



Mayor of Providence

Brett P. Smiley

January 12, 2024

Honorable Members  
Providence City Council  
City Hall

Dear Honorable Members:

Pursuant to Sections 302 (b) and 1102 of the Providence Home Rule Charter of 1980, as amended and Public Law, Chapter 45-50, Sections 1-31 passed in 1987, I am this day re-appointing Peter Mancini of 104 Meridian Street, Providence, Rhode Island 02908, as a member of the Board of Licenses for a term to expire on January 31, 2027, and respectfully submit the same for your approval.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Brett P. Smiley" followed by a vertical line.

Brett P. Smiley  
Mayor

IN CITY COUNCIL

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READ

WHEREUPON IT IS ORDERED THAT  
THE SAME BE RECEIVED AND APPROVED

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Tina L. Mastromarino" followed by the word "CLERK".

## **Peter Mancini**

Peter Mancini served on the Providence City Council from 1990 to 2010. He represented the 14th Ward, which includes the Elmhurst and Wanskuck neighborhoods. In 2007, his colleagues elected him council president.

During his tenure on the city council, Mr. Mancini had the opportunity to work on numerous policy issues impacting the City of Providence. As a member of the Providence Civic Center Authority he assisted in successfully marketing the city as a destination for medium and large scale conventions. Mr. Mancini also sat on the Providence City Plan Commission, and, in that capacity, he worked with stakeholders across the city to develop a Comprehensive Plan that encouraged smart growth, preservation and revitalization. He secured targeted investments to support the City's Comprehensive Plan and fund redevelopment throughout the city as a member of the Providence City Council's Committee on Urban Redevelopment, Renewal, and Planning. Most notably, as council president, Mr. Mancini worked with municipal, state, and federal agencies to ensure the successful relocation of I-195.

Mr. Mancini is a lifelong resident of Providence. He attended Robert F. Kennedy Elementary School, George J. West Junior High, and Mount Pleasant High School. He worked in his family's small business, the Elm Diner, to put himself through Roger Williams University. He graduated with a degree in psychology in 1972.

Upon graduation in 1972, Mr. Mancini left the family business and embarked on a lifelong career spent helping others. He worked for 10 years as a counselor in the State Department of Juvenile Corrections, primarily serving in Providence. In 1982, he began working for the Department of Children, Youth, and Families. He worked to bridge the divide between government and residents to ensure children were raised in a safe and caring environment. He received numerous accolades and awards during his time at DCYF, including the Distinguished Service Award and the DCYF Youth Service Appreciation Award. He retired in 2006.

Over the course of his service to the community, Mr. Mancini was also actively engaged in a number of local civic organizations. These include the Knights of Columbus, the Friends of Wanskuck Library, and Friends of Elmhurst.