



Mayor of Providence

Brett P. Smiley

December 6, 2024

Honorable Members
Providence City Council
City Hall

Dear Honorable Members:

Pursuant to Sections 302(b) of the Providence Home Rule Charter of 1980, as amended; Section 8-13 of the Code of Ordinances of the City of Providence; and Public Law, Chapter 45-50, Sections 1 through 31 passed in 1987, I am this day reappointing David Iglozzi, Esq. of 1351 Pippin Orchard Road, Cranston, RI 02921 as the Chief Judge of the Providence Housing Court, for a term to end January 6, 2028, and respectfully submit the same for your approval.

Sincerely,


Brett P. Smiley
Mayor

IN CITY COUNCIL

FEB 06 2025

READ

WHEREUPON IT IS ORDERED THAT
THE SAME BE RECEIVED AND APPROVED

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DAVID V. IGLIOZZI, ESQ.

Professional Experience

Private Practice

Igliozi & Reis, LLP

Cranston, RI

Partner

- Represented municipal corporations in collective bargaining, employee grievances, and related employee claims.
- Represented private corporations in employee claims, including FSLA, Family Leave Act, Minimum Wage and Overtime Claims.
- Experienced in Commercial Transactions, Real Estate, Corporations, Labor Law, Probate, Trust and Estate Planning.
- Experienced in all land use matters, i.e., zoning, planning, affordable housing and appeared on behalf of a municipality or a developer in numerous municipalities in Rhode Island.
- Experienced in all aspects of Commercial representation and Tax planning.
- Handled multimillion-dollar commercial transactions and hundreds of residential and commercial real estate closings representing lenders and borrowers.

DarrowEverett, LLP

Providence, RI

Non equity partner

- Responsible for Commercial Transactions, Real Estate, Corporations, Labor Law.
- Represent municipalities in collective bargaining, employee grievances, employee claims, zoning appeals, and land use matters.

Perlmutter & Iglizzo

Cranston, RI

Partner

- General practice of law, including Probate, Trust and Estate Planning, Civil Litigation, Criminal Litigation, Commercial Transactions, Personal Injury, Workers' Compensation, Real Estate, and Corporate Law.
- Litigated civil and criminal matters.
- Handled commercial transactions, including financing for automobile dealerships and commercial real estate.

Carroll, Kelly & Murphy

Providence, RI

Associate

- General practice of law including Workers' Compensation, Civil Litigation, Medical Malpractice, Personal Injury, and Insurance Defense.

Gelfuso & Sassi, Inc.

Cranston, RI

Associate

- General practice of law including Domestic Relations, Real Estate, Personal Injury, Estates, Probate, Civil and Criminal Litigation.

Judicial and Quasi-Judicial

Providence Housing Court

Providence, RI

Chief Judge- Appointee

Associate Judge- Appointee

- One of three Judges appointed to the Providence Housing Court with the jurisdiction to hear and determine all actions brought before the court by the enforcing officer concerning violations of state and local housing laws and ordinances, the Rhode Island State Building Code, the Providence Zoning Ordinance.

Superior Court Arbitration

Providence, RI

Arbitrator - Appointee

- One of several Arbitrators selected by the Chief Judge of the Rhode Island Superior Court to conduct court annexed arbitration for any civil case pending in the Superior Court, which has a value of less than one hundred thousand dollars.

State Housing Appeals Bd.

Providence, RI

Board Member - Appointee

- One of nine members who are charged with the responsibility of reviewing local zoning board decisions to ensure that housing opportunities are available for low- and moderate-income individuals and families in each city and town of the state.

Municipal and State Government

Town of North Smithfield

North Smithfield, RI

Town Solicitor - part-time

- Responsible for representing the Town at Town Council meetings, Zoning Board meetings when requested, Planning Board meetings when requested, Board of Tax Review meetings when requested, criminal prosecution, when necessary, litigation defense when necessary, labor law issues, and providing legal advice requested by Town Departments.

Town of Gloucester

Gloucester, RI

Town Solicitor - part-time

- Responsible for representing the Town at Town Council meetings, Zoning Board meetings when requested, Planning Board meetings when requested, Board of Tax Review meetings when requested, criminal prosecution, when necessary, litigation defense when necessary, labor law issues, and providing legal advice requested by Town Departments.

