

INTRODUCED: September 9, 2019

AN ORDINANCE No. 2019-245

As Amended

To change the use of the City-owned real estate known as the Annie Giles Community Resource Center and located at 1400 Oliver Hill Way so that such City-owned real estate will be used as a cold weather shelter for homeless persons in the city of Richmond when the outdoor or wind chill temperature falls to 40 degrees Fahrenheit or below.

Patron – Mayor Stoney

Approved as to form and legality
by the City Attorney

PUBLIC HEARING: SEP 23 2019 AT 6 P.M.

WHEREAS, pursuant to Ordinance No. 2015-212-201, adopted September 28, 2015, the City acquired an interest as ground lessee in the real estate located at 1400 Oliver Hill Way, pursuant to Ordinance No. 2015-211-200, the City acquired the improvements on the real estate located at 1400 Oliver Hill Way, and by Ordinance No. 2018-240, adopted October 8, 2019, the City named the improvements located at 1400 Oliver Hill Way as the “Annie Giles Community Resource Center;” and

WHEREAS, section 8-12(d)(2) of the Code of the City of Richmond (2015), as amended, provides that no city-owned real estate shall be used as a cold weather shelter for homeless persons

AYES: 9 NOES: 0 ABSTAIN: _____

ADOPTED: OCT 14 2019 REJECTED: _____ STRICKEN: _____

until (a) the Chief Administrative Officer has submitted to the Council (1) evidence that the Chief Administrative Officer has caused to be held one or more public meetings to allow public comment on the proposed use of such City-owned real estate as a cold weather shelter for homeless persons, together with the substance of any public comment made at any such meetings, and (2) a written plan for operating a cold weather shelter on the City-owned real estate proposed to be used as a cold weather shelter for homeless persons that includes the specific periods of time during which such City-owned real estate is proposed to be used as a cold weather shelter for homeless persons, and (b) the Council has approved the use of such City-owned real estate as a cold weather shelter for homeless persons in the manner provided by section 8-12(c)(2) of the Code of the City of Richmond (2015), as amended; and

WHEREAS, section 8-12(c)(2) of the Code of the City of Richmond (2015), as amended, provides that no use of city-owned real estate shall be changed except by ordinance adopted by the City Council; and

WHEREAS, the Chief Administrative Officer has submitted evidence that the Chief Administrative Officer has held one or more such public meetings, the substance of public comment made at such meetings, and a written plan for operating a cold weather shelter at the Annie Giles Community Resource Center located at 1400 Oliver Hill Way, and the Council is of the opinion that the Chief Administrative Officer's submission satisfies the requirements of section 8-12(d)(2) of the Code of the City of Richmond (2015), as amended; and

WHEREAS, it is in the best interests of the City of Richmond that the City-owned real estate known as the Annie Giles Community Resource Center and located at 1400 Oliver Hill Way be used as a cold weather shelter for homeless persons in the city of Richmond when the outdoor or wind chill temperature falls to 40 degrees Fahrenheit or below;

NOW, THEREFORE,

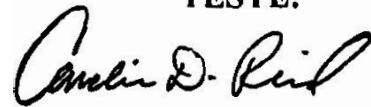
THE CITY OF RICHMOND HEREBY ORDAINS:

§ 1. That, pursuant to section 8-12(c)(2) of the Code of the City of Richmond (2015), as amended, the use of the City-owned real estate known as the Annie Giles Community Resource Center, located at 1400 Oliver Hill Way, and identified as Tax Parcel No. E000-0452/072 in the 2019 records of the City Assessor is hereby changed such that such real estate shall be used as a cold weather shelter for homeless persons in the city of Richmond when the outdoor or wind chill temperature falls to 40 degrees Fahrenheit or below.

§ 2. This ordinance shall be in force and effect upon adoption; provided that, notwithstanding any provision of section 8-12(c)(1) of the Code of the City of Richmond (2015), as amended, to the contrary, this ordinance shall expire and the use of City-owned real estate for which section 1 of this ordinance provides shall cease on April 15, 2020.

A TRUE COPY:

TESTE:

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Camelin D. Rind".

City Clerk



CITY OF RICHMOND
INTRACITY CORRESPONDENCE

O & R REQUEST

4-9056
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Office of the
Chief Administrative Officer

O&R REQUEST

DATE: August 9, 2019

EDITION: 1
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TO: The Honorable Members of City Council

THROUGH: The Honorable Levar M. Stoney, Mayor

THROUGH: Selena Cuffee-Glenn, Chief Administrative Officer

THROUGH: Reginald Gordon, Deputy Chief Administrative Officer of Human Services

FROM: Shunda T. Giles, Director of Social Services

RE: To Modify the Use of the Annie E. Giles Community Center for the Operation of the City's Cold Weather Overflow (Hypothermia) Shelter

ORD. OR RES. No. _____

PURPOSE: To use the City owned Annie E. Giles Community Center, located at 1400 Oliver Hill Way, for the City's Cold Weather Overflow (Hypothermia) Shelter for homeless adults from October to April when the temperature or wind chill falls to or below 40 degrees Fahrenheit.

REASON: City Ordinance No. 2018-287 amends and reordains City Code § 8-12, concerning the use of City-owned real estate, for the purpose of imposing certain requirements on the use of City-owned real estate as a cold weather shelter for the homeless. The Ordinance requires Council approval of a cold weather shelter in City-owned real estate to include: evidence of one or more public meetings to allow public comment on the proposed use of such real estate as a cold weather shelter together with the substance of any public comment; and, a written plan for operating a cold weather shelter on the City-owned real estate.

RECOMMENDATION: The City's Administration recommends approval to use the Annie E. Giles Community Center for the Cold Weather Overflow (Hypothermia) Shelter.

BACKGROUND: In accordance to City Council Resolution 2012-R2, the City of Richmond Department of Social Services (RDSS) has oversight of the contract for the operation of the Cold Weather Overflow Shelter (Hypothermia Shelter). The shelter operates from October 1st to April 15th when the temperature or wind chill are predicted to be at or below 40 degrees Fahrenheit.

For many years, the City contracted with a vendor for the operation of the Cold Weather Overflow Shelter to one vendor at the vendor's facility. In 2012, that vendor notified the City that they could no longer provide the shelter. The City identified a location for the shelter at the Public Safety Building, located at 501 North 9th Street. The Cold Weather Overflow Shelter operated at the Public Safety Building during the 2013-2017 shelter seasons. CARITAS was the contracted vendor during the 2013 season and Commonwealth Catholic Charities (CCC) was the contracted vendor during the 2014/2015—2017/2018 seasons. The Annie E. Giles Community Center served as the site of the Cold Weather Overflow Shelter during the 2018/2019 shelter season with CCC as the contracted vendor.

The operation of a hypothermia shelter requires access to a facility that is available based upon weather conditions. Twenty-one properties (four schools, seven City-owned buildings, and ten non-city owned buildings) have been visited and assessed as potential sites for the Cold Weather Overflow Shelter. For various reasons none of these sited were deemed suitable. The Annie E. Giles Center was found to be suitable.

In addition to sleeping space, the Annie E. Giles Center has office space that was utilized during the 2018 shelter season by homeless service providers to engage shelter guest. During the 2018 shelter season 45 of the most frequent year after year shelter users were moved to permanent housing (signed leases). (Office was not available at the previous shelter sites.)

City Council Resolution 2012-287, imposes the following requirements prior to approval of City-owned real estate to be used as a cold weather shelter for homeless persons. The requirements are: evidence of one or more public meetings to allow public comment on the proposed use of such real estate as a cold weather shelter together with the substance of any public comment; and, a written plan for operating a cold weather shelter on the City-owned real estate.

The Office of Human Services hosted three community meetings to allow for public comment from the community on the proposed use of the City-owned Annie E. Giles Community Center. The invitation to the community meeting was posted on the City of Richmond (COR) website and the Department of Social Service webpage; emailed to all civic associations /neighborhood groups/ community groups listed on the COR website, and emailed to the homeless services providers case managers for distribution. The invitation was available in English and Spanish.

The community meetings were held on: July 19, 2019 at the Annie E. Giles Community Center (17 attendees); July 26, 2019 at the Southside Community Services Center (3 attendees) and August 1, 2019 Richmond Public Library-Main Branch (10 attendees). Attendees received a one page handout –Cold Weather Overflow Shelter (Hypothermia Shelter) which was reviewed during the meeting. Attendees were given the opportunity to provide verbal and written comments on the proposed use of the Annie E. Giles Community center for the shelter. All comments were documented and are attached.

