

THE CITY OF PROVIDENCE  
STATE OF RHODE ISLAND AND PROVIDENCE PLANTATIONS

# RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL

No. 118

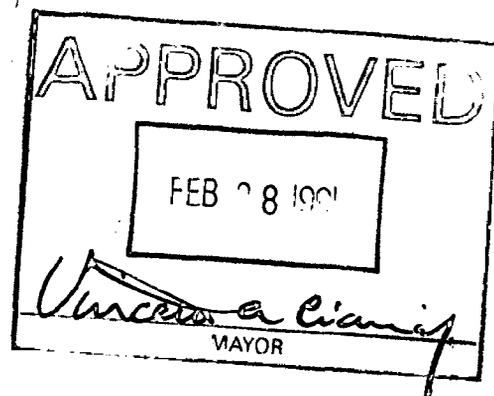
Approved February 28, 1991

RESOLVED, That the Traffic Engineer is requested to cause the installation of Four-Way "Stop" Signs at the intersection of Whitford Avenue and Nelson Street.

IN CITY COUNCIL

FEB 21 1991  
READ AND PASSED

*Evelyn V. Fargnoli*  
ACTING PRES.  
*Michael R. Clement*  
CLERK  
*First Deputy City*



IN CITY COUNCIL

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FIRST READING

REFERRED TO COMMITTEE ON

PUBLIC WORKS

*Richard F. Clement* CLERK  
*First Deputy*

THE COMMITTEE ON  
PUBLIC WORKS

Approves Passage of  
The Within Resolution

*Rae M. Jurgnali*  
Clerk  
February 6, 1991

*Councilwoman Jurgnali (By Request)*

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PETITION TO THE CITY COUNCIL

TO THE HONORABLE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF PROVIDENCE:

The undersigned respectfully petitions your honorable body

TO INSTALL FOUR-WAY "STOP" SIGNS AT THE INTERSECTION OF WHITFORD AVENUE  
AND NELSON STREET.

NAME

ADDRESS

John C. Butler Jr.	38 Nelson Street
Barbara A. Butler	38 Nelson St
Eva Aquari	43 Nelson St.
Elizabeth Childs	47 Nelson St.
James C. Cannino	39 Nelson St
Alice V. Canning	39 Nelson St
Michael J. Butler	38 Nelson St
Dennis P. Lawlor	50 Nelson St
Michelle M. Lawlor	50 Nelson St.
Edward Conte	52 Nelson St.
Joyce A. Conte	52 Nelson St.
Michael F. Basilio	132 Whitford Ave
Cora F. Claffins	132 W Whitford Ave.
Rita Morebetti	82 Nelson St
Trade Marchetti	82 Nelson St.
Alice M. Mackey	88 Nelson St
Esther M. Mackey	88 Nelson St.
Paul A. Nixon	92 Nelson St.
Janet A. Nixon	92 Nelson St.
John Diarian	32 - Nelson St.
Patricia Kaprey	102 Nelson St
Cheryl Bessette	105 Nelson St.

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NAME	ADDRESS
John H. Blaw	97 Nelson St.
Marie Magno	89 Nelson St.
Joseph A. Larena	83 Nelson St.
Muko Nakano	127 Whitford Ave.
Mildred Giusti	130 Whitford Ave.
Storia Giusti	128 Whitford Ave.
Sharon Capuano	57 Nelson St.
Claudia Herring	56 Nelson St.
Jeanne Lafond	55 Nelson St.
David Peligian	28 NELSON ST
M. Bais	23 NELSON ST.
E. Bais	23 NELSON ST.
Antonio Mastrostefano	17 Nelson St.
Louise Mastrostefano	17 Nelson St.
Donna M. Peligian	28 Nelson Street
Edward M. Lafond	55 Nelson Street

City of Providence



Rhode Island

Department of City Clerk

**MEMORANDUM**

DATE: November 5, 1990  
TO: B. James Suzman, Traffic Engineer  
SUBJECT: Various Street Matters  
CONSIDERED BY: Committee on Public Works  
DISPOSITION:

Attached are copies of the subject matters for your study and report back in writing to the above-named Committee as soon as practical.

- \* ✓ Whitford Avenue and Nelson Street - Four-Way Stop Sign
- Courtland and Carpenter Streets - " " " "
- Brewster and Fourth Streets - " " " "
- Douglas Avenue & Chad Brown Street - Traffic Signal Light

B. JAMES SUZMAN  
TRAFFIC ENGINEER  
IRENE J. TESTA  
DIRECTOR



VINCENT A. CIANCI, JR.

