

RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL

No. 59

Approved February 5, 1973

WHEREAS, Lyndon B. Johnson, Thirty-sixth President of the United States of America, has been called to his Eternal Reward by Almighty God, and

WHEREAS, the late lamented President, a legend in his own time, served his constituency from the State of Texas and the people of the United States of America, as a dynamic Senator from that State, and following the slaying of his predecessor, the late John F. Kennedy, continued to serve the Nation as its Thirty-sixth President, and

WHEREAS, years of service as President were as complex as any administration in the history of this Nation and put his mettle to the most trying of tests, and

WHEREAS, in the role of Commander-in-Chief of the Armed Forces of the United States, he guided the armed services of his Country in this most unpopular Viet Nam conflict, never subordinating his responsibilities to the Nation at the domestic level, and

WHEREAS, the dynamic personality of President Johnson was never more evident following his succession to the Presidency then in the embryo days of his stewardship, which sorely needed leadership, and

WHEREAS, the late lamented President's political ability and strategy was constantly employed to the end that legislation beneficial to the Nation emerged from the Congress of the United States,

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that in the passing of Lyndon Baines Johnson, Thirty-sixth President of the United States of America, in the sixty-fourth year of his life, His Honor, Mayor Joseph A. Doorley, Jr., joins with the Members of the City Council in reflecting in the memory of his visits to the City of Providence

and pray for the repose of his soul and convey to his bereaved wife and children the consolation that his contributions to this Nation and the World will forever stand Monumentally.

IN CITY COUNCIL
READ AND PASSED
BY A UNANIMOUS RISING VOTE

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Ernest L. Lippin
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CLERK

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Joseph A. Harney
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MAYOR

Council President Haydon,
for himself, his Honor