In addition, to providing verbal comments attendees were encouraged to complete the Community Meeting Survey. This five question survey was developed as another tool to gather public

comment. A link to the survey was placed on the COR website and the Department of Social Services Webpage for the public to access and provide comment. The survey was available online from July 19-August 5, 2019. The one page handout and the survey were available in English and Spanish. Fifteen surveys were completed and are attached.

As required by City Council Resolution 2012-287, a plan for operating a cold weather (hypothermia) shelter on the City-owned real estate, the Annie E. Giles Community Center, is attached.

City Council Ordinance 2018-241, which requires a written homeless strategic plan will address the provision of housing or shelter to homeless individuals in publicly-owned properties in the City as well as developing an overall strategy for serving the homeless and moving individuals to permanent housing.

FISCAL IMPACT / COST: None

FISCAL IMPLICATIONS: None

BUDGET AMENDMENT NECESSARY: None

REVENUE TO CITY: None

DESIRED EFFECTIVE DATE: Upon Adoption

REQUESTED INTRODUCTION DATE: September 9, 2019

CITY COUNCIL PUBLIC HEARING DATE: September 23, 2019

REQUESTED AGENDA: Consent

RECOMMENDED COUNCIL COMMITTEE: Land Use, Housing and Transportation

CONSIDERATION BY OTHER GOVERNMENTAL ENTITIES: None

AFFECTED AGENCIES: Departments of Social Services and Public Works

RELATIONSHIP TO EXISTING ORD. OR RES.: 2012-R119-128; 2013-238-219; 2018-241

REQUIRED CHANGES TO WORK PROGRAM(S): None

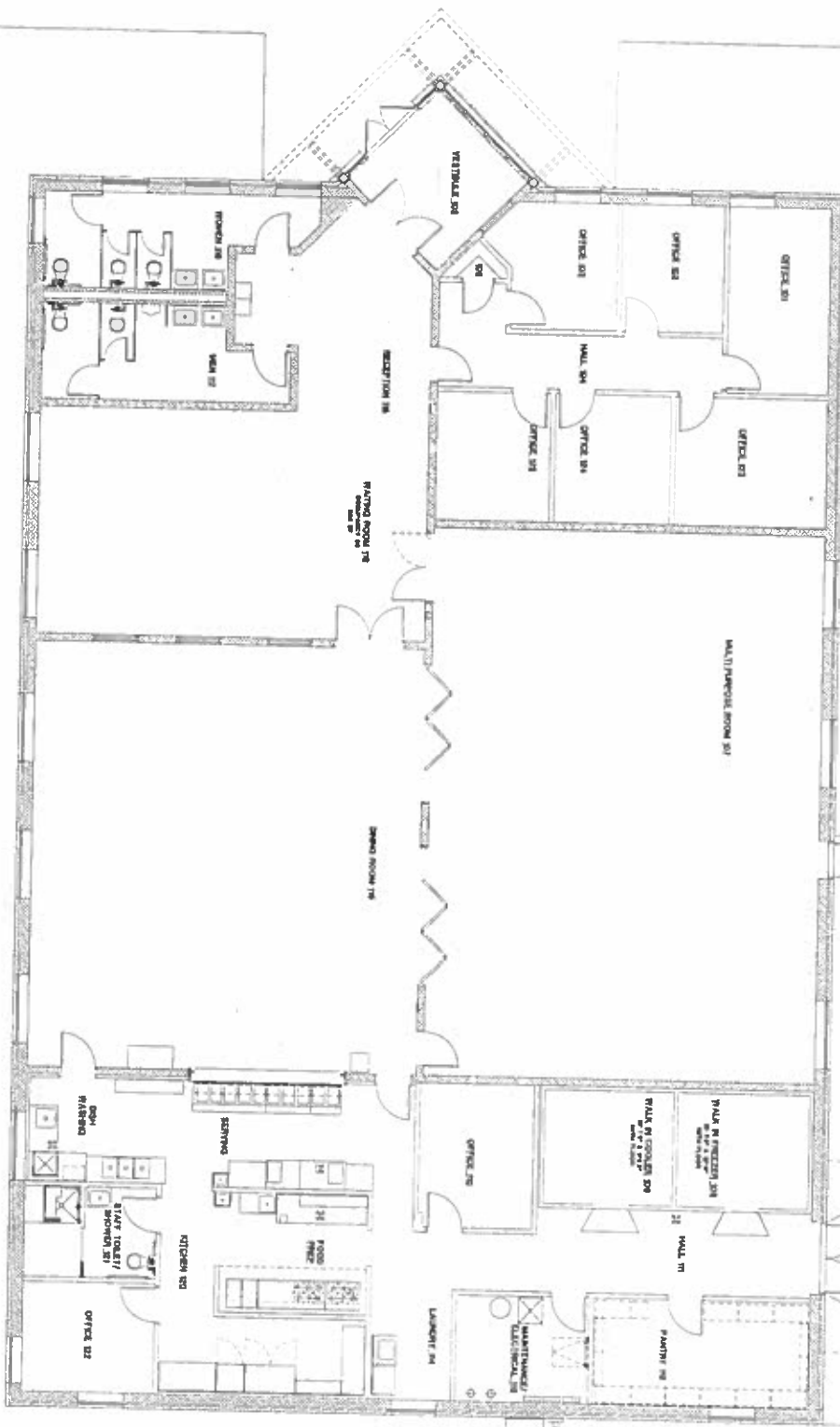
ATTACHMENTS: Invitation to Community Meetings; Community Meetings Sign- In Sheets; Meeting Handout; Survey; Annie E. Giles Community Center (Conrad Center) floor plan; Hypothermia Shelter Operations/Logistics

STAFF:

Shunda T. Giles, Director
City of Richmond Department of Social Services
646-7337

Brinette Jones, Deputy Director
City of Richmond Department of Social Services
646-8753

SEE GROUP A-2
FOR GENERAL NOTES
DATE DATE OF E.D.
THIS BUILDING IS NOT TO BE
USED FOR SLEEPING
PARTIALS



SECURITY
CLOSET

PROPOSED NEW FACILITY.
FREEDOM HOUSE
THE CONRAD CENTER
100 OLIVER HILL PARKWAY
RICHMOND, VIRGINIA

100+ PARTIAL
ARCHITECTS

SHEET

Notes: 1. All work shall be done in accordance with the latest edition of the Virginia Building Code (VBC) and the latest edition of the International Building Code (IBC). 2. All work shall be done in accordance with the latest edition of the Virginia Building Code (VBC) and the latest edition of the International Building Code (IBC). 3. All work shall be done in accordance with the latest edition of the Virginia Building Code (VBC) and the latest edition of the International Building Code (IBC).

Hypothermia Operations Plan

HYPOTHERMIA SHELTER—OPERATIONS PLAN

CONNECTING TO THE HYPOTHERMIA SHELTER

Housing Crisis Line or Direct to Shelter Vendor

An individual will call the housing crisis line and complete an assessment. They will be referred to a shelter. Once all beds are filled, referrals will then be provided to the hypothermia shelter.

Shelter Vendor¹

A guest referred to the Shelter Vendor by the Housing Crisis Line or coming directly to the vendor will complete:

- Intake Assessment
- Connection with Services
- Referral to the hypothermia shelter, if needed

HYPOTHERMIA SHELTER OPERATIONS

6:00 – 7:00 PM **Staff Set Up Shelter**

6:30 PM *Community groups are allowed to distribute food and drinks to guests that are awaiting entry. This is scheduled and coordinated with the vendor.*

7:00 – 9:00 PM **Shelter Intake**

- Guests with a referral are registered and assigned to a sleeping area
- Security escort guests to assigned sleeping area
- Guests without referrals return to registration area (at the hypothermia shelter) to meet with staff. They are instructed to complete a full intake assessment with CCC on the next business day.

After 9:00 PM **Break**

Guests are permitted one 15 minute break in a designated area. They are supervised by staff and security. Bathroom breaks are taken as needed.

After Hours Guests

Due to guest being brought in by others or having prearranged work schedules; guest are permitted into the shelter after hours. However, guest are encouraged to conduct a full intake the next business day.

Daily Closure of the Shelter

October 1 – November 30

- 5:00 - 6:00 AM Guests are discharged from the shelter²
- 6:00 -7:00 AM Staff clean up

¹ Commonwealth Catholic Charities has served as the City's vendor operating the Hypothermia Shelter from 2014-2018. The contract term has ended a new solicitation will go out once the City Council approves the use of a city-owned facility.

