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The Next Iron Triangle Neighborhood Council Meeting will be: March 17, 2021 at 5:30 p.m. on Zoom

For Zoom link email to: OGarcia.cor@gmail.com

After COVID-19, we will meet at the **Nevin Community Center** 598 Nevin Avenue Richmond 94801

The meetings are every 3rd Wednesday of the month.

ITNC Officers:

Oscar Garcia President

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Too Many Cars

In our neighborhood, we have too many cars. Many don't really run. They are a promise to the future – that "we" are going to fix, get running and sell – or give – or drive, but still the car sits.

We have cars clogging up the lawns and driveways. Cars are parked on the side where gardens could be growing, where children could be playing, and where seniors could be walking.

Let's work together to get rid of some of our cars so that our kids and all of us can enjoy the neighborhood. Let's all do our part to reduce the number of cars, especially along 8th Street, so that our neighborhood can thrive. We are going to have the prettiest street in Richmond after the construction and we deserve an opportunity to enjoy our neighborhood?

Will you help us make that happen?

COVID 19 Información:

Todos los elegibles pueden solicitar una cita para vacunarse contra el COVID-19 llamando al 1-833-829-2626.

Moving Forward

Moving Forward is a grassroots community project aiming to uplift and empower the Richmond community through academics, health and community service. Moving Forward organizes community clean-ups, fitness classes, a yearly 5K Fundraiser event and more! Given these unprecedented times, our services are currently limited in order to maintain COVID safety as the #1 priority.

For those interested in supporting the Community Clean-up Project, get ready to roll up your sleeves and help take pride in maintaining public parks and other shared spaces. Community Clean-ups are held monthly, every second Saturday at 10am. Check Moving Forward's social media platforms and website found below for updates on future clean-up locations, as they serve areas of the highest need.

Another project *Moving Forward* is thrilled to share is the *For Our Future Podcast*, which discusses important topics impacting our community and valuable life-skills/experiences while highlighting local leaders. The podcast show kicks off again, February 24th at 7:00 pm live on the Moving Forward 510 Youtube channel and will air every Wednesday at 7:00 pm until May 5th.

Moving Forward hosts a yearly fundraiser event to raise funds to support local youth seeking a higher education. The scholarship application will be available Feb. 24th and can be found via the Moving Forward website.



For more information on the Moving Forward Project, visit:

Instagram: MovingForward510 Facebook: Moving Forward 510

Website: www.movingforward510.org

Moving Forward is fiscally sponsored by Urban Tilth and funded in part by the Richmond ECIA Grant, CSD Grant, Chamberlin Foundation and donations from generous community members.



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Demasiados carros

En nuestro barrio, tenemos demasiados coches. Muchos realmente no corren. Son una promesa al futuro - que "nosotros" vamos a arreglar, ponernos en marcha y vender - o ceder - o conducir, pero aún así se queda el carro.

Tenemos coches que obstruyen el césped y las entradas. Los autos están estacionados en el lado donde los jardines podría estar creciendo, donde los niños podrían estar jugando y donde las personas mayores podrían estar caminando.

Trabajemos juntos para deshacernos de algunos, reducir la cantidad de autos para que nuestros niños y todos los residentes mayores pueden disfrutar del barrio. Hagamos todos nuestra parte para reducir la cantidad de automóviles, especialmente a lo largo de la calle 8, para que nuestro barrio pueda prosperar. Vamos a tener la mas linda calle en Richmond después de la construcción y no nuestros hijos, ancianos y más vulnerables merecen una oportunidad de disfrutar de nuestro barrio, no?

¿Nos ayudarás a que eso suceda?

COVID 19 Information:

Eligible residents can request an appointment to obtain the COVID-19 vaccine by calling 1-833-829-2626.

置 T R I A N G L E

Hello Fresh Has Jobs!

Unemployed Richmonders looking for work should apply at Hello Fresh. This company is the largest supplier of boxed meals in the U.S.

The company has announced 65 new openings

at its site on Factory Avenue in North Richmond. The starting wage is \$16.50 to \$17.50 per hour, as Production Associate, depending on experience. There are 3 shifts available and opportunities for promotion. Other jobs are Quality Lead, Food Safety, Security, Maintenance, and Senior Operations Manager. Hello Fresh rewards productivity and loyalty with advancement. Employees have paid health care, and Hello Fresh is providing COVID 19 vaccines for its employees.

Hello Fresh has established itself as a community partner in Richmond. Along with the 950+ jobs it has brought to our city, it is collaborating with the Richmond Police Department and others to improve safety and security.

The company made a donation to SOS-Richmond to maintain the streets and help improve sanitation around its plan. It has purchased bikes for the Police Department and is working to donate excess food for the needy. Hello Fresh is truly representing the Richmond spirit of Pride and Purpose."

R-Transit's Paratransit and LYFT Program

The City of Richmond's R-Transit/LYFT program is still operative 24 hours a day during the pandemic to provide safe and reliable transportation to Seniors (55 years and older) and disabled persons (18 years and older). Riders can take LYFT to destinations between the cities of Richmond, El Sobrante, San Pablo, Kensington and Pinole and to the VA Medical Center or the Regional Medical Center in Martinez. Seniors can also ride LYFT to get their COVID-19 vaccines (at non-drive thru locations.)

R-Transit's Paratransit and LYFT drivers are following safety protocols. Paratransit vehicles are equipped with masks, gloves, hand sanitizers, disinfectants and noncontact forehead thermometers to help keep riders healthy and safe.

Yellow Brick Road Soon to Undergo Construction

Current Photo on the Left – Future Illustration on the Right.





For your safety, drivers:

- Keep vehicles sanitized before and after each transport.
- Keep windows open for air circulation.
- Wear gloves and masks.
- Provide gloves and masks to passengers, except LYFT riders must provide their own masks.
- Use non-contact forehead thermometers (Paratransit only).
- Provide individual rides (non-ride share) unless for a family member or caregiver.

For more information call: (510) 307-8026.