

THE CITY OF PROVIDENCE
STATE OF RHODE ISLAND AND PROVIDENCE PLANTATIONS

RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL

No. 353

Approved October 5, 1970

RESOLVED, That the Commissioner of Public Safety is requested to assign the Police Department Task Force into the area of Laurel Hill avenue and Laban street to eliminate the vandalism and rowdyism being perpetuated by a "teenage" gang.

IN CITY COUNCIL

OCT 1 - 1970

READ and PASSED

Russell J. Boyle
President
Wassim A. Caspi
Clerk

APPROVED

OCT 5 1970

Joseph A. Corley
MAYOR

**IN CITY
COUNCIL**

JUL 2 - 1970

FIRST READING
REFERRED TO COMMITTEE ON

Vincent Desjardis
CLERK

THE COMMITTEE ON

Public Welfare

Approves Passage of
The Within Resolution

Vincent Desjardis
Sept. 25, 1970
Chairman
Clerk

Councilman Pisoturo

Department of City Clerk

MEMORANDUM

DATE: July 3, 1970

TO: Commissioner Goldstein

SUBJECT: AREA OF LAUREL HILL AVENUE AND LABAN STREET.

CONSIDERED BY: Committee on Public Welfare

DISPOSITION: Attached is copy of Resolution requesting police aid at the above location.

Vernon J. Respin

City Clerk

HARRY GOLDSTEIN
COMMISSIONER



LEONARD W. REILLY
ADMINISTRATIVE
ASSISTANT

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

August 17, 1970

The Honorable City Council
City Hall
Providence, Rhode Island

Att: Committee on Public
Welfare

Gentlemen:

In connection with a Resolution of the City Council to assign the Police Department Task Force in the area of Laurel Hill Avenue and Laban Street to eliminate the vandalism and rowdyism being perpetuated by a "teenage" gang, a task force was assigned to the area working in conjunction with the regular post men. A number of arrests have been made and the cases are pending in court. Those involved are back on the corners but they are moved and if further offenses are observed, arrests will be made.

Respectfully,

Harry Goldstein
Commissioner of
Public Safety

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THE CITY OF PROVIDENCE
STATE OF RHODE ISLAND AND PROVIDENCE PLANTATIONS

RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL

No. 354

Approved October 5, 1970

RESOLVED, that the Commissioner of Public Safety is requested to establish a Crossing Guard Posts at Hope Street and Doyle Avenue and at Hope Street and Cypress Streets.

IN CITY COUNCIL

OCT 1 - 1970

READ and PASSED

Russell J. Boyle
President
Usmanit Casper
Clerk

APPROVED

OCT 5 1970

Joseph A. Bowley
MAYOR

THE COMMITTEE ON

Public Welfare

Approves Passage of
The Within Resolution

Vincent T. Vasquez

Chairman

September 21, 1970

RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL

No. 355

Approved. October 5, 1970

RESOLVED, that the Chief of the Division of Code Enforcement is requested to cause an investigation to be made of the condition of the premises at 9 Hannah Street.

IN CITY COUNCIL

OCT 1 - 1970

READ and PASSED

Arnold Boyle
President
Winnifred C. C. C.
Clerk

APPROVED

OCT 5 1970

Joseph A. Corley
MAYOR

IN CITY
COUNCIL

AUG 6 - 1970

FIRST READING
REFERRED TO COMMITTEE ON
.....PUBLIC WELFARE.....

Vincent Vespasi
CLERK

THE COMMITTEE ON

Public Welfare

Approves Passage of
The Within Resolution

Vincent Vespasi

Sept. 21, 1970 Clerk

Councilman Scianella

City of Providence, R. I.
Department of City Clerk

MEMORANDUM

DATE: August 7, 1970
TO: Chief Arrigan
SUBJECT: 9 HANNAH STREET
CONSIDERED BY: Committee on Public Welfare
DISPOSITION: Attached is copy of Resolution requesting investigation
at the above location.

William J. Vespa
City Clerk

MEMO FROM THE DESK OF

ANTHONY B. SCIARRETTA
ATTORNEY AT LAW

DEXTER 1-2544

816 INDUSTRIAL BANK BUILDING • PROVIDENCE, R. I. 02903

TO: Vincent Vespia,
City Clerk

July 29, 1970

Dear Vincent:

Please place a resolution on the next docket of the City Council requesting the Division of Minimum Housing to investigate the condition of the premises at 9 Hannah St., Providence.