² Bus tickets, street sheets and hygiene kits are disseminated, as needed at discharge.

December 1 – April 15

- 6:00 AM Guests are discharged from overnight portion of the shelter and transitioned to daytime seated area
- 10:00 AM Guests are discharged from the shelter
- 10:00 –11:00 AM Staff clean up

INCLEMENT WEATHER EVENTS

During extreme inclement weather events, where guests are at risk to exposure for hypothermia, (snow, sleet/freezing rain) the shelter may operate for extended hours. That is determined on a day to day basis. It will necessitate the use of the facilities until the event has dissipated.

SPACE NEEDS

- Furniture
 - At least 3 desks and 3 chairs
 - Private office to interview/meet with guests
- Storage
A locked closet, large enough to store supplies.

STAFFING NEEDS

- The previous shelter vendor utilized the following staffing:
 - A Shelter Supervisor
 - 3 Shelter Monitors
 - Off Duty RPD Officer
- The security vendor utilizes 3 security guards³

³ Security coverage is determined based on an assessment by COR Risk Management.

Notification of Public Meeting

Giles, Shunda T. - DSS

From: Office of the Press Secretary
Sent: Saturday, July 6, 2019 5:20 PM
To: Office of the Press Secretary
Subject: Office of Human Services Invites the Public to Attend a Community Meeting



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CITY OF RICHMOND

In accordance with City Council Ordinance 2018-287, the City of Richmond's Office of Human Services invites the public to attend a community meeting to provide comment on the proposed use of the Annie E. Giles Center as the cold weather overflow shelter (hypothermia shelter) for the 2019-2020 season.

The public is encouraged to attend and provide comment at either of the following meeting locations:

Friday, July 19, 2019

6 p.m. – 7 p.m.

Annie E. Giles Center (formerly known as the Conrad Center)
1400 Oliver Hill Way

Friday, July 26, 2019

6 p.m. – 7 p.m.

Southside Community Service Center (Southside Plaza)
4100 Hull Street Rd.

For more information please click the link below.

<http://www.richmondgov.com/SocialServices/index.aspx>

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¡Están invitados a una Asamblea Comunitaria!

De acuerdo a la Ordenanza 2018-287 del Concejo de la Ciudad, la Oficina de Servicios Humanos invita al público a asistir a una asamblea comunitaria para dar su opinión acerca del uso propuesto del centro Annie E. Giles (que es propiedad de la ciudad) como refugio contra el clima frío durante la temporada invernal del 2019 al 2020.

Alentamos al público a que asista y comparta sus opiniones en cualquiera de los siguientes encuentros:

Viernes 19 de julio de 2019 de 6:00 a 7:00 p.m.
Centro Annie E. Giles (conocido anteriormente como el
Centro Conrad) ~ 1400 Oliver Hill Way
Richmond, VA 23219

Viernes 26 de julio de 2019 de 6:00 a 7:00 p.m. Centro de
Servicios Comunitarios del Sur
(Southside Plaza) ~ 4100 Hull Street Road Richmond, VA
23224



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From: Office of the Press Secretary
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Friday, July 26, 2019

6 p.m. – 7 p.m.

Southside Community Service Center (Southside Plaza)
4100 Hull Street Rd.

***Thursday, August 1, 2019**

6 p.m. – 7 p.m.

Main Library
101 E Franklin St.

For more information please click the link below.

<http://www.richmondgov.com/SocialServices/index.aspx>

Links to Survey:

English: <https://survey.sogosurvey.com/r/loQVzJ>

Spanish: <https://survey.sogosurvey.com/r/GrtIAZ>

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Viernes 26 de julio de 2019 de 6:00 a 7:00 p.m.

Centro de Servicios Comunitarios del Sur (Southside Plaza) ~ 4100 Hull Street Road
Richmond, VA 23224

Jueves 1 de agosto de 2019 de 6:00 a 7:00 p.m.

Biblioteca Pública de Richmond - Sede principal ~ 101 E. Franklin St.
Richmond, VA 23219





City of Richmond Cold Weather (hypothermia) Shelter

Community Meeting Survey

In accordance with City Council Ordinance 2018-287, please complete this survey requesting your input on the proposed use of the city-owned Annie E. Giles Center (formerly the Conrad Center) as the cold weather (hypothermia) shelter. Results of the survey will be provided to City Council. Thank you.

Community Meeting Date and Location:

____ July 19, 2019 - Annie E. Giles Center (formerly the Conrad Center)

____ July 26, 2019 - Southside Community Service Center

____ August 1, 2019 - Main Branch – Richmond Public Library

Full Name (Optional): _____

Home Address (Optional): _____

Phone Number (Optional): _____

Email Address (Optional): _____

Council District: _____ (Please see the City Council Voting District Map Handout)

- 1) Have you ever been served by the City of Richmond's cold weather (hypothermia) shelter (Yes/No)
- 2) Do you know anyone that has been served by the City of Richmond's cold weather (hypothermia) shelter (Yes/No)
- 3) In your opinion, what are the benefits of the Annie E. Giles Center (formerly the Conrad Center) as the current location of the City of Richmond's cold weather (hypothermia) shelter? (Open Response)

- 4) What concerns do you have, if any, regarding the Annie E. Giles Center (formerly the Conrad Center) as the current location of the City of Richmond's cold weather (hypothermia) shelter? (Open Response)

- 5) Based on this evening's presentation, do you have any additional suggestions/comments regarding the location of the City of Richmond's cold weather (hypothermia) shelter? (Open Response)



Albergue de Tiempo Frío de la Ciudad de Richmond

Encuesta Comunitaria

De acuerdo con la ordenanza 2018-287 del Concejo Municipal, le pedimos que complete esta encuesta y nos de su opinión acerca de la propuesta de ocupar el centro Annie E. Giles (anteriormente conocido como Conrad Center) para el albergue de tiempo frío. Los resultados de esta encuesta se proveerán al Concejo Municipal. Gracias por su participación.

Fecha y lugar de la reunión comunitaria:

____ 19 de julio de 2019 - Centro Annie E. Giles (anteriormente conocido como Conrad Center)

____ 26 de julio de 2019 - Southside Community Service Center (Southside Plaza)

____ 1 de agosto de 2019 - Biblioteca Pública Richmond – Sucursal Principal

Datos Personales (son opcionales, si usted quiere otorgarlos)

Nombre completo: _____

Dirección: _____

Teléfono: _____

Correo electrónico: _____

¿En cuál distrito concejal vive? _____ (Consulte el folleto con mapa de los distritos.)

1) ¿Alguna vez ha usado usted el albergue de tiempo frío de la Ciudad de Richmond? Sí No

2) ¿Conoce Ud. a alguien que haya usado el albergue de tiempo frío de la Ciudad de Richmond?

 Sí No

3) ¿En su opinión, cuales son las ventajas del Centro Annie E. Giles como ubicación del albergue de tiempo frío de la Ciudad de Richmond?

4) ¿Cuales preocupaciones tiene usted acerca del uso del Centro Annie E. Giles como ubicación del albergue de tiempo frío de la Ciudad de Richmond?

5) ¿Después de ver la presentación de hoy, tiene usted alguna otra sugerencia o comentario acerca de la ubicación del albergue de tiempo frío de la Ciudad de Richmond?

Giles, Shunda T. - DSS

From: Anderson, Lynda Sharp - DSS
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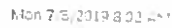
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Lynda Sharp Anderson
Richmond Department of Social Services
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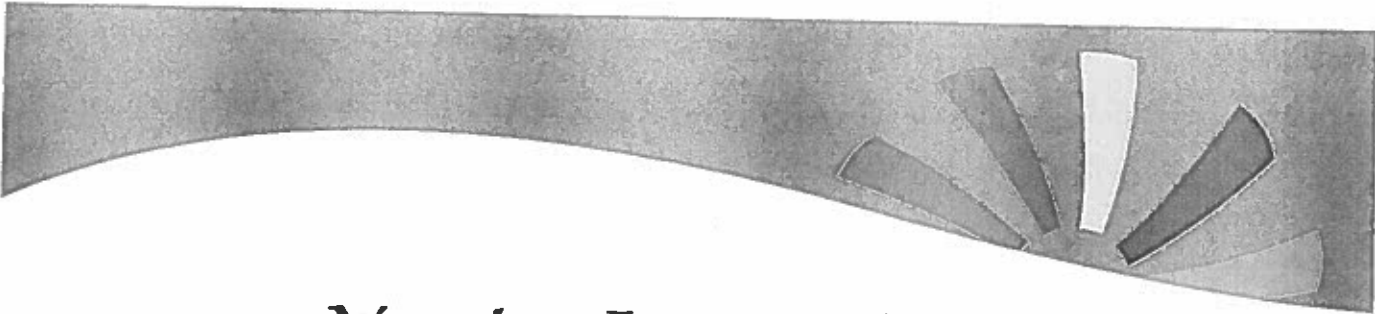


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Community Meeting Invitation - ADDITIONAL MEETING DATE

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Message

Community Meeting Invitation updated Logo 7-19-2019 Eng - 3 Locations.pdf (364 KB)

Please see the attached flyer with an additional community meeting date of August 1st.

