



TOWN OF RICHMOND, RHODE ISLAND
Town Council Resolution # 2025-18

RESOLUTION OF THE TOWN COUNCIL
FOR RELIEF TO FEDERAL WORKERS

WHEREAS, due to impasse, Congress is unable to pass appropriations bills that fund the operations of federal agencies and programs as of October 1, 2025; and

WHEREAS, through no fault of their own, federal workers will not receive their pay because of the impasse; and

WHEREAS, these federal workers provide important and essential services to our country, our state, and our community; and

WHEREAS, because the work of federal employees do is so vital to our country, our state and, our community, many of them still have to continue to work despite not receiving pay; and

WHEREAS, many federal workers that provide important and essential services live in the Town of Richmond; and

WHEREAS, federal workers that live in the Town of Richmond are working for the benefit of our community but are not being paid for the work that our community is benefiting from.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, in order to lessen the potential financial burden put upon unpaid federal employees that live in the Town of Richmond, the Town Council resolves to allow these workers to delay payment of their 2nd Quarter real estate taxes for up to sixty (60) days and directs the Finance Director or Town Administrator to process a waiver of any interest and/or penalties for said federal workers that reside in Richmond; and

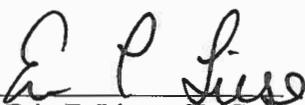
BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, this temporary relief shall be in effect for this time period provided residents present verification of their employment by the federal government and certify that they have not received their full pay due to the impasse in Congress; and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE TOWN OF RICHMOND, RHODE ISLAND, THE FOLLOWING MOTION WAS MADE:

A motion was made by Vice President Reynolds, seconded by President Wilcox, to approve the Resolution 2015-18 for Relief for Federal Workers. Vote: Councilor Dinsmore, Aye; Councilor Madnick, Aye; Councilor Palmisciano, Aye; Vice President Reynolds, Aye; President Wilcox, Aye.

GIVEN UNDER THE SEAL OF THE TOWN COUNCIL OF THE TOWN OF RICHMOND THIS 18 DAY OF NOVEMBER, 2025

ATTEST:


Erin F. Liese, CMC
Town Clerk


Samantha Wilcox
Town Council President





Attestation

RELIEF TO FEDERAL WORKERS SECOND QUARTER TAX INTEREST

I _____ certify that I am a federal employee impacted by the Government shutdown and acknowledge that this interest waiver is for my second quarter (December 7, 2025) payment and waiver of interest accrual for 60 days.

***** ATTESTATION*****

I attest that the above statement about myself, which relates to my eligibility for tax interest waiver benefits, is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

Resident Signature

Date

Finance Dept. Signature

Date