filled activities for all Richmond residents and welcomes, hosts, and entertains thousands of children and adults of all ages each year; and

**Whereas**, The Movies in the Park Program is the result of the tremendous support, dedication, effort, and teamwork, which includes administering, publicizing, managing, scheduling, producing, grounds keeping, transporting, and purchasing, of the staff of the Richmond Department of Parks, Recreation, and Community Facilities, who are recognized for their critical roles in helping to produce such an undertaking; and

Whereas, The members of Richmond City Council are strong advocates, supporters, promoters, and champions of public parks, green spaces, community and cultural centers, programs, and activities, playgrounds, recreational areas, natural trails, historic sites, and the many other vital natural and man-made resources that help to make and keep our city vibrant, beautiful and thriving on behalf of all its wonderful residents, families, businesses, and visitors; and

Whereas, Managed and maintained by the Richmond Department of Parks, Recreation, and Community Facilities, these precious resources include our more than 169 parks, open spaces, athletic fields, and playgrounds, which include 27 athletic fields, 21 baseball fields, 73 basketball courts, a BMX Bike Trail, two disc golf courses, 41 horseshoe pits, 35 park/playground houses, 13 picnic shelters, 34 softball fields, nine swimming pools, 136 tennis courts, 58 tot lots, and 24 walking/nature/bike/exercise trails; and

**Whereas**, The Richmond Department of Parks, Recreation, and Community Facilities also oversees and provides recreational programming for the James River Park System, 21 community centers and maintains more than 90 monuments/statues/memorials, nine decorative fountains, Dogwood Dell, the World War I Memorial Carillon, and seven cemeteries;

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### Capt. Greer Gould

### 1st Police Precinct Commander

Richmond Police Department - Richmond 1st Police Precinct

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**Whereas**, Every resident of the City of Richmond, the Commonwealth of Virginia, and our nation deserves a safe community and to not have to live in fear of crime; and

**Whereas**, Essential to helping provide additional safety and security of Richmond residents and visitors is having professional law enforcement officers, staff, and support personnel, as provided by the Richmond Police Department, who serve with honor and fortitude in delivery of their duty, which, due to the exceptional nature of their work, puts them in harm's way; and

Whereas, In America, public service is considered to be among the most noble and important work a person can do and, by their outstanding example, Capt. Greer Gould, 1st Police Precinct Commander, Richmond Police Department, Richmond 1st Police Precinct has proven their dedication to and support of the principles and creed written into the founding documents of our great Nation, in that our individual destinies and that of our families, communities, city, state and country include not only the aspiration of our federal constitutional republic but, the time, talent, investment, labor and dedication of all residents in realizing the fulfillment of its promise;

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### Capt. Michael Snawder

2nd Police Precinct Commander

Richmond Police Department - Richmond 2nd Police Precinct

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