Lynda

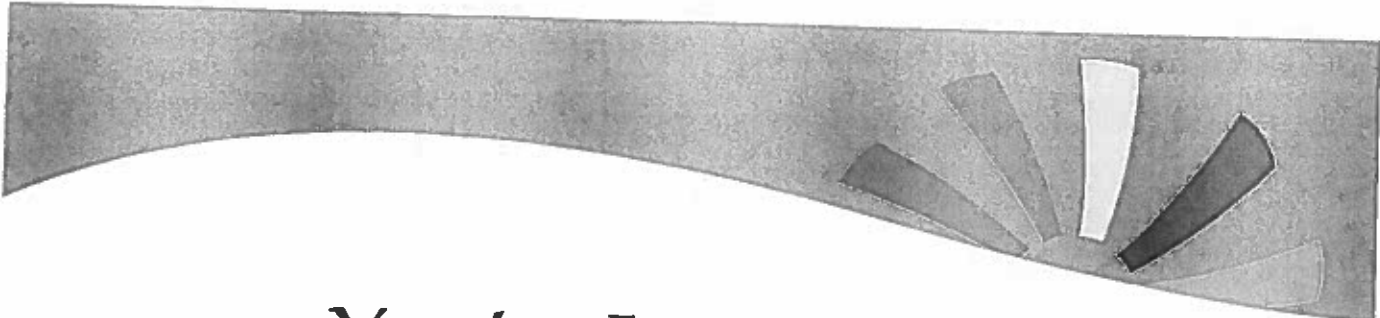
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You're Invited to a Community Meeting!!

In accordance with City Council Ordinance 2018-287, the Office of Human Services invites the public to attend a community meeting to provide comment on the proposed use of the city-owned Annie E. Giles Center as the cold weather shelter (hypothermia shelter) for the 2019-2020 season.

The public is encouraged to attend and provide comment at either of the following meeting locations:

Friday, July 19, 2019 at 6:00—7:00 p.m.

Annie E. Giles Center (formerly known as the Conrad Center) ~ 1400 Oliver Hill Way
Richmond, VA 23219

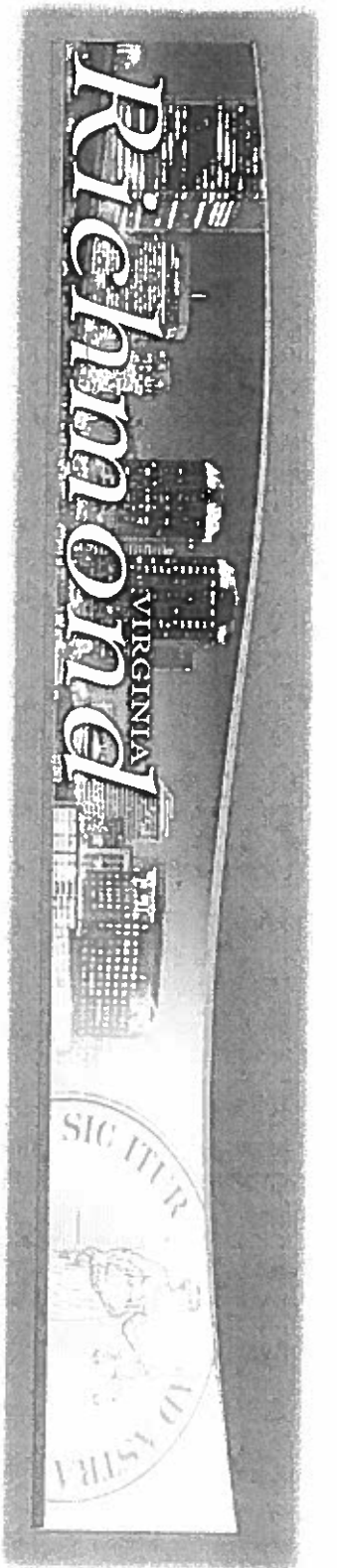
Friday, July 26, 2019 at 6:00—7:00 p.m. Southside Community Service Center
(Southside Plaza) ~ 4100 Hull Street Road
Richmond, VA 23224

Thursday, August 1, 2019 at 6:00 - 7:00 p.m.

Richmond Public Library - Main Branch ~ 101 E. Franklin St.
Richmond, VA 23219



*Public Meeting
Attendee Sign-In Sheets*



Hypothermia (Cold Weather) Shelter Community Meeting

Sign In Sheet

Annie E. Giles Center

July 19, 2019

Name	Name
JAY BRADY	Marie D. Thomas
Kim Humphreys	Pastor Cynthia Ford
Mike Smith	Lauren Williams Eastman Center
Mick Padua	Cora Shearn
Raul Andresdo Younesa	Roz Goode
Yvonne Pongee	Blair F. Roberts
Michaela Lewis	Allison Davis
Robert B. B. B.	Jeremy Perkins
Billie Jean Butler	



Sign In Sheet
Hypothermia (Cold Weather) Shelter Community Meeting
Southside Community Service Center
July 26, 2019

1. William Andrews
2. Michelle Lowly
3. Wip Braxton Barber
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Sign In Sheet
Hypothermia (Cold Weather) Shelter Community Meeting
Richmond Public Library – Main Branch
August 1, 2019

1. Jess Lee
2. Katie Gallant
3. Katie Neal
4. Grace Johnson
5. Wade BRINTON-BATTLE
6. Aaron Bish
7. Shalun Samples
8. JAY BROWN
9. Zach Jones
10. Sgt. Doug
- 11.
- 12.
- 13.
- 14.
- 15.

Public Meeting Handouts

Cold Weather Overflow Shelter (Hypothermia Shelter)



Sixth Mount Zion Baptist Church
2007—2012: CWOS Seasons



City Council Resolution 2012-R72

Recommending the operation of a CWOS when temperatures or wind chills are at or below 40 degrees Fahrenheit.



Public Safety Building

2013 CWOS Season: CARITAS

2014—2018 CWOS Seasons: Commonwealth Catholic Charities



2018-2019
Moved 45 of the most frequent
year-over-year shelter users into
permanent housing



City Council Ordinance 2018-287

Imposed certain requirements on the use of City-owned real estate as a cold weather shelter



SCHOOLS

- ◆ Norrell Elementary School
- ◆ Oak Grove Elementary School
- ◆ Clark Springs Elementary School
- ◆ Arthur Ashe Center

CITY-OWNED PROPERTY

- ◆ Public Safety Building
- ◆ 1900 Cool Lane Building
- ◆ Annie E. Giles Center
- ◆ Red Skins Training Camp
- ◆ East District Initiative
- ◆ Main Street Station (Receiving Area)
- ◆ The Coliseum

NON-CITY OWNED PROPERTY

- ◆ National Guard Armory
- ◆ Cedar Street Baptist Church
- ◆ Refugee Temple
- ◆ Commonwealth Catholic Charities
- ◆ Salvation Army
- ◆ Liberation Family Services
- ◆ Sacred Heart
- ◆ Bainbridge Street Church
- ◆ Eternity Church
- ◆ Our Shepherd's Way



Albergue de Tiempo Invernal (CWOS, por sus iniciales en inglés) Refugio contra la hipotermia



Iglesia Bautista Sixth Mount Zion
Temporadas CWOS del 2007 al
2012



Resolución 2012-R72 del Concejo de la Ciudad
Recomienda la apertura de un CWOS cuando la temperatura o
la sensación térmica es igual o inferior a 40° Fahrenheit (4° C).