Providence Law Department

Providence, RI

Assistant City Solicitor - Litigator - part-time

- Responsible for the defense of litigation claims filed against the Providence School Department and the Providence School Board including civil rights violations.
- Legal Counsel assigned to the Providence School Board. Responsibilities included representing and advising the School Board at meetings and hearings.

Town of Foster Foster, RI

Town Solicitor - part-time

- Responsible for representing the Town at Town Council meetings, Zoning Board meetings when requested, Planning Board meetings when requested, Board of Tax Review meetings when requested, criminal prosecution when necessary, litigation defense when necessary, labor law issues, and providing legal advice requested by Town Departments.

Town of Coventry Coventry, RI

Assistant Town Solicitor - Litigator - part-time

- Responsible for the litigation of claims involving the Town of Coventry when called upon by the Town Solicitor.

City of Cranston Cranston, RI

Assistant City Solicitor - Prosecutor - contract

- Responsible for the prosecution of all criminal misdemeanor cases for the City of Cranston.

Town of Smithfield Smithfield, RI

Assistant Town Solicitor - Litigator - contract

- Responsible for representing the Town in all labor related matters including contract negotiations, arbitrations, grievances, Police Officer's Bill of Rights hearings, employee termination hearings, police and fire IOD claims, and civil litigation.

Rhode Island State Senate Providence, RI

Legal Counsel

- Responsible for the drafting and reviewing legislation and representing the Senate President and various Senate Commissions, as necessary.

Dept. of Attorney General Providence, RI

Special Assistant Attorney General - Prosecutor - fulltime

- Assigned to the Superior Court felony criminal prosecution unit.
- Handled thousands of cases at various stages in the criminal justice system.
- Prosecuted Superior court felony jury trials to verdict, including all major felonies and capital offenses.
- Prosecuted evidentiary hearings for bail, violations of bail or violations of probation.
- Worked with the office of the U. S. Attorney to create and implement a state forfeiture unit modeled after the federal system.
- Created and implemented the state violation unit.

Providence Cranston Job Training Providence, RI

Administrator

- Responsibilities included the implementation and coordination of Federal, State and Local job training programs and business initiatives for the Cities of Providence and Cranston.

Teaching

Community College of R.I. Warwick, RI

Associate Professor

- Responsible for teaching various courses within the Criminal Justice program, including Criminal Law, Criminal Procedure, Contracts, and Evidence.

Johnson & Wales University Providence, RI

Adjunct Faculty

- Responsible for teaching various courses within the paralegal program, including Corporate Law, Legal Research and Writing, Probate and Estates, Business Law, and Tort Law.

Education

Boston University School of Law Boston, MA
L.L.M., Taxation 2000

Washburn University School of Law Topeka, KS
Juris Doctor 1985

Rhode Island College Providence, RI
B.A., Public Administration 1982

LaSalle Academy Providence, RI
Class of 1978

Court Admissions

Admitted to Practice.

- United States Supreme Court - 6/12/89
- United States Federal District Court for the State of Rhode Island - 6/29/87
- United States Federal District Court for the State of Massachusetts - 12/15/95
- Rhode Island Supreme Court - 5/8/86
- Massachusetts Supreme Court - 2/13/95
- District of Columbia Court of Appeals - 6/1/88
- United States Tax Court - 5/19/99
- United States First Circuit Court of Appeals - 1/27/00

Professional Memberships

Member

- Rhode Island Bar Association
- District of Columbia Bar Association
- National District Attorneys Association
- Rhode Island Trial Lawyers Association
- Theta Phi Legal Fraternity
- Justinian Law Society of Rhode Island

Public Service

1999- 2003 **Rhode Island State Senate** Providence, RI
Senator

- Member of Judiciary Committee
- Member of Labor Committee
- Member of Joint Committee on Small Business
- Served on Special Senate Commission on Tax Rate Competitiveness

1989- 1997

Providence City Council

Providence, RI

Councilperson

- Majority Leader 1995 - 1997
- Chairman of Ordinance Committee
- Member of Finance Committee
- Member of Urban Renewal and Redevelopment Committee
- Member of numerous Special Committees including Retirement, Providence Place Mall and Residency

References

Available upon request