

# RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL

No. 300

Approved June 12, 1969

WHEREAS, under the provisions of Section 23 of the United States Housing Act of 1937, as amended, the Housing Assistance Administration of the Department of Housing and Urban Development is authorized to provide financial assistance to local public housing agencies in providing low-rent housing by leasing dwelling units in existing privately owned structures; and

WHEREAS, said Section 23 provides that the provisions thereof shall not apply to any locality unless the governing body of the locality has by resolution approved the application of such provisions to such locality.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE MEMBERS OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF PROVIDENCE RHODE ISLAND <sup>do</sup> ~~does~~ hereby approve an application of the Housing Authority of the City of Providence, Rhode Island for One Hundred and Fifty units and Section 23 of the United States Housing Act of 1937, as amended.

IN CITY COUNCIL

JUN 5 - 1969

READ and PASSED

*Thomas H. Boyle*  
resident  
*Vincent P. Jones*  
Clerk

APPROVED

JUN 12 1969

*Joseph A. Rowley Jr.*  
MAYOR

RESOLUTION  
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CITY COUNCIL

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FIRST READING  
REFERRED TO COMMITTEE ON  
PUBLIC WELFARE  
*Committee Clerk*

THE COMMITTEE ON  
PUBLIC WELFARE  
Approves Passage of  
The Within Resolution

*Committee Chairman*  
May 21, 1969  
*Clad*

*Commissioner J. Murphy*

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RESOLVED, that His Honor the Mayor is requested to consider the creation of a "Mayor's Award For Urban Beautification" substantially in accordance as follows:

## STATEMENT OF PURPOSE

The City of Providence will recognize and cite the interest and participation of individuals, governmental agencies, authorities, business organizations, civic and conservation groups in a conscious effort to stimulate urban beauty in this city by an annual presentation of awards for excellence in performance in projects relating to the urban environment.

## QUALIFICATIONS

1. Competition is for projects which improve the aesthetic livability of our city. Awards will be made for work performed by individuals, the Federal and State government, civic organizations, business and industry. Work performed by employees of the City of Providence in the normal performance of their duties will not be eligible.

2. Nominations may be made by any individual and by the head of any agency or organization concerned. All entries will be acknowledged. In the event of several nominations for the same item, the entries will be judged according to the rules and regulations set forth. In the case of identical entries for the same item, the judging will be made on the first one received.

3. Exhibits must consist of photographs and must be accompanied by a brief descriptive text.

## CATEGORIES FOR WHICH THE MAYOR'S AWARD FOR EXCELLENCE WILL BE GIVEN.

The Mayor, the Director of Public Works, the City Forester, the Superintendent of Parks, and the Director of Urban Redevelopment, Renewal and Planning, or their representatives shall meet and compose a list of categories for which the Mayor's Award will be given. Said list may be altered at any time at their discretion.

## RULES AND REGULATIONS

1. Separate awards will be made for each category. Competitors may submit as many entries as desired.

2. An entry shall consist of a single 8" by 10", or larger, unmounted color photographic print or a pair of "before" and "after" photographs whenever possible.

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3. The entry should be of a project completed within the previous three years, except that planter landscaping projects completed within the previous five years will be acceptable.

4. A descriptive text must be typewritten on a single sheet of paper and attached to the back of each print. The text must identify the subject and category for which it is to be considered; must have the name and address of the sponsoring agency, individual, or organization; must locate, describe and date the subject of the photographic print; and may include for credit the name and address of the construction agency, contractor or architect.

5. Each entry will be judged within its own area of competition upon the following criteria: (1) excellence of project development, (2) importance to the urban environment, (3) general interest.

6. The Mayor shall designate a person or agency to receive all entries and to establish cutoff dates for the submission of such entries.

7. Awards will be made by the Mayor and will consist of an appropriate certificate of recognition for each winning subject and item.

## JUDGING OF ENTRIES

The Mayor shall appoint a panel of urban experts to act as a body. The panel will make its recommendations for awards to the Mayor, who will make the final selections.

## STIPULATIONS

It shall be understood that all entries become the property of the City of Providence and may be used by the City for its purposes.