Edificio de Seguridad Pública
Temporada CWOS de 2013: CARITAS
Temporadas CWOS del 2014 al 2018: Caridades Católicas de la
Mancomunidad

ANNIE E. GILES CENTER			
2015-2016	2016-2017	2017-2018	2018-2019
Noches en funcionamiento	Noches en funcionamiento	Noches en funcionamiento	Noches en funcionamiento
127	88	96	117
Total de clientes*	Total de clientes*	Total de clientes*	Total de clientes*
618	650	851	737

* Clientes no duplicados



Ordenanza 2018-287 del Concejo de la Ciudad
Impuso ciertas condiciones para el uso de instalaciones de
propiedad de la Ciudad como albergues de tiempo invernal

**Entre el 2018 y el 2019
se reubicaron 45 de los usuarios
más frecuentes de los refugios
en alojamientos permanentes**



ESCUELAS

- ♦ Escuela Primaria Norrell
- ♦ Escuela Primaria Oak Grove
- ♦ Escuela Primaria Clark Springs
- ♦ Centro Arthur Ashe

INSTALACIONES DE PROPIEDAD DE LA CIUDAD

- ♦ Edificio de Seguridad Pública
- ♦ Edificio 1900 Cool Lane
- ♦ Centro Annie E. Giles
- ♦ Campo de Entrenamiento de los Redskins
- ♦ Iniciativa del Distrito Este
- ♦ Estación de Main Street (Área de Recepción)
- ♦ Coliseo

INSTALACIONES DE PROPIETARIO DIFERENTE A LA CIUDAD

- ♦ Arsenal de la Guardia Nacional
- ♦ Iglesia Bautista de Cedar Street
- ♦ Templo de Refugiados
- ♦ Caridades Católicas de la Mancomunidad
- ♦ Ejército de Salvación
- ♦ Servicios de Liberación Familiar
- ♦ Sagrado Corazón
- ♦ Iglesia de Bainbridge Street
- ♦ Iglesia Eternity
- ♦ Our Shepherd's Way





City of Richmond Cold Weather (hypothermia) Shelter

Community Meeting Survey

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Community Meeting Date and Location:

____ July 19, 2019 - Annie E. Giles Center (formerly the Conrad Center)

____ July 26, 2019 - Southside Community Service Center

____ August 1, 2019 - Main Branch – Richmond Public Library

Full Name (Optional): _____

Home Address (Optional): _____

Phone Number (Optional): _____

Email Address (Optional): _____

Council District: _____ (Please see the City Council Voting District Map Handout)

- 1) Have you ever been served by the City of Richmond's cold weather (hypothermia) shelter (Yes/No)
- 2) Do you know anyone that has been served by the City of Richmond's cold weather (hypothermia) shelter (Yes/No)
- 3) In your opinion, what are the benefits of the Annie E. Giles Center (formerly the Conrad Center) as the current location of the City of Richmond's cold weather (hypothermia) shelter? (Open Response)

- 4) What concerns do you have, if any, regarding the Annie E. Giles Center (formerly the Conrad Center) as the current location of the City of Richmond's cold weather (hypothermia) shelter? (Open Response)

- 5) Based on this evening's presentation, do you have any additional suggestions/comments regarding the location of the City of Richmond's cold weather (hypothermia) shelter? (Open Response)



Albergue de Tiempo Frío de la Ciudad de Richmond

Encuesta Comunitaria

De acuerdo con la ordenanza 2018-287 del Concejo Municipal, le pedimos que complete esta encuesta y nos de su opinión acerca de la propuesta de ocupar el centro Annie E. Giles (anteriormente conocido como Conrad Center) para el albergue de tiempo frío. Los resultados de esta encuesta se proveerán al Concejo Municipal. Gracias por su participación.

Fecha y lugar de la reunión comunitaria:

- ___ 19 de julio de 2019 - Centro Annie E. Giles (anteriormente conocido como Conrad Center)
___ 26 de julio de 2019 - Southside Community Service Center (Southside Plaza)
___ 1 de agosto de 2019 - Biblioteca Pública Richmond – Sucursal Principal

Datos Personales (son opcionales, si usted quiere otorgarlos)

Nombre completo: _____

Dirección: _____

Teléfono: _____

Correo electrónico: _____

¿En cuál distrito concejal vive? _____ (Consulte el folleto con mapa de los distritos.)

1) ¿Alguna vez ha usado usted el albergue de tiempo frío de la Ciudad de Richmond? Sí No

2) ¿Conoce Ud. a alguien que haya usado el albergue de tiempo frío de la Ciudad de Richmond?

 Sí No

3) ¿En su opinión, cuales son las ventajas del Centro Annie E. Giles como ubicación del albergue de tiempo frío de la Ciudad de Richmond?

- 4) ¿Cuales preocupaciones tiene usted acerca del uso del Centro Annie E. Giles como ubicación del albergue de tiempo frío de la Ciudad de Richmond?

- 5) ¿Después de ver la presentación de hoy, tiene usted alguna otra sugerencia o comentario acerca de la ubicación del albergue de tiempo frío de la Ciudad de Richmond?

Public Meeting Notes

Speaker Mike Smith

Organization- Blessed Warriors

- Organization provides a number of services- food, water, clothing, and personal items.
- Statement: Feels this is a unique opportunity to bring resources together such as mental health services, employment, and other things.
- Why can't we feed as part of the overflow shelter instead of feeding on the sidewalk?
- Would like to come inside the facility to provide services.
- Can we do shelter all year instead of when the temperature drops?
- Can we have additional emergency shelters?

Speaker Lawrence Williams

President Eastview Civic League

- Why are we always putting things in this area- just not right- need to diversify –make an effort to put things like this somewhere else?
- CCC is doing very good things.
- What happened to the Economic Development Job Training, this was very important to us?
- This is a city asset that is not receiving full potential.
- Need to get VCU as a partner.
- Recognize East and South, but it is better for the homeless to be downtown.
- Need big corporations and institutions to participate.
- Need a better plan to deal with the homeless.
- 3,000-5,000 people in the area.
- Not serving the greater population.

Speaker Allison Davis

- Eastview Civic League
- The building should have more usage.
- Believes in strategic planning.
- We were not at the table for discussions.
- We can't use the building now.
- Got the announcement through the grapevine about the meeting.
- What about the residents?
- We should be paramount to the decisions

Speaker Tyrone Younger

- How could the church help?
- We are a small building, but we can do things.

Speaker Ellen Robertson

- Administration notified Council late about these meetings.
- You wouldn't know about this plan today if ordinance had not been drafted to identify a place ((that was done by me).
- If I hadn't drafted this O&R the community would know nothing.
- Last year the decision was made by administration to put the shelter at this location.
 - L. Williams stated this is a city building and the Mayor can do that!
 - Ellen yes he can- this is a city owned facility, but he had no public meeting
- I demanded community input.
- The city has an obligation to communicate.
- So the ordinance requires public hearings.
- I had money put in the budget to purchase this building.
- Agreements were made to the East End- rebuild the jail in same location- no one wanted the jail.
- This area has Whitcomb, Mosby, Creighton around our homes- Added the Juvenile Detention Center- Courts, Jail- not being treated fair.
- Values of homes impacted by decisions being made.
- Economic disparity due to these intentional policies. It is time to stop.
- We asked them not to rebuild the jail in this district.
- No other council person willing to allow the jail to be built in their district.
- We accepted the Justice Center.
- We are concerned about public housing in our neighborhoods.
- Moved voting districts to make it easier for people to cast vote.
- City made a commitment to buy this building and make it a resource center.
- Created the Office of Community Wealth.
- Culinary Art fixtures- big money on the walls- renovated the kitchen- job training.
- Without notice moved the Office of Community Wealth to 25th Street- EDI building.
- Council learned about it two days before the move.
- Nothing to the council person- very disappointed.
- We were told this was a one year decision- Mayor was supposed to put in writing- never did.
- Civic Associations said that they didn't believe it would be only a year and they were right.
- Hypothermia is isolated- the regular public is not coming to this shelter.
- On Tuesday, I learned about this meeting- wasn't aware these meetings had been scheduled.
- What is the status of the homeless plan?
- We were promised service- I bought two guys from prison to see the building- hard guys- interested in the building- what they saw they will never forget- they saw a 100 people sleeping on pads, no meals, no food, no showers, allowed to bring in two bags. These men cried- prison guys- they couldn't even talk about services after they saw this.

- Nowhere to go- temperature still cold- being putting out.
- As long as not obligated to change they are going to put the shelter here.
- Same as last year-nothing has changed- don't accept it.
- The Mayor has administrative authority to do what he wants.
- Council is going to approve it because if they don't they know it could come to their district.
- What is your strategic plan?
- It's inhumane.
- This is an asset that just sits empty all year.

