

RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL

No. 188

EFFECTIVE March 30, 2015

WHEREAS, In order to uphold the legislative intent of ordinances governing municipal departments, agencies, and programs, ongoing, data-driven review and evaluation of the effectiveness and efficiency of City operations is crucial; and

WHEREAS, Collecting and analyzing data, reviewing regulations, policies and procedures, and establishing goals and objectives, will assist in the City's efforts to improve services, and will help identify necessary legislative and programmatic changes; and

WHEREAS, It is the intent of the City to provide the highest possible quality of programs and services to the residents of Providence, and it is the responsibility of the City Council to enact ordinances to ensure the welfare and good order of the city.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, That the City Council of the City of Providence does hereby establish a Special Committee on Municipal Operations and Oversight, and that the responsibilities of said committee shall be to:

- 1) Review administrative compliance with legislative intent, including administrative regulations of departments, agencies, and programs;
- 2) Select areas for review, establish goals and objectives, collect and analyze data, and report to the City Council with recommendations, including possible legislative and programmatic changes based on its review and analysis.
- 3) Work with other Council committees and the administration to collaborate on reviews and studies to take advantage of resources and optimize results.
- 4) Exercise oversight with respect to investigations related to operational and programmatic topics, and as empowered under the Providence Home Rule Charter.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That the Internal Auditor shall provide assistance, as necessary, to support the efforts of the Special Committee on Municipal Operations and Oversight, and that all City departments shall cooperate with requests pertaining to departmental functions, and other information as may be necessary for the Committee to fulfill its responsibilities.

IN CITY COUNCIL

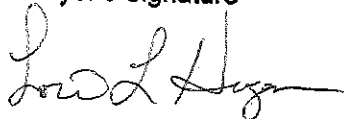
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Mayor's Signature



Lori L. Hagen
City Clerk