

RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL

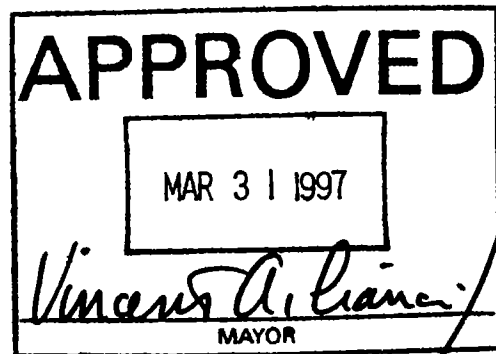
No. 154

Approved March 31, 1997

RESOLVED, That the Traffic Engineer is requested to cause Ardoene Street to be a "One-Way" street running east to west on Mondays through Fridays from 8:00 o'clock A.M. to 9:30 o'clock A.M. and 2:00 o'clock P.M. to 3:30 o'clock P.M. for the safety of the children attending Reservoir Avenue School.

IN CITY COUNCIL
MAR 20 1997
READ AND PASSED

Evelyn V. Fargnoli
PRES.
Michael R. Clement
CLERK



Counselman Allen (By request)

Allen, by Request
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Ron Allen, Councilman
Providence City Council
25 Dorrance Street
Providence RI 02903

Re: One Way Street During School Transportation Hours - Reservoir and Ardoene

Dear Mr. Allen,

On behalf of the Reservoir Elementary School PTO, I am writing to request that a petition be filed on our behalf to implement a one way street usage running east to west on Ardoene Street. The hours of designation would be Monday through Friday from 8:00 - 9:30 a.m. and 2:00 - 3:30 p.m.

The PTO is requesting this change for several reasons, but safety as the primary motivation. During the next several months, the school will be opening a satellite site in the basement of the Nazarene Church located across the street from the school (Ardoene and Reservoir). In this space will be a family learning center, pre-school classroom instruction, and before school child care activities. Because the buses utilize the Ardoene Street entrance/exit (necessitated by the school's design which make this entrance/exit the most pragmatic), the concern is that the amount of traffic presently necessitated by the K-6 population coupled with the addition of 50-100 new families with very young children (3-5) using this area to arrive/depart at the same time is a potentially hazardous issue.

It is our understanding that similar designations exist at other locations. It would seem a prudent decision, given the amount of traffic on Reservoir Avenue and the increase in traffic which will accompany this expansion, to implement a proactive initiative to safeguard the children be supported.

If I, or any of the other PTO members, can be of assistance in this effort, please don't hesitate to call. Mrs. Eileen Biancuzzo, Acting Principal, will serve as the contact (456-9406). Thank you for your efforts and assistance with this matter.

Sincerely yours,

Chris Barszcz
PTO President

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