IN CITY COUNCIL

JUN 5 - 1969

READ and PASSED

*Russell J. Boyle*  
President  
*Vincent DeGiacca*  
Clerk

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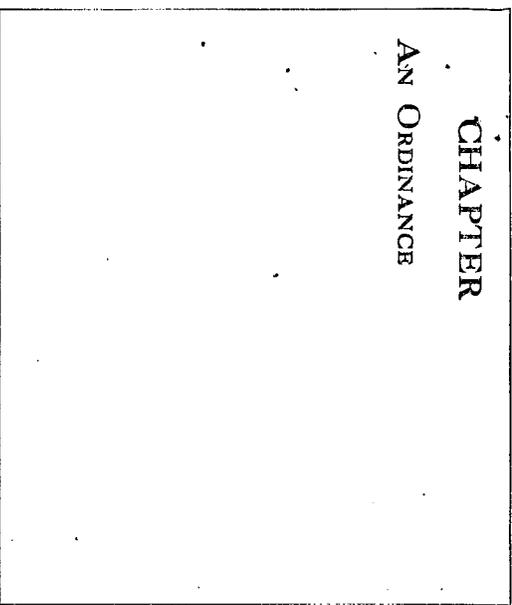
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*Joseph A. Corley*  
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COUNCIL

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PUBLIC WELFARE.....  
*Samuel Cooper*  
CLERK

THE COMMITTEE ON

*Dwight Goodhue*  
Approves Passage of  
the Within Resolution

*Samuel Cooper*

May 21 1969 Seal

*Samuel Cooper* Chairman

CITY OF PROVIDENCE

Department of City Clerk

MEMORANDUM

Providence, R. I. February 3, 1969

TO: Mayor Doorley, Director McGarry, City Forester Plante

SUBJECT: Resolution Creating "Mayor's Award For Urban Beautification"

CONSIDERED BY: Committee on Public Welfare

DISPOSITION:

Attached is copy of Resolution on above subject for your study and report to the subject committee as to its merits.

*Vernice Vespa*

City Clerk

CITY OF PROVIDENCE

Department of Public Parks

COMMISSIONERS

JOHN R. FLYNN

ROBERT C. LAURELLI

BENJAMIN L. COOK

FORESTRY SECTION

1 NETOP DRIVE, ROGER WILLIAMS PARK  
PROVIDENCE, RHODE ISLAND 02905

RALPH J. HARTMAN

SUPERINTENDENT

JOSEPH H. PLANTE, JR.

CITY FORESTER

781-4120

February 17, 1969

Mr. Vincent Vespia  
City Clerk  
City Hall,  
Providence, R. I. 02903

Re: RESOLUTION CREATING "MAYOR'S  
AWARD FOR URBAN BEAUTIFICA-  
TION".

Dear Mr. Vespia:

After viewing very carefully the resolution in order to establish a "Mayor's Award For Urban Beautification", I feel enthused and approve of this resolution wholeheartedly.

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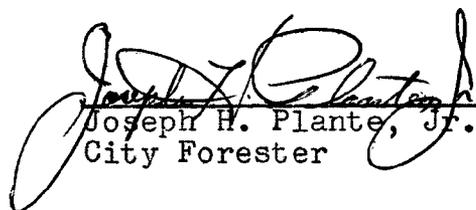
The establishment of this Mayor's Award would bring out the City's interest, approval, and recognition to those people or groups, which are working so hard to make this City of our's a more beautiful place to live in.

The Committee on Public Welfare can feel free to contact me at any time on this matter. I will devote what ever time is necessary to get this resolution off the table and into an annual event.

I feel honored and proud to just be a part of this long over due resolution; of creating a "Mayor's Award For Urban Beautification".

The rough draft of the rules and regulations which would govern the recipient of the award, can stand a little smoothing over. What ever help and assistances I can contribute to the setting up of this award, I would only be too glad to do so.

Very truly yours,

  
Joseph H. Plante, Jr.  
City Forester

JHP/mh

cc: Committee Public Welfare

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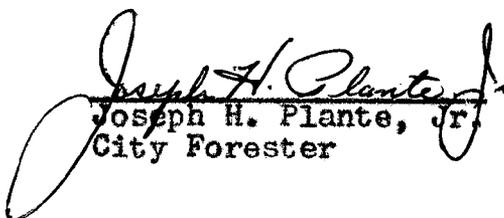
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COUNCILMAN  
DONALD E. MCKIERNAN  
72 HARRIET ST.