ANTHONY B. SCIARRETTA

Department of City Clerk

MEMORANDUM

DATE: August 7, 1970
TO: Chief Arrigan
SUBJECT: 9 HANNAH STREET
CONSIDERED BY: Committee on Public Welfare
DISPOSITION: Attached is copy of Resolution requesting investigation
at the above location.

*I will
have the checked*

*Vinny: This matter has been in Police
Court for some time. Judge Corey heard
it on 7/14/70 and continued it until 8/18/70*

FROM: VINCENT VESPIA
CITY CLERK OF PROVIDENCE

TO: *Attach to
original Resolution*

Vincent Vespi

City Clerk

THE CITY OF PROVIDENCE
STATE OF RHODE ISLAND AND PROVIDENCE PLANTATIONS

RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL

No. 356

Approved October 5, 1970

Resolved,

That the Commissioner of Public Safety is requested
to provide more Police protection within the Smith Hill Area.

IN CITY COUNCIL

OCT 1 - 1970

READ and PASSED

Russell J. Boyle
President
W. Mount Pleasant
Clerk

APPROVED

OCT 5 1970

Joseph A. Perley
MAYOR

**IN CITY
COUNCIL**

AUG 14 1969

FIRST READING
REFERRED TO COMMITTEE ON
PUBLIC WELFARE

Wmmt Cooper
CLERK

Councilman Aderu

**THE COMMITTEE ON
PUBLIC WELFARE**

Recommends

William F. Matthews
Deputy City Clerk

JUN 24 1970

To be continued

THE COMMITTEE ON

Dallas Wolfson

Approves Passage of
The Within Resolution

Wmmt Cooper
Sept. 25, 1970
CLERK

Department of City Clerk

MEMORANDUM

Providence, R. I., August 19, 1969

TO: Commissioner Goldstein

SUBJECT: Smith Hill Area

CONSIDERED BY: Committee on Public Welfare

DISPOSITION: Attached is copy of Resolution for study and report concerning more public protection.

Vincent Vespe

City Clerk

HARRY GOLDSTEIN
COMMISSIONER



LEONARD W. REILLY
ADMINISTRATIVE
ASSISTANT

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

September 17, 1969

The Honorable City Council
City Hall
Providence, Rhode Island

Att: Committee on Public
Welfare

Gentlemen:

The attached copy of a letter from Colonel
Howard A. Franklin, Chief of Police, is submitted
in response to a Resolution requesting more police
protection within the Smith Hill area.

Respectfully submitted,

Harry Goldstein
Commissioner of
Public Safety

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Enc:

PROVIDENCE POLICE DEPARTMENT
HEADQUARTERS

209 FOUNTAIN ST.

PROVIDENCE 3, R. I.

Colonel Howard A. Franklin

September 10, 1969

Honorable Harry Goldstein
Commissioner of Public Safety

Dear Sir:

The Providence Police Department is presently 67 men under authorized strength. We are currently engaging in a recruiting campaign and have solicited the assistance of the Radio, Television and News Media. Evaluation of candidates is proceeding at this time. It is anticipated that a school will be conducted in October and when the successful candidates are sworn in as patrolmen we can increase our Patrol concentration in troublesome areas.

At the present time we have augmented our Task Force and Smith Hill is the subject of intense surveillance and Patrol. I feel that this effort should have its effect on vandalism occurring in the area.

Respectfully submitted

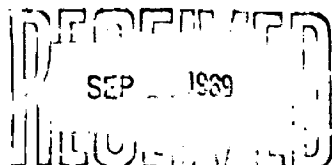
Howard A. Franklin

HOWARD A. FRANKLIN

Colonel

Chief of Police

HAF:dm



COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE

RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL

No. 357

Approved October 5, 1970

RESOLVED, that the Commissioner of Public Safety is requested to provide additional Police in area of Ethan and Murray Streets and Daniel Avenue during the hours of 6:00 O'clock P.M. to 9:00 O'clock P.M. for the purpose of controlling vandalism and juvenile delinquency.

