# Project 3(a), A Tool / Object Proposal

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### 1) Short Statement

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Richmond, Virginia's weather temperature changes frequently. One day it's quite warm, and the next day it's rather frigid.

# 2) Context, history, and a full explanation of the problem

# What causes climate change, and how does it affect Richmonders' lives?

#### Context

The current altering climate is connected to growing levels of greenhouse gases in the atmosphere, such as carbon dioxide, methane, and hydrofluorocarbons, which insulate the earth and cause it to warm. Greenhouse gases have been released by natural processes as well as human activities such as livestock husbandry and the use of fossil fuels.. These changes in Richmond's environment might have serious consequences for citizens, the community, and the government. These consequences might include bodily harm and disease, property damage and loss, service delivery delays or disruptions, and a financial hardship.

### History

The climate of the Earth has altered over time. There have been seven cycles of glacial advance and retreat in the last 650,000 years, with the abrupt end of the last ice age approximately 11,700 years ago marking the beginning of the current climatic era — and of human civilization. Droughts and forest fires are more common in some parts of the nation. Richmond will see greater temperatures, longer heat waves, and more severe rain events. The majority of these climatic shifts are due to minute fluctuations in Earth's orbit that alter the quantity of solar energy our planet gets.

#### High & Low Weather Summary for March 2021

	Temperature	Humidity	Pressure
High	85 °F (Mar 26, 2:54 pm)	100% (Mar 1, 1:01 am)	30.60 °Hg (Mar 1, 1:01 am)
Low	26 °F (Mar 6, 5:54 am)	14% (Mar 10, 1:54 pm)	29.60 "Hg (Mar 28, 5:54 pm)
Average	52 °F	63%	30.16 "Hg

#### High & Low Weather Summary for July 2021

High	95 °F (Jul 1, 2:54 pm)	100% (Jul 1, 11:10 pm)	30.24 °Hg (Jul 1, 11:10 pm)
Low	61 °F (Jul 3, 5:54 am)	37% (Jul 7, 3:54 pm)	29.71 "Hg (Jul 8, 9:31 pm)
Average	79 °F	75%	30.01 "Hg

#### High & Low Weather Summary for November 2021

	Temperature	Humidity	Pressure
High	77 °F (Nov 18, 1254 pm)	100% (Nov 2, 11:54 pm)	30.60 °Hg (Nov 2, 11:54 pm)
Low	27 °F (Nov 24, 4:54 am)	25% (Nov 12, 3:54 pm)	29.78 "Hg (Nov 26, 3:54 am)
Average	48 °F	64%	30.15 "Hg

Temperature, Humidity, and Pressure from March 2021 to March 2022 in Richmond, Virginia

#### High & Low Weather Summary for April 2021

	Temperature	Humidity	Pressure
High	88 °F (Apr 28, 3:54 pm)	100% (Apr 10, 5:54 am)	30.51 "Hg (Apr 10, 5:54 am)
Low	31 °F (Apr 2, 4:54 am)	19% (Apr 30, 4:54 pm)	29.47 "Hg (Apr 11, 5:54 pm)
Average	59 °F	59%	29.96 "Hg

#### High & Low Weather Summary for August 2021

High	95 °F (Aug 24, 2:54 pm)	100% (Aug 1, 3:54 am)	30.22 "Hg (Aug 1, 3:54 am)
Low	62 °F (Aug 5, 4:54 am)	34% (Aug 24, 2:54 pm)	29.78 "Hg (Aug 31, 11:54 pm)
Average	78°F	81%	30.06 "Hg

#### High & Low Weather Summary for December 2021

	Temperature	Humidity	Pressure
High	72 °F (Dec 17, 2:54 pm)	100% (Dec 11, 8:54 am)	30.58 "Hg (Dec 11, 854 am)
Low	26 °F (Dec 9, 5:54 am)	22% (Dec 7, 12:54 am)	29.62 °Hg (Dec 25, 2 54 pm)
lverage	49 °F	70%	30.08 "Hg

\*Reported Dec 1 12:54 am — Dec 31 11:54 pm, The Row. Weather by CustomWeather, © 2022

#### High & Low Weather Summary for May 2021

	Temperature	Humidity	Pressure
High	94 °F (May 26, 2:54 pm)	100% (May 29, 1.54 am)	30.54 "Hg (May 29, 1:54 am)
Low	42 °F (May 8, 4:54 am)	17% (May 1, 3:54 pm)	29.68 "Hg (May 28, 5:54 pm)
Average	66 °F	60%	30.11 "Hg

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#### High & Low Weather Summary for September 2021