Speaker Michael Rogers

- Resident of the 1st district.
- Employed with Homeward.
- Thinks it is a good idea to contract the vendor for one year.
- Examining homelessness strategically – 300 plan- multiyear contract.
- Encourage the contract to include language regarding termination.
- Homeless Strategic plan to be presented 10/01/2019.
- Homeward houses the line and determines the allocation of bed space. Contact number 804-972-0813-, Monday-Friday, 8am-6pm. No assistance until the next business day. If you need help tonight will need to call 911- the police will triage the call.
- People's needs not happening during business hours.
- The shelters only accept new bed clients during business hours so that is why the crisis line ends.
- We are working with the city.
- Will be seeking community input in August.
- Asked to speak with him (Bantu) after the meeting

Speaker W.B. Braxton Bantu

Four Concerns

1. City should have an emergency shelter all year- homelessness is not seasonal- people were sleeping at the Coliseum until the fence went up. Festival Park until the city took the benches. East Grace Street, Arthur Ashe Boulevard. Have written the Mayor 5 or 6 letters.
 2. Free bus transportation.
 3. Addendum to portable toilets @ Abner Clay Park- people are turned out at 6am with nowhere to go. Sometimes can go to Wendy's @ MCV. Can't go to VCU, because you are harassed by the campus police. They ask who you are waiting for and identify you and run you away. City library doesn't open until 10am, state library at 9am, and they turn people out early.
 4. Monroe Park reopened- not welcomed to return- Free Press said come back, but VCU doesn't want people to come. Church have been asked to pay an event fee. Abner Clay Park to pay an event fee. Like restrooms in the park- churches not even welcome to come back- no restrooms. VCU Campus substations, vending machines, and restrooms sealed off.
 - Lack of transportation to the unit- round trip needed.
 - Perhaps Monroe Park would allow portable toilets.
- 1 or 2 city council persons should be here.

- Daily Planet was helpful until it was relocated- VCU purchased it- 517 West Grace Street- nowhere for people to go- leave Caritas, Salvation Army or even the emergency shelter.
- Nowhere to nap- in the 90s you could do that at the Daily Planet- you could shower and sleep/rest.
- The newspaper is talking about Gilpin Court and the new housing plan- 1000's of people to be honest will need to be relocated. Where will these tenants go? RRHA fixed income, nowhere for disabled seniors to go- will they be displaced.

Thursday, August 1, 2019 – Hypothermia Shelter Community Meeting
Richmond Public Library

Speaker: Katie Neal – 7th District

- What weather is considered (i.e. freezing rain, wind chill factor)?
- Why can't food be provided inside the shelter?
- How is information disseminated regarding when the shelter is open?
- What goes into the process of when to open the shelter?

Speaker: Derrick Jones (Carrytown)

- Website is not updated regularly
- Can we get City Council to revisit opening the shelter when it is raining or temperature is 41 degrees?
- If shelter is not open, why can't I park my ambulance on the property to sleep the homeless?
- The majority of people walk to the shelter (The Conrad Center). Are there any plans to provide transportation to the shelter (i.e. bus tickets), location of bus stops?
- What is kept in the sheds behind the buildings? Can people stay in the buildings rather than sleep on the grounds?
- The City needs drop in shelters. Currently, all shelters require the homeless to register in advance. Some people just need a place to drop in.

Speaker: W. B. Bantu

- Homelessness is not a seasonal problem. Need more year-round emergency shelters.
- There should be free bus transportation or taxi to shelters (same as is done on Election Day and for VCU and high school students).
- Homeless should not be turned out at 6:00 or 7:00 a.m.
- Inclement weather – include inclement weather, not just 40 degree temperature.
- Need two portable toilets at Monroe and Abner Clay Parks.
- Can Monroe Park be used to feed the homeless? Monroe Park officials want to punish churches for feeding the homeless.
- Another meeting is needed before City Council meets. Invite the CEO of RRHA and one of the local politicians because we need to discuss the leveling/destruction of Gilpin Court/public housing.

Citizen Surveys

Response No : 1

Q1. Community Meeting Date and Location:

July 19, 2019 - Annie E. Giles Center (formerly the Conrad Center)

Q2. Demographics:

Q2(a). Demographics:: Full Name (Optional)

(Did not answer)

Q2(b). Demographics:: Home Address (Optional)

(Did not answer)

Q2(c). Demographics:: Phone Number (Optional)

(Did not answer)

Q2(d). Demographics:: Email Address (Optional)

(Did not answer)

Q3. Council District (Please see the City Council Voting District Map Handout)

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Q4. Have you ever been served by the City of Richmond's cold weather (hypothermia) shelter?

No

Q5. Do you know anyone that has been served by the City of Richmond's cold weather (hypothermia) shelter?

No

Q6. In your opinion, what are the benefits of the Annie E. Giles Center (formerly the Conrad Center) as the current location of the City of Richmond's cold weather (hypothermia) shelter?

(Open Response)

(Did not answer)

Q7. What concerns do you have, if any, regarding the Annie E. Giles Center (formerly the Conrad Center) as the current location of the City of Richmond's cold weather (hypothermia) shelter?

(Open Response)

Seems like the facility could be used for more community events

Q8. Based on this evening's presentation, do you have any additional suggestions/comments regarding the location of the City of Richmond's cold weather (hypothermia) shelter? (Open Response)

I do not think it should be housed at the Conrad Ctr

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Response No : 2

Q1. Community Meeting Date and Location:

July 19, 2019 - Annie E. Giles Center (formerly the Conrad Center)

Q2. Demographics:

Q2(a). Demographics:: Full Name (Optional)

Allison Davis

Q2(b). Demographics:: Home Address (Optional)

(Did not answer)

Q2(c). Demographics:: Phone Number (Optional)

(Did not answer)

Q2(d). Demographics:: Email Address (Optional)

Allysnow50@gmail.com

Q3. Council District (Please see the City Council Voting District Map Handout)

6th

Q4. Have you ever been served by the City of Richmond's cold weather (hypothermia) shelter?

No

Q5. Do you know anyone that has been served by the City of Richmond's cold weather (hypothermia) shelter?

No

Q6. In your opinion, what are the benefits of the Annie E. Giles Center (formerly the Conrad Center) as the current location of the City of Richmond's cold weather (hypothermia) shelter? (Open Response)

A different location is neededw

Q7. What concerns do you have, if any, regarding the Annie E. Giles Center (formerly the Conrad Center) as the current location of the City of Richmond's cold weather (hypothermia) shelter? (Open Response)

The center has been obligated for the hyperthermia instead of community programming usage

Q8. Based on this evening's presentation, do you have any additional suggestions/comments regarding the location of the City of Richmond's cold weather (hypothermia) shelter? (Open Response)

Would like to participate in the strategic planning process

Response No : 3

Q1. Community Meeting Date and Location:

(Did not answer)

Q2. Demographics:

Q2(a). Demographics:: Full Name (Optional)

Jim Jones

Q2(b). Demographics:: Home Address (Optional)

2816 New Kent Ave

Q2(c). Demographics:: Phone Number (Optional)

(Did not answer)

Q2(d). Demographics:: Email Address (Optional)

(Did not answer)

Q3. Council District (Please see the City Council Voting District Map Handout)

5th

Q4. Have you ever been served by the City of Richmond's cold weather (hypothermia) shelter?

No

Q5. Do you know anyone that has been served by the City of Richmond's cold weather (hypothermia) shelter?

Yes

Q6. In your opinion, what are the benefits of the Annie E. Giles Center (formerly the Conrad Center) as the current location of the City of Richmond's cold weather (hypothermia) shelter?
(Open Response)

Homeless shelter during warm and cold weather.

Q7. What concerns do you have, if any, regarding the Annie E. Giles Center (formerly the Conrad Center) as the current location of the City of Richmond's cold weather (hypothermia) shelter?
(Open Response)

The City, DSS, should not be running a homeless shelter. This is an unfunded Council mandate.

Q8. Based on this evening's presentation, do you have any additional suggestions/comments regarding the location of the City of Richmond's cold weather (hypothermia) shelter? (Open Response)

Create a one stop service to better serve homeless and rapidly re-house.
Seek federal funding to house those experiencing homelessness

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Response No : 4

Q1. Community Meeting Date and Location:

August 1, 2019 - Main Branch - Richmond Public Library

Q2. Demographics:

Q2(a). Demographics:: Full Name (Optional)

Leslie Saul

Q2(b). Demographics:: Home Address (Optional)

Noble Ave

Q2(c). Demographics:: Phone Number (Optional)

(Did not answer)

Q2(d). Demographics:: Email Address (Optional)

(Did not answer)

Q3. Council District (Please see the City Council Voting District Map Handout)

(Did not answer)

Q4. Have you ever been served by the City of Richmond's cold weather (hypothermia) shelter?