CITY COUNCIL  
CITY OF PROVIDENCE, RHODE ISLAND

COMMITTEES  
PUBLIC WELFARE

May 24, 1969

Public Welfare Committee  
City Clerk's Office  
City Hall  
Providence, R.I.

Gentlemen:

It is my understanding that at your next meeting you will consider my proposal for a Mayor's Beautification Award. When I introduced this proposal I spoke with the mayor and he expressed his approval provided it cost no money. As proposed it costs none. It is my hope that the committee will recommend approval.

Respectfully,  
Donald

# RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL

No. 302

Approved June 12, 1969

RESOLVED, That the Board of Park Commissioners is requested to further request of the Public Service Engineer the installation of adequate lighting be installed within the Gladys Potter Memorial Park, located at the corner of Humboldt Avenue and Elton Street, and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That the Chief of the Division of Sanitation is requested to cause trash cans to be placed along the sidewalks, at the above location in an attempt to discourage the wanton depositing of litter upon that area.

IN CITY COUNCIL

JUN 5 - 1969

READ and PASSED

*Stanley Boyle*  
President  
*William C. ...*  
Clerk

APPROVED

JUN 12 1969

*Joseph A. ...*  
MAYOR

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PUBLIC WELFARE  
*Robert Cooper*  
CLERK

THE COMMITTEE ON

PUBLIC WELFARE  
Recommendations  
Postponement  
Clerk  
Chairman

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THE COMMITTEE ON  
*Frankie Sullivan*  
Approves Passage of  
The Within Resolution  
*Robert Cooper*  
Chairman  
*May 24/1969*  
Clerk

*Committee Chairman and President, by report*

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Co sponsored by



SENATOR  
HAROLD C. ARCARO, JR.  
27 RHODE ISLAND AVENUE  
PROVIDENCE, R. I. 02906

To: Thomas W. Pearlman  
Bill Bradshaw

State of Rhode Island and Providence Plantations  
Senate Chamber

Copies to  
① Jack Conine  
② William Hartman  
③ John F. Ryan

③ Hicks

④ Harold

⑤ Tom Pearlman  
⑥ Bill Bradshaw

October 16, 1968

PO/MS

Vin

Please put in resolution  
on this  
Tom

Hon. Thomas W. Pearlman  
203 Blackstone Boulevard  
Providence, Rhode Island 02906

Dear Tom:

In the course of my campaigning throughout the district I have received some complaints with reference to the Baby Park on Humboldt Avenue and with reference to litter discarded by Wayland Square bound persons who park in that area.

I am inclined to agree with the complaints and with the suggestions that lights should be erected in the Baby Park and that greater surveillance in the area should be taken particularly for the young children in the area who use the park. In addition the suggestion seems worthwhile that a trash can be installed in the area.

I am bringing this to your attention since these are matters within the jurisdiction of the City Council and since you are the Councilman from the area, but I am also quick to point out that I will do whatever I can to assist in any action you initiate in regard to these matters.

I am taking the liberty of sending a copy of this letter to Councilman William G. Bradshaw and to Chief Howard A. Franklin of the Providence Police Department.

Please let me know what I can do to assist you in these matters.

Very truly yours,

Harold C. Arcaro, Jr.

HCA:ls

cc: Hon. William G. Bradshaw  
Chief Howard A. Franklin

Department of City Clerk

MEMORANDUM

Providence, R. I. November 13, 1968

TO: Secretary Board of Park Commissioners and  
Director of Public Works

SUBJECT: Gladys Potter Memorial Park

CONSIDERED BY: Committee on Public Welfare

DISPOSITION:

Attached is copy of Resolution concerning the above park.

*Vincent Vespa*

City Clerk



CITY OF PROVIDENCE, RHODE ISLAND  
MAYOR JOSEPH A. DOORLEY, JR.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS . 700 ALLENS AVENUE . 02905

Lawrence P. McGarry, Director

Robert B. Strong, Deputy Director

November 15, 1968

Chairman of the Public Welfare Committee  
Providence City Council  
City Hall-Providence, R. I.

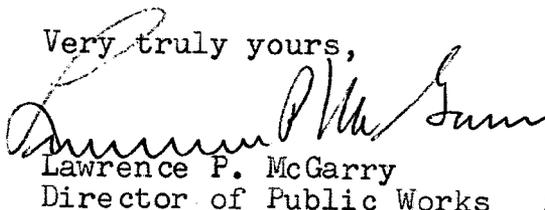
Re: Gladys Potter Memorial Park

Dear Sir:

Our Tippy McCann routes are over extended at present, but we will consider trash cans in this area in the near future.