High	90 °F (Sep 13, 1:54 pm)	100% (Sep 8, 6:54 am)	30.29 "Hg (Sep 8, 6:54 am)
Low	51 °F (Sep 27, 6:54 am)	33% (Sep 26, 2:54 pm)	29.54 "Hg (Sep 1, 3:54 pm)
Average	72 °F	77%	30.02 "Hg

#### High & Low Weather Summary for January 2022

	Temperature	Humidity	Pressure
High	72 °F (Jan 1, 1.54 pm)	100% (Jan 1, 1:54 am)	30.71 "Hg (Jan 1, 1:54 am)
Low	12 °F (Jan 30, 6:54 am)	25% (Jan 10, 1:54 pm)	29.23 "Hg (Jan 17, 3:16 am)
Average	36 °F	66%	30.09 "Hg

#### High & Low Weather Summary for June 2021

	Temperature	Humidity	Pressure
High	95 °F (Jun 21, 3:54 pm)	100% (Jun 1, 4:54 am)	30.37 "Hg (Jun 1, 4.54 am)
Low	54 °F (Jun 1, 4:54 am)	23% (Jun 17, 254 pm)	29.65 "Hg (Jun 21, 5:54 pm)
Average	75 °F	76%	30.03 "Hg

#### High & Low Weather Summary for October 2021

	Temperature	Humidity	Pressure
High	85 °F (Oct 3, 1:54 pm)	100% (Oct 3, 6:54 am)	30.33 "Hg (Oct 3, 6:54 am)
Low	44 °F (Oct 19, 4:54 am)	29% (Oct 18, 3:54 pm)	29.43 "Hg (Oct 29, 4:54 pm)
Average	65 °F	80%	29.99 "Hg

#### High & Low Weather Summary for February 2022

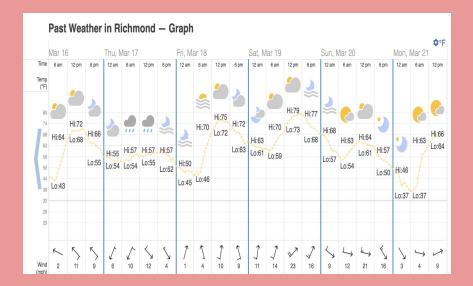
	Temperature	Humidity	Pressure
High	74 °F (Feb 17, 1:54 pm)	100% (Feb 25, 1:54 am)	30.71 "Hg (Feb 25, 1:54 am)
Low	18 °F (Feb 15, 5:54 am)	17% (Feb 19, 4:54 pm)	29.57 "Hg (Feb 18, 3:54 am)
Average	44 °F	66%	30.22 "Hg

#### High & Low Weather Summary for March 2022

	Temperature	Humidity	Pressure
High	80 °F (Mar 7, 1:54 pm)	100% (Mar 9, 9:28 am)	30.59 "Hg (Mar 9, 9:28 am)
Low	21 °F (Mar 13, 7:54 am)	22% (Mar 15, 3:54 pm)	29.34 "Hg (Mar 12, 6:07 am)
Average	51 °F	67%	30.09 "Hg



The difference in temperature from past and future predictions of what the weather will be like in Richmond, Virginia.

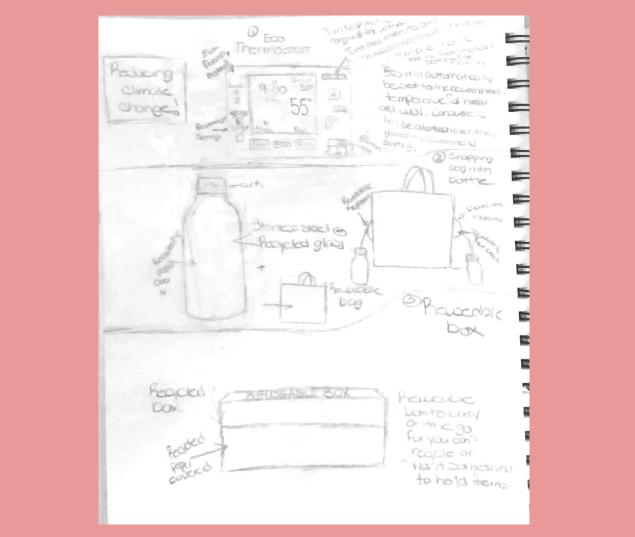


Past week of temperatures in Richmond, Virginia

#### Full Statement

Climate change is produced by rising quantities of greenhouse gases in the atmosphere and can have an influence on how Richmonders live by generating unpredictable weather and repercussions such as bodily injury and sickness, property damage and loss, and so on... Temperatures are projected to rise as a result of climate change. Climate change is a critical issue that can be mitigated by conserving energy, reducing, reusing, repairing and recycling, and changing your home's energy source.

## 3) 3 Rough Sketches



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