~~JOSEPH P. FLORES, JR.~~  
MAYOR

Department of Traffic Engineering  
"Building Pride In Providence"

M E M O R A N D U M

TO: Committee on Public Works  
FROM: Irene J. Testa  
DATE: 2/5/91  
RE: PENDING MATTERS

1) To Close Nelson Street during certain hours during school days.

Disposition: Granted

✓ 2) Establish a 4-way STOP control at Whitford Street and Nelson Street.

Disposition: Granted.

3) Install a traffic signal at Chad Brown Street and Douglas Avenue.

Disposition: This intersection meets the warrants for a traffic signal and will be placed on our priority list for signal installations. Funding is not available at this time, however, funds will be requested in departmental budget requests for Fiscal Year 1992.

4) To establish Detroit Avenue as a one-way street.

Disposition: No objection.

5) To establish "RESERVED FOR PRESS" signs along Moulton Lane.

Disposition: Denied. This department cannot reserve parking spaces unless it can be proven that the public's interest is best served. A loading zone area will be installed and can be properly utilized by the radio station.

6) To establish 4-Way STOP controls at the following intersections:

- a) Almy Street & Meader Street
- b) Chester Avenue & Taylor Street
- c) Gay Street & Dudley Street

- d) Malloy Street and Home Avenue
- e) Brewster Street and Fourth Street

Disposition: Denied. Four-way stop controls are not warranted at the above intersections at this time. STOP control signs are not to be used to control speeding. The City could be held liable for placing a 4-way stop control where it did not meet the warrants for a four-way stop control. Where stop signs are installed as "nuisances" or "speed breakers", there is a high incidence of intentional violation. In those locations where vehicles do stop, the speed reduction is effective only in the immediate area of the stop sign, and frequently speeds are actually higher between intersections

- 7) To establish a three-way stop control at Courtland Street and Carpenter Street.

Disposition: This intersection is presently under study and a report will be made for the next scheduled meeting.

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No. 119

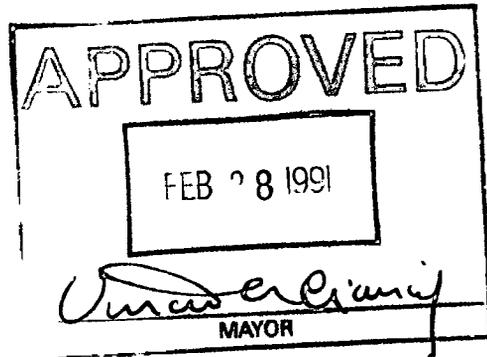
Approved February 28, 1991

RESOLVED, That the Traffic Engineer is requested to prohibit motor vehicle traffic along Nelson Street, between Smith Street and Eaton Street, from 8:30 o'clock A.M. to 9:00 o'clock A.M. and 2:30 o'clock P.M. to 3:00 o'clock P.M. to provide a safe area for the Children at Robert F. Kennedy School, during school days.

IN CITY COUNCIL

FEB 21 1991  
READ AND PASSED

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ACTING PRES.  
*Michael L. Clement*  
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*[Signature]* CLERK

THE COMMITTEE ON  
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Approved Reading of  
The Within Resolution

*[Signature]*  
Chairman

February 6, 1931

Councilwoman Sagnoli (By Request)

City of Providence



Rhode Island

Department of City Clerk

**MEMORANDUM**

DATE: November 16, 1990

TO: B. James Suzman, Traffic Engineer

SUBJECT: \*

CONSIDERED BY: Committee on Public Works

DISPOSITION: Attached is a copy of the subject Resolution for your study and report back, in writing, to the above named Committee as soon as practical.

\*Resolution Requesting the Traffic Engineer to prohibit motor vehicle traffic along Nelson Street, between Smith Street and Eaton Street, from 8:30 o'clock A.M. to 9:00 o'clock A.M. and 2:30 o'clock P.M. to 3:00 o'clock P.M. to provide a safe area for the Children at Robert F. Kennedy School, during School Days.

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Clerk of Council

Michael R. Clement  
First Deputy

Jean M. Angelone  
Second Deputy

DEPARTMENT OF CITY CLERK  
CITY HALL

March 6, 1991

Mrs. Eileen McCormick-Koshgarian  
Robert F. Kennedy School  
195 Nelson Street  
Providence, R. I. 02908

Dear Mrs. McCormick-Koshgarian,

Enclosed is certified copy of Resolution No. 119, passed by the City Council on February 21, 1991 and approved by His Honor the Mayor on February 28, 1991.

The Resolution was sponsored by Councilwoman Evelyn V. Fagnoli.

Very truly yours,

Rose M. Mendonca  
City Clerk

RMM/bp