

# The City of Providence

STATE OF RHODE ISLAND AND PROVIDENCE PLANTATIONS

## CHAPTER 1976-15

No. 139

AN EMERGENCY ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF PROVIDENCE, RHODE ISLAND, TO FILE AN APPLICATION FOR FUNDING UNDER THE HOUSING AND COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT ACT OF 1974, FOR FUNDS FOR THE COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT BLOCK GRANT ENTITLEMENT FUNDS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR, 1977.

*Approved April 13, 1976*

### *Be it ordained by the City of Providence:*

WHEREAS, the City of Providence is eligible to receive Community Development Block Grant Entitlement Funds for the Fiscal year, 1977 under Section 106 (a) or (h) of Title I of the Housing and Community Development Act of 1974, (Public Laws 93-383), and

WHEREAS, the said Application for Funding shall be filed with the Department of Housing and Urban Development, not later than April 15, 1976.

SECTION 1. The City Council of the City of Providence, County of Providence, State of Rhode Island, hereby authorized the City of Providence, through its official representative, the Mayor, to file an application for Community Development Block Grant Entitlement Funds for the fiscal year, 1977, under Section 106 (a) or (h) of Title I of the Housing and Community Development Act of 1974, (Public Laws 93-383) to do all acts necessary to successfully acquire said funds.

(SECTION 2. All monies received by the City of Providence from the federal government under the provisions of Section 106 (a) or (h) of Title I of the Housing and Community Development Act of 1974, (Public Laws 93-383), shall be expended in accordance with the provisions of said Act and shall be by Ordinance of the City Council. The Citizens Advisory Committee may comment on the plan for expenditure of funds so received. The City Council will consider the views of the Citizens Advisory Committee but it shall retain to itself the final approval for the expenditure of funds. No funds received under said Act shall be allocated for specific projects nor expended without the approval of the City Council.

SECTION 3. The Mayor and City Council may require any and all information relative to the expenditure of Community Development Act funds and at any time conduct investigations

pursuant to the existing provisions of the City Charter, and shall require that all employees of the said program shall be qualified electors and residents in the City of Providence, Rhode Island.

SECTION 4. Upon the written request of the City Council of the City of Providence, Rhode Island, names, addresses and salaries of all personnel engaged in this program shall be submitted to the said Council.

SECTION 5. There shall be submitted to the City Council and the Citizens Advisory Committee by the Finance Director of the Community Development Act, on a monthly basis a line item budget showing (a) Project Account, (b) Amount budgeted, (c) Amount expended, (d) balance.

SECTION 6. The Mayor shall submit to the City Council and the Citizens Advisory Committee on a Quarterly basis a narrative progress report on each program including supporting data.

SECTION 7. The Mayor shall be responsible for negotiating all contracts with outside agencies subject to approval by Ordinance of the City Council.

SECTION 8. Amendments to the Community Development Program during the program year necessitating the reallocation of funds or the designation of new activities shall be subject to at least one Public Hearing, review by the Citizens Advisory Committee and final approval by Ordinance of the City Council.

SECTION 9. This Emergency Ordinance shall take effect upon its passage by the City Council.

IN CITY COUNCIL  
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READ AND PASSED

*Robert J. Wapner*  
PRES.  
*Vincent Caspica*  
CLERK

APPROVED  
APRIL 13, 1976

*Robert J. Wapner*  
*Act Mayor*

THE COMMITTEE ON

URBAN REDEVELOPMENT  
RENEWAL & PLANNING

Approves Passage of  
The Within Ordinance

*Vincent W. Harper*

Chairman

*April 8, 1976*

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