IN CITY COUNCIL

OCT 1 - 1970

READ and PASSED

Samuel J. Bayler
President
Ursula M. Chapin
Clerk

APPROVED

OCT 5 1970

Joseph A. Porley
MAYOR

IN CITY
COUNCIL

MAY 7 - 1970

FIRST READING
REFERRED TO COMMITTEE ON
PUBLIC WELFARE

Vernon Vesper
CLERK

THE COMMITTEE ON
Public Welfare
Approves Passage of
The Within Resolution

Vernon Vesper
Sept 21, 1970
CLERK

Councilman Persater, by request

Department of City Clerk

MEMORANDUM

DATE: May 8, 1970

TO: Commissioner Goldstein

SUBJECT: ETHAN AND MURRAY STREETS AND DANIEL AVENUE

CONSIDERED BY: Committee on Public Welfare

DISPOSITION: Attached is Resolution requesting additional Police protection at above location.

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City Clerk

HARRY GOLDSTEIN
COMMISSIONER



LEONARD W. REILLY
ADMINISTRATIVE
ASSISTANT

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

June 5, 1970

The Honorable City Council
City Hall
Providence, Rhode Island

Att: Committee on Public Welfare

Gentlemen:

In connection with a Resolution requesting additional police protection at Ethan and Murray Streets and Daniel Avenue, Colonel Howard A. Franklin, Chief of Police, has informed me that an element of the Task Force in the district has given this area special attention. This has resulted in the arrest of approximately twelve members of the corner gangs that are contributing to the vandalism. If the cases for loitering stand up in court, the police department will continue to move against those who they feel are causing the complaints in the neighborhood.

Respectfully yours,

Harry Goldstein
Commissioner of Public Safety

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HARRY GOLDSTEIN
COMMISSIONER



LEONARD W. REILLY
ADMINISTRATIVE
ASSISTANT

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

June 17, 1970

The Honorable City Council
City Hall
Providence, Rhode Island

Att: Committee on Public
Welfare

Gentlemen:

In response to a Resolution to provide increased police protection against vandals along Pocasset Avenue, Plainfield Street and Hartford Avenue, I am forwarding a communication from the Chief of Police concerning efforts by his department in this area.

Respectfully submitted,

Harry Goldstein
Commissioner of
Public Safety

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Enc:

PROVIDENCE POLICE DEPARTMENT
HEADQUARTERS

209 FOUNTAIN ST. PROVIDENCE 3, R. I.

Colonel Howard A. Franklin

CHIEF OF POLICE

June 12, 1970

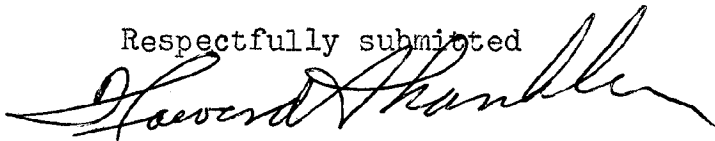
Honorable Harry Goldstein
Commissioner of Public Safety

Dear Sir:

With the manpower available we cannot assign more men to this area.

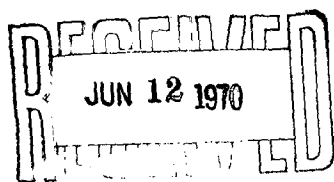
However, we do have a plan that will go into effect Sunday whereby two dogs will be assigned to car patrol. One of these assignments will be in the Pocasset, Plainfield and Hartford areas. We feel that the presence of the dogs may have some effect on the vandals in the area.

Respectfully submitted



HOWARD A. FRANKLIN
Colonel
Chief of Police

HAF:dm



COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE

RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL

No. 358

Approved October 5, 1970

RESOLVED, that the Chief of the Division of Code Enforcement and the Director of the Department of Building Inspection to cause that abandoned house located at 44 Howard Street to be demolished.