It is recommended that an additional street light be installed, however, in the above referenced park located at Humboldt Avenue and Elton Street.

Very truly yours,

  
Lawrence P. McGarry  
Director of Public Works

LPMCG:jm

THE CITY OF PROVIDENCE  
STATE OF RHODE ISLAND AND PROVIDENCE PLANTATIONS

RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL

No. 303

Approved June 12, 1969

WHEREAS, the Bonefro Club is located at 60 Salmon Street, Providence, Rhode Island; and

WHEREAS, the premises and building of said Bonefro Club have been broken into and entered on many occasions over the past two years, 1968 and 1969 we have lost (4) television sets, (1) safe, money and merchandise amounting to the sum of approximately \$3,000.00 and considerable damage to the property; and

WHEREAS, many complaints have been made to the Police Department concerning added police protection of the premises and in the neighborhood without apparent results;

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, That the Mayor of the City of Providence, Providence Commissioner of Public Safety, and Providence Sixth Ward Councilmen be, and they are, hereby requested to provide for increased and adequate police protection and surveillance for the club premises and the neighborhood immediately surrounding the same to combat the increased incidents of vandalism and criminal acts in this area; and further, that a copy of this<sup>s</sup> resolution be forwarded to the above-named individuals for their attention.

IN CITY COUNCIL

JUN 5 - 1969

READ and PASSED

*Russell J. Boyle*  
President  
*Vincent... [Signature]*  
Clerk

RESOLUTION  
OF THE  
CITY COUNCIL

THE COMMITTEE ON  
*Public Welfare*  
Approves Passage of  
The Within Resolution

*Warrant Cooper*  
May 21 1969 *Clark*

CITY OF PROVIDENCE

Department of City Clerk

MEMORANDUM

Providence, R. I. March 21, 1969

TO: Commissioner Goldstein

SUBJECT: Manton and Atwells Avenue Area

CONSIDERED BY: Committee on Public Welfare

DISPOSITION:

Attached is petition requesting additional police coverage in the area of Manton and Atwells Avenue.

*Ursula W. Spier*  
City Clerk

HARRY GOLDSTEIN  
COMMISSIONER



LEONARD W. REILLY  
ADMINISTRATIVE  
ASSISTANT

COMMISSIONER OF PUBLIC SAFETY  
209 FOUNTAIN ST., PROVIDENCE, RHODE ISLAND 02903

April 8, 1969

The Honorable City Council  
City Hall

Att: Committee on Public  
Welfare

Gentlemen:

In regard to a petition requesting additional police coverage in the area of Manton and Atwells Avenues, specifically the Bonafro Club on Salmon Street, I am forwarding a copy of a communication from Colonel Howard A. Franklin, Chief of Police, as to police activity.

Respectfully submitted,

  
Commissioner of  
Public Safety

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Enc:

PROVIDENCE POLICE DEPARTMENT  
HEADQUARTERS

209 FOUNTAIN STREET PROVIDENCE 3, R. I.

*Colonel Howard A. Franklin*  
CHIEF OF POLICE

April 1, 1969

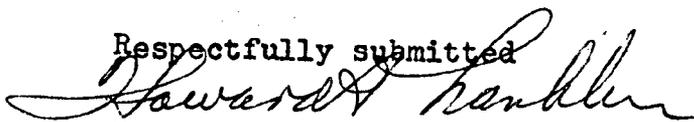
Honorable Harry Goldstein  
Commissioner of Public Safety

Dear Sir:

The records of this department do indeed indicate that the Bonefro Club on Salmon Street has experienced number of breaks. During 1968 the club was entered on eight occasions. Apprehensions were effected on six of the offenses and taken into custody were individuals who have been a problem over the years.

I have alerted the Commander of the Patrol Bureau to the high incidence of breaks at the Bonefro Club. He has been instructed to have the patrolman inspect the premises every hour and submit a report. The Task Force will be instructed to give the area special attention and I believe this may achieve the desired results.

Respectfully submitted



HOWARD A. FRANKLIN  
Colonel  
Chief of Police

HAF:dm