# East End Community Resource Guide (Shortlist)

This sheet is a resource guide for where to find meals, groceries, clothing, emergency shelter, rent and utility assistance in the East End of Richmond. Other agencies not included on this sheet may also be able to assist you. Please note that available services, operating hours, and locations may change.

## I need help with rent, utilities, or staying in my current housing:

• Contact the Housing Resource Line: (804) 422-5061. The Housing Resource Line is a new resource to help you gain access to essential housing services. An online form can be found here: https://pharva.com/housing-hotline-form/. The Housing Resource Line can help with financial assistance, emergency assistance, and foreclosure prevention, among other resources.

## I am in need of emergency shelter:

• Contact the Homeless Connection Line: (804) 972-0813. The Homeless Connection Line facilitates access to resources and shelter alternatives for those who are three days or less away from losing their housing. This line is also available for those already experiencing homelessness.

## I am in need of affordable housing:

• Contact Virginia Housing Search by visiting www.virginiahousingsearch.org or calling 1-877-428-8844 (toll free) Monday-Friday, 9 a.m. - 8 p.m. This is a free resource by Virginia Housing to help people find a home that fits their needs and budget. Property providers can list apartments or homes for rent any time, which means that our list is always current.

## I am in need of employment:

• Contact Virginia Career Works at <a href="https://virginiacareerworks.com/resources/">https://virginiacareerworks.com/resources/</a>. The Capital Region has workforce centers to offer employment guidance, training and placement services to job seekers and employers throughout the Metro Richmond region and beyond into the Counties of Charles City, Chesterfield, Goochland, Hanover, Henrico, New Kent and Powhatan.

## I am experiencing or fleeing domestic violence:

• Contact the EmpowerNet Hotline: 804-612-6126. The EmpowerNet Hotline offers free, confidential, live, trauma specialists available 24/7. Call for direction to crisis intervention, emergency shelter, counseling, case management, hospital-based services, and support.

## I am in need of emergency clothing:

• Visit the Church Hill Christian Wellness Center Clothes Closet at Mount Tabor Baptist Church on the 2nd & 3rd Floors of the Education Building, 2011 Fairmount Avenue between 1:00pm and 3:00pm on Mondays. They can be contacted at Phone: (804) 780-0053. Requirements may include an ID; SSN; and proof of residency in 23223 area code.

## I am in need of emergency food:

- St. Peter's Catholic | 800 E Grace St | 804-643-4315
  - O Tues 11:45-12:30pm (hot meal); 1-3:30pm (Shower, food pantry, clothing)
  - Wed 4:30-5:30pm (hot meal)
- Church Hill Christian Wellness Center Food Pantry at Mount Tabor Baptist Church | 2011 Fairmount Avenue | (804) 780-0053
  - O Between 9:00am and 10:00am on the third Thursday of each month (food pantry)
  - Requirements may include an ID; SSN; and proof of residency in 23223 area code.
- Richmond's First Baptist | 2709 Monument Ave | 804-355-8637
  - O Mon & Thurs 11-2pm (Food, clothes, shower)
  - O Sun 5-6pm (Hot meal)
- 2nd Presbyterian | 5 N Fifth St | 804-649-9148
  - O Mon 10:30–1pm (hot meal)
  - O Tues 9am-12noon (shower)
- Third Street Bethel AME Church | 614 N. Third Street | 804-643-8157
  - O Wed 11:30-1pm (hot meal & clothing)
- Oregon Hill Baptist | 400 S Pine St | 804-648-1353
  - O Thurs 9:30-11am (meal inside or to-go & sign up for locker, laundry, mail, clothing)
- St. Paul's Episcopal | 815 E Grace St | 804-643-3589
  - Thurs 10:30 –12pm (bagged lunch)
- Belmont Community Resource Services | 3510 Broad Rock Blvd | 804-275-6336
  - o Fri 9am-1pm Food pantry & Clothing Closet
- Centenary United Methodist | 411 E Grace St | 804-648-8319
  - Fri 10:30am until gone (bagged lunch)
- Grace and Holy Trinity | 8 N Laurel St | 804-359-5628
  - O Fri 12-1pm (to-go meal)
- St. Mark's Episcopal | 520 N Arthur Ashe Blvd | 804-358-4771
  - o 2nd & 4th Sat 9-10:30am (Food pantry)
- RVA Community Fridges linktr.ee/rvacommunity%20fridges
  - Multiple locations with groceries & toiletries

#### I need a resource that is not listed above:

• The best way to find programs and resources available in the community is to contact Virginia 2-1-1. Visit 211Virginia.org to find service information online, or call 211 toll-free from anywhere in the state.