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Yes

Q6. In your opinion, what are the benefits of the Annie E. Giles Center (formerly the Conrad Center) as the current location of the City of Richmond's cold weather (hypothermia) shelter? (Open Response)

Its warm

Q7. What concerns do you have, if any, regarding the Annie E. Giles Center (formerly the Conrad Center) as the current location of the City of Richmond's cold weather (hypothermia) shelter? (Open Response)

Accessibility. Its a long walk

Q8. Based on this evening's presentation, do you have any additional suggestions/comments regarding the location of the City of Richmond's cold weather (hypothermia) shelter? (Open Response)

(Did not answer)

Response No : 5

Q1. Community Meeting Date and Location:

July 26, 2019 - Southside Community Service Center

Q2. Demographics:

Q2(a). Demographics:: Full Name (Optional)

(Did not answer)

Q2(b). Demographics:: Home Address (Optional)

(Did not answer)

Q2(c). Demographics:: Phone Number (Optional)

(Did not answer)

Q2(d). Demographics:: Email Address (Optional)

(Did not answer)

Q3. Council District (Please see the City Council Voting District Map Handout)

8

Q4. Have you ever been served by the City of Richmond's cold weather (hypothermia) shelter?

No

Q5. Do you know anyone that has been served by the City of Richmond's cold weather (hypothermia) shelter?

No

Q6. In your opinion, what are the benefits of the Annie E. Giles Center (formerly the Conrad Center) as the current location of the City of Richmond's cold weather (hypothermia) shelter? (Open Response)

Not know. Presentation meeting not discuss details of that center, referenced by name, not address.

Q7. What concerns do you have, if any, regarding the Annie E. Giles Center (formerly the Conrad Center) as the current location of the City of Richmond's cold weather (hypothermia) shelter? (Open Response)

Challenge to judge site by name, without address; nor tour of center with details of program and services.

Q8. Based on this evening's presentation, do you have any additional suggestions/comments regarding the location of the City of Richmond's cold weather (hypothermia) shelter? (Open Response)

Beyond single shelter location, need 24/7 contact, coordinate transportation to shelter any time, including food, cleaning, and counseling.



City of Richmond Cold Weather (hypothermia) Shelter

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☒ July 19, 2019 - Annie E. Giles Center (formerly the Conrad Center)

☐ July 26, 2019 - Southside Community Service Center

☐ August 1, 2019 - Main Branch – Richmond Public Library

Full Name (Optional): Mary D Thomas

Home Address (Optional): 1706 Spaylward St Rich 23223

Phone Number (Optional): _____

Email Address (Optional): _____

Council District: 6 (Please see the City Council Voting District Map Handout)

1) Have you ever been served by the City of Richmond's cold weather (hypothermia) shelter (Yes/No) No

2) Do you know anyone that has been served by the City of Richmond's cold weather (hypothermia) shelter (Yes/No) No

3) In your opinion, what are the benefits of the Annie E. Giles Center (formerly the Conrad Center) as the current location of the City of Richmond's cold weather (hypothermia) shelter? (Open Response)

homeless on the street

- 4) What concerns do you have, if any, regarding the Annie E. Giles Center (formerly the Conrad Center) as the current location of the City of Richmond's cold weather (hypothermia) shelter? (Open Response)

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locate someplace else And use the Bldg as a
resource Bldg for the East View Community



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Full Name (Optional): Cora Shearon

Home Address (Optional): _____

Phone Number (Optional): 804 225-8133

Email Address (Optional): _____

Council District: 6th (Please see the City Council Voting District Map Handout)

1) Have you ever been served by the City of Richmond's cold weather (hypothermia) shelter (Yes/No)

2) Do you know anyone that has been served by the City of Richmond's cold weather (hypothermia) shelter (Yes/No)

3) In your opinion, what are the benefits of the Annie E. Giles Center (formerly the Conrad Center) as the current location of the City of Richmond's cold weather (hypothermia) shelter? (Open Response)

- 4) What concerns do you have, if any, regarding the Annie E. Giles Center (formerly the Conrad Center) as the current location of the City of Richmond's cold weather (hypothermia) shelter? (Open Response)

- 5) Based on this evening's presentation, do you have any additional suggestions/comments regarding the location of the City of Richmond's cold weather (hypothermia) shelter? (Open Response)

That this building be used for additional activities.



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Full Name (Optional): ROSALYN B. GOODE

Home Address (Optional): 2204 HINDRETH ST

Phone Number (Optional): (804) 482-9188

Email Address (Optional): _____

Council District: 7 (Please see the City Council Voting District Map Handout)

1) Have you ever been served by the City of Richmond's cold weather (hypothermia) shelter (Yes/No) No

2) Do you know anyone that has been served by the City of Richmond's cold weather (hypothermia) shelter (Yes/No) No

3) In your opinion, what are the benefits of the Annie E. Giles Center (formerly the Conrad Center) as the current location of the City of Richmond's cold weather (hypothermia) shelter? (Open Response)

GOOD IDEA. HOWEVER, A RESOURCE CTR IS REALLY NEEDED IN THIS COMMUNITY.

IF ANOTHER FACILITY COULD BE FOUND, THAT WOULD BE GREAT.

- 4) What concerns do you have, if any, regarding the Annie E. Giles Center (formerly the Conrad Center) as the current location of the City of Richmond's cold weather (hypothermia) shelter? (Open Response)

THE HOMELESS NEED SHELTERS WHEN THE WEATHER
IS COLD AGAIN, A RESORT CTR WOULD SERVE THE
ENTIRE COMMUNITY

- 5) Based on this evening's presentation, do you have any additional suggestions/comments regarding the location of the City of Richmond's cold weather (hypothermia) shelter? (Open Response)

NOT AT THIS TIME

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Response No : 9

Q1. Community Meeting Date and Location:

August 1, 2019 - Main Branch - Richmond Public Library

Q2. Demographics:

Q2(a). Demographics:: Full Name (Optional)

Sharon Overton

Q2(b). Demographics:: Home Address (Optional)

2202 Cranbury court

Q2(c). Demographics:: Phone Number (Optional)

(804) 625-1887

Q2(d). Demographics:: Email Address (Optional)

salston51@yahoo.com

Q3. Council District (Please see the City Council Voting District Map Handout)

(Did not answer)

Q4. Have you ever been served by the City of Richmond's cold weather (hypothermia) shelter?

No

Q5. Do you know anyone that has been served by the City of Richmond's cold weather (hypothermia) shelter?

No

Q6. In your opinion, what are the benefits of the Annie E. Giles Center (formerly the Conrad Center) as the current location of the City of Richmond's cold weather (hypothermia) shelter? (Open Response)

It is a great location.

Q7. What concerns do you have, if any, regarding the Annie E. Giles Center (formerly the Conrad Center) as the current location of the City of Richmond's cold weather (hypothermia) shelter? (Open Response)

(Did not answer)

Q8. Based on this evening's presentation, do you have any additional suggestions/comments regarding the location of the City of Richmond's cold weather (hypothermia) shelter? (Open Response)

Transportation should be provided from a central location Food should be served to provide a hot meal for those needing to stay.

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Response No : 10

Q1. Community Meeting Date and Location:

August 1, 2019 - Main Branch - Richmond Public Library

Q2. Demographics:

Q2(a). Demographics:: Full Name (Optional)

(Did not answer)

Q2(b). Demographics:: Home Address (Optional)

(Did not answer)

Q2(c). Demographics:: Phone Number (Optional)

(Did not answer)

Q2(d). Demographics:: Email Address (Optional)

(Did not answer)

Q3. Council District (Please see the City Council Voting District Map Handout)

7

Q4. Have you ever been served by the City of Richmond's cold weather (hypothermia) shelter?

No

Q5. Do you know anyone that has been served by the City of Richmond's cold weather (hypothermia) shelter?

No

Q6. In your opinion, what are the benefits of the Annie E. Giles Center (formerly the Conrad Center) as the current location of the City of Richmond's cold weather (hypothermia) shelter?

(Open Response)

(Did not answer)

Q7. What concerns do you have, if any, regarding the Annie E. Giles Center (formerly the Conrad Center) as the current location of the City of Richmond's cold weather (hypothermia) shelter?

