

Macdonald Avenue Corridor Task Force

Public Notice of a Regular Meeting

Be advised that the City of Richmond Macdonald Avenue Corridor Task Force will hold a regular meeting on:



November 21, 1:30 pm - 3:00 pm at Point Molate Room, 450 Civic Center Plaza, 2nd Floor, Richmond, CA 94804

Members

Mayor
Eduardo Martinez

Councilmember
Doria Robinson

Designated City Staff
(confirmed by the City
Manager)

Vernon Whitmore
Executive Director
Richmond Chamber of
Commerce

Sarah Wally
Executive Director
Richmond Main Street
Initiative

Macdonald Avenue Corridor

Business Owners

Property Owners

Residents

AGENDA

1. Call to Order
2. Roll Call
3. Agenda Review and Adoption
4. City Staff Reports (Verbal)
5. Public Comments
6. Approval of Meeting Minutes
 - a. 10/02/2025 – Special Meeting – Downtown Richmond Walking Tour
7. Presentations, Discussions, & Actions Items
Following discussion of each item, the Task Force may vote to make recommendations to staff or to the City Council
 - a. Standing Meeting Schedule. DISCUSS and CONSIDER a schedule for the task force.
 - b. Membership. DISCUSS and CONSIDER additional stakeholders for the task force.
 - c. Goal Setting for 2026. DISCUSS and CONSIDER goals for 2026 including a draft timeline.
 - d. Special Meeting - October 2, 2025. DISCUSS and REVIEW recent tour with elected officials "Downtown Richmond Walking Tour"
8. Action Item Recap
9. Adjourn

Next meeting: To Be Determined

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**Macdonald Avenue Corridor Task Force
Minutes – Special Meeting
Thursday, October 2nd, 2025, 10 am – 12 pm
1600 Nevin Plaza, Richmond, CA 94801**



1. Call to Order and Roll Call

Call to Order: 10:04 am by Mayor Martinez

2. Roll Call & Check In

A quorum was present with the following task force members:

Present: Mayor Martinez, Councilmember Robinson, Member Whitmore, and Member Wally.

Absent: N/A

3. Opening Remarks – Mayor Martinez

4. Hilltop History & Connection – Councilmember Robinson

5. Short Film Presentation: “Macdonald Ave” by Doug Harris

6. Remarks by Assemblymember Matt Haney

7. Downtown Richmond Walking Tour

The Macdonald Avenue Corridor Task Force held a special meeting in the form of a walking tour through Downtown Richmond. The tour provided Task Force members and community participants an opportunity to observe key sites along the corridor, discuss redevelopment opportunities, and engage in dialogue about infrastructure, business revitalization, and public space improvements.

8. Next Meeting: TBD

Adjournment: 12:26 PM