

50 Fixes For A Thriving 5th District and City of Richmond



Thad Williamson



5th District, Richmond City Council



Education ✦ Opportunity ✦ Effective Government



1. Residency Requirement for Richmond Elected Officials
2. Pave our Potholes and Improve Our Roads
3. Build a New George Wythe High School—**Now**
4. Pair Up Fox and Cary to Promote Diversity
5. Slow Cars Down; Promote Vision Zero
6. Build Community Support for Every School
7. Invest in Early Learning (RPS)
8. Support Teachers and Strengthen Classroom Learning (RPS)
9. Strengthen Pathways to College and Career (RPS)
10. Make the Education Compact Work (Fund RPS)
11. Implement Ethics Reforms
12. Appoint an Internal Ethics “Czar” in City Hall
13. Strengthen Anti-Nepotism Rules for Mayor and Chief Administrative Officer
14. Implement Participatory Budgeting (Capital Budget)
15. Equity Audit of All City Agencies
16. Make the Office of Sustainability an Agency to Drive a Green Plan
17. Implement the James River Park Master Plan
18. Conserve James River Park
19. Every RPS Child Visits James River Park Every Year
20. Expand Staffing at James River Park
21. Create a Department of Transportation with a Multimodal Orientation
22. Push for a Regional Transportation Network
23. Expanded Bus Service in the 5th, Both Sides of the River
24. Install Bus Stop Shelters
25. Share the Road! Promote and Protect Biking
26. Expand Office of Community Wealth Building Career Centers into the 5th District
27. Expand Youth Employment Programs - like the Mayor’s Youth Academy





28. Strengthen Pipelines into Apprenticeship Programs
29. Implement Project Labor Agreements in All Economic Development Deals
30. Develop Anchor Institution-Based Social Enterprise Sector
31. Develop a Comprehensive, Citywide Housing Plan
32. Expand the Affordable Housing Trust Fund and the Maggie L. Walker Community Land Trust
33. Move Tax-Delinquent Properties Back onto the Rolls
34. Protect the Most Vulnerable from Gentrification through Tax Relief Policies
35. Develop a Community-wide Plan for the Future of Public Housing
36. Push for a Comprehensive Agreement Between VCU and the City of Richmond
37. Protect Historic Oregon Hill from VCU Encroachment
38. Connect 5th District Civic Organizations With Each Other
39. Address Flooding Issues in Reedy Creek
40. Adopt a Geese Management Program in Byrd Park
41. Address Issues with Alleys and Sidewalks
42. Find Lasting Solution for Forest Hill/Semmes Intersection
43. Slow Down Traffic on McCloy Street in Carytown South
44. Upgrade Facilities at Byrd Park Tennis Courts on Arthur Ashe Boulevard
45. Promote More Effective and Efficient and Local Government
46. Responsive City Council Representation
47. Policy Making and Budget: Experienced and Knowledgeable Representation
48. Holding the City Administration Accountable for Action and Inaction
49. Being Present and Accessible in the Community as Council Member
50. Elect Thad Williamson to Richmond City Council



READY

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Thad is *Ready to work hard from Day One!* No other candidate offers the level of hands-on policymaking experience and results that Thad will bring to Richmond City Council.

Thad is ready to work hard to:

- Improve our schools
- Expand economic opportunity
- Improve efficiency and accountability

*Let's work together to
Create a Thriving 5th District and RVA!*

✓ VOTE

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