(Open Response)

Bus vouchers, meals inside, determining weather conditions, announcements on richmondgov for hours of shelter

Q8. Based on this evening's presentation, do you have any additional suggestions/comments regarding the location of the City of Richmond's cold weather (hypothermia) shelter? (Open Response)

(Did not answer)

Response No : 11

Q1. Community Meeting Date and Location:

August 1, 2019 - Main Branch - Richmond Public Library

Q2. Demographics:

Q2(a). Demographics:: Full Name (Optional)

Katie Gallant

Q2(b). Demographics:: Home Address (Optional)

(Did not answer)

Q2(c). Demographics:: Phone Number (Optional)

(757) 374-3460

Q2(d). Demographics:: Email Address (Optional)

(Did not answer)

Q3. Council District (Please see the City Council Voting District Map Handout)

2

Q4. Have you ever been served by the City of Richmond's cold weather (hypothermia) shelter?

No

Q5. Do you know anyone that has been served by the City of Richmond's cold weather (hypothermia) shelter?

Yes

Q6. In your opinion, what are the benefits of the Annie E. Giles Center (formerly the Conrad Center) as the current location of the City of Richmond's cold weather (hypothermia) shelter?

(Open Response)

(Did not answer)

Q7. What concerns do you have, if any, regarding the Annie E. Giles Center (formerly the Conrad Center) as the current location of the City of Richmond's cold weather (hypothermia) shelter?

(Open Response)

Lack of free transport for those who need the shelter, lack of communication of which days shelter is opened, desire for increased conditions that require shelter to be opened (inclement weather)

Q8. Based on this evening's presentation, do you have any additional suggestions/comments regarding the location of the City of Richmond's cold weather (hypothermia) shelter? (Open Response)

Would love to see a 365 emergency shelter for all weather conditions

Response No : 12

Q1. Community Meeting Date and Location:

August 1, 2019 - Main Branch - Richmond Public Library

Q2. Demographics:

Q2(a). Demographics:: Full Name (Optional)

(Did not answer)

Q2(b). Demographics:: Home Address (Optional)

(Did not answer)

Q2(c). Demographics:: Phone Number (Optional)

(Did not answer)

Q2(d). Demographics:: Email Address (Optional)

(Did not answer)

Q3. Council District (Please see the City Council Voting District Map Handout)

1

Q4. Have you ever been served by the City of Richmond's cold weather (hypothermia) shelter?

No

Q5. Do you know anyone that has been served by the City of Richmond's cold weather (hypothermia) shelter?

Yes

Q6. In your opinion, what are the benefits of the Annie E. Giles Center (formerly the Conrad Center) as the current location of the City of Richmond's cold weather (hypothermia) shelter? (Open Response)

(Did not answer)

Q7. What concerns do you have, if any, regarding the Annie E. Giles Center (formerly the Conrad Center) as the current location of the City of Richmond's cold weather (hypothermia) shelter? (Open Response)

Location - not downtown

Q8. Based on this evening's presentation, do you have any additional suggestions/comments regarding the location of the City of Richmond's cold weather (hypothermia) shelter? (Open Response)

Downtown



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Full Name (Optional): _____

Home Address (Optional): _____

Phone Number (Optional): _____

Email Address (Optional): _____

Council District: _____ (Please see the City Council Voting District Map Handout)

1) Have you ever been served by the City of Richmond's cold weather (hypothermia) shelter
☒ Yes/No

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☒ Yes/No

3) In your opinion, what are the benefits of the Annie E. Giles Center (formerly the Conrad Center) as the current location of the City of Richmond's cold weather (hypothermia) shelter? (Open Response)

Across from Police Department

- 4) What concerns do you have, if any, regarding the Annie E. Giles Center (formerly the Conrad Center) as the current location of the City of Richmond's cold weather (hypothermia) shelter? (Open Response)

Transportation
Food
Rhonda is only one come to feed
for cold.

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Home Address (Optional): _____

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Email Address (Optional): _____

Council District: _____ (Please see the City Council Voting District Map Handout)

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If you shut this down are you willing
to accept the countless deaths to cold weather
Do you even have a heart or does your money
mean more to you than lives

- 4) What concerns do you have, if any, regarding the Annie E. Giles Center (formerly the Conrad Center) as the current location of the City of Richmond's cold weather (hypothermia) shelter? (Open Response)

None

- 5) Based on this evening's presentation, do you have any additional suggestions/comments regarding the location of the City of Richmond's cold weather (hypothermia) shelter? (Open Response)

What Cost Can you put on a human Life



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Home Address (Optional): _____

Phone Number (Optional): _____

Email Address (Optional): _____

Council District: RVA (Please see the City Council Voting District Map Handout)

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(Yes/No)

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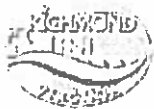
you don't die

- 4) What concerns do you have, if any, regarding the Annie E. Giles Center (formerly the Conrad Center) as the current location of the City of Richmond's cold weather (hypothermia) shelter? (Open Response)

Needs to be closer

- 5) Based on this evening's presentation, do you have any additional suggestions/comments regarding the location of the City of Richmond's cold weather (hypothermia) shelter? (Open Response)

People freeze out here. Unless one wants to kill out the homeless it is not humane



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Full Name (Optional): John Postale Wait

Home Address (Optional): _____

Phone Number (Optional): _____

Email Address (Optional): _____

Council District: _____ (Please see the City Council Voting District Map Handout)

Prepared
by Grace
Johnson

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(Yes/No) (Yes)

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(Yes/No) (Yes)

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When its a last resort, it's the only thing.
If there is no where else. It saved my life
It's survival.

The churches and groups can bring food.

You are safe there. The street never know
Security is there / supervision

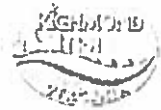
- 4) What concerns do you have, if any, regarding the Anne E. Giles Center (formerly the Conrad Center) as the current location of the City of Richmond's cold weather (hypothermia) shelter? (Open Response)

It's a long walk. Nothing is there.

- 5) Based on this evening's presentation, do you have any additional suggestions/comments regarding the location of the City of Richmond's cold weather (hypothermia) shelter? (Open Response)

Have a bunch of tents

Have Porter Pottery



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Full Name (Optional): Kenneth L. Gault

Home Address (Optional): _____

Phone Number (Optional): _____

Email Address (Optional): Kenneth.L.Gault@cityofrichmond.gov

Council District: _____ (Please see the City Council Voting District Map Handout)

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None

- 4) What concerns do you have, if any, regarding the Annie E. Giles Center (formerly the Conrad Center) as the current location of the City of Richmond's cold weather (hypothermia) shelter? (Open Response)

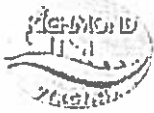
None

- 5) Based on this evening's presentation, do you have any additional suggestions/comments regarding the location of the City of Richmond's cold weather (hypothermia) shelter? (Open Response)

None

1. b. the homeless need shelter, food, assistance and
a job so none part of the community instead
of treating us as outcasts. And not knowing
about our world being. We even need transportation
to get to where we need to go and places to live
shelters instead of making opportunities to

James J. Smith



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Full Name (Optional): Antonio Williams

Home Address (Optional): _____

Phone Number (Optional): _____

Email Address (Optional): ajw7796@gmail.com

Council District: 6 (Please see the City Council Voting District Map Handout)

1) Have you ever been served by the City of Richmond's cold weather (hypothermia) shelter
(Yes/No)

2) Do you know anyone that has been served by the City of Richmond's cold weather (hypothermia) shelter (Yes/No)

3) In your opinion, what are the benefits of the Annie E. Giles Center (formerly the Conrad Center) as the current location of the City of Richmond's cold weather (hypothermia) shelter? (Open Response)

The location is too far away from my usual locations and there is no public transportation that goes there.

- 4) What concerns do you have, if any, regarding the Annie E. Giles Center (formerly the Conrad Center) as the current location of the City of Richmond's cold weather (hypothermia) shelter? (Open Response)

The location can get quite ~~crowd~~ crowded and stuffy.

- 5) Based on this evening's presentation, do you have any additional suggestions/comments regarding the location of the City of Richmond's cold weather (hypothermia) shelter? (Open Response)

Free transportation to and from the shelter and a day shelter program would be appreciated.

MOTION

To amend Ord. No. 2019-245 as follows:

Page 3, Line 9

After the word “adoption”, add a semicolon followed by the text “provided that, notwithstanding any provision of section 8-12(c)(1) of the Code of the City of Richmond (2015), as amended, to the contrary, this ordinance shall expire and the use of City-owned real estate for which section 1 of this ordinance provides shall cease on April 15, 2020”