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We're #1!

The City of Richmond has been named Canada's Most Active Community in the national 2025 ParticipACTION Community Challenge, topping the list among hundreds of communities across the country.

This past June, more than 413,000 participants took part in over 1,010 activities—ranging from individual workouts to team sports. Nearly 60 Richmond organizations joined the Community Challenge, marking a 75 per cent increase from last year.

A huge thank you to every participant, volunteer and supporter who helped Richmond earn this incredible title!

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RICHMOND IS CANADA'S MOST ACTIVE COMMUNITY!



Gardening in a changing climate

Did you know creating a climate resilient garden can:

- improve air quality
- help manage rainwater
- increase biodiversity
- reduce water consumption
- keep things cool
- help you stay comfortable outdoors

Get some simple tips to help you and your garden thrive no matter the weather.

[Learn more](#)



Bag it, bin it

Richmond dog owners could soon have special bins for pet waste in off-leash parks after Council endorsed expansion of a pilot program that collected 13,500 kg of doggie doo-doo in the past year.

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Let's Talk Richmond

Share your ideas, discuss important topics, provide feedback and ask questions to help shape the City's initiatives and strategies. Visit LetsTalkRichmond.ca to learn more.

Financing home energy upgrades

We're exploring new ways to support residents in making your homes more energy-efficient. Your feedback will help us better understand what upgrades matter most to you, the barriers you're facing and what kinds of financing or support programs would make the biggest difference.



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