

# RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL

No. 355

Approved September 15, 2023

WHEREAS, The events of September 11, 2001, changed history and left a lasting impact on the United States and the world; and

WHEREAS, On that historic day, terrorist attacks claimed the lives of nearly 3,000 innocent individuals, including firefighters, police officers, first responders, and civilians; and

WHEREAS, The attacks targeted the World Trade Center in New York City, the Pentagon in Arlington, Virginia, and Flight 93 which crashed in Shanksville, Pennsylvania; and

WHEREAS, In times of adversity and devastation, countless acts of heroism, selflessness, and bravery were exhibited by first responders, emergency personnel, and ordinary citizens. These actions demonstrated the resilience and unity of the American spirit; and



WHEREAS, Patriot Day is a special day dedicated to remembering and reflecting on the lives lost, honoring the heroic individuals who emerged, and revitalizing the spirit of national unity and community service. It's a time for all citizens to pay their respects and come together as a community; and

WHEREAS, The City of Providence acknowledges the significance of commemorating Patriot Day to ensure that the sacrifices made and lessons learned from the September 11 attacks are never forgotten.


NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, That the Providence City Council hereby commemorates Patriot Day on September 11th of each year, honoring the lives lost and the heroism displayed during the tragic events of 2001.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That upon passage, copies of this resolution be transmitted to the Honorable Mayor of Providence, and all state and local veteran's organizations.

IN CITY COUNCIL  
SEP 07 2023  
READ AND PASSED

  
RACHEL M. MILLER, PRESIDENT  
  
CLERK

I HEREBY APPROVE.

  
Mayor  
Date: 9/15/2023