IN CITY COUNCIL

OCT 1 - 1970

READ and PASSED

Samuel J. Boyle
President
Thomas J. Cogan
Clerk

APPROVED

OCT 5 1970

Joseph A. Corley Jr.
MAYOR

IN CITY
COUNCIL

MAY 7 - 1970

FIRST READING
REFERRED TO COMMITTEE ON
PUBLIC WORKS

Vernant Vespa
CLERK

THE COMMITTEE ON

Public Welfare

Approves Passage of
The Within Resolution

Vernant Vespa

Sept 25, 1970 Clerk

Councilman Pisaturo

City of Providence, R. I.
Department of City Clerk

MEMORANDUM

DATE: May 8, 1970

TO: Director DiMase and Chief Meleo

SUBJECT: 44 HOWARD STREET

CONSIDERED BY: Committee on Public Welfare

DISPOSITION: Attached is copy of Resolution requesting demolition
of an abandoned house.

Wm. Vespia

City Clerk



Vincent DiMase, P. E.
Director

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

Department of Building Inspection

112 Union Street, Providence, R. I. 02903
831 - 6500

Frank S. Meadus
Deputy Director
Chief Electrical Inspector
Nicholas DiBenedetto
Chief Inspector of
Structures and Zoning
Lloyd L. Salisbury
Chief Mechanical Inspector
Joseph B. Dempsey
Chief Plumbing, Drainage
and Gas Piping Inspector

May 12, 1970

Committee on Public Welfare
City Clerk's Office
City Hall

Gentlemen:

Relative to Resolution of the City Council pertaining to an abandoned house located at 44 Howard Street, please be advised that on May 6, 1970 a requisition was sent to the Purchasing Department for the demolition of said building.

Yours truly,

Vincent DiMase, Director
Department of Building Inspection

VDM/np



DEPARTMENT OF
PLANNING AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT

CODE ENFORCEMENT DIVISION

ANTHONY N. MELEO, CHIEF

580 NORTH MAIN ST., PROVIDENCE, R. I. 02904 TELEPHONE 272 - 9590

JOSEPH A. DOORLEY, JR.

MAYOR

VINCENT PALLOZZI

DIRECTOR

May 12, 1970

Councilman Salvatore A. Beatini, Chairman
Committee on Public Welfare
City Hall
Providence, Rhode Island

Dear Councilman Beatini:

Enclosed is the Resolution No. 188, dated May 8, 1970,
from the Building Board of Review. It makes reference to the
decision rendered by said Board, pertaining to the abandoned
house located at 44 Howard Street.

The resolution is self-explanatory.

Sincerely,

Anthony N. Meleo
Chief, Code Enforcement Division

ANM:jc

Enclosure



BUILDING BOARD OF REVIEW

John R. Davis, Secretary

112 UNION STREET, PROVIDENCE, RHODE ISLAND 02903

May 3, 1970

RESOLUTION NO. 188

Walter A. Corrao
128 Winthrop Ave.
Providence, R. I.

Dear Sir:

At a meeting of the Building Ordinance Board of Review held on Wednesday, April 29, 1970, the following resolution was adopted:

WHEREAS, The Director of the Department of Building Inspection filed a report on the property of Walter A. Corrao, owner of Lot 538 on Appender's Flat 35 (44 Howard Street), at a hearing conducted by the Building Board of Review, and he testified that the building be demolished.

WHEREAS, on April 29, 1970, the members of the Building Board of Review made an inspection of the above described premises and noted that the house was completely open and the yard was heavily littered.

WHEREAS, a hearing was held on April 29, 1970, at which time Lieutenant Henley, Fire Prevention Bureau testified that the building is a definite health and structural hazard and should be razed.

WHEREAS, a hearing was held on April 29, 1970, at which time Vincent Dillace, Director of the Department of Building Inspection testified that the building in its present condition constitutes a fire and structural hazard. As a result of the evidence presented to it and the view the Board had taken, the Board finds:

1. That the building has become hazardous to the safety, health and welfare of the public.
2. That the building is in a dangerous and unsafe condition. Mr. Dillace testified that the building should be demolished.
3. The owner or his representative did not appear although a return receipt was received on Certified Mail notification sent by the Building Board of Review.

RESOLVED: That the Building Board of Review does hereby order immediate demolition of the building located at 44 Howard Street.

By Order of the Building Board of Review.

Henry V. Collins

HENRY V. COLLINS
CHAIRMAN

JRD:baf
cc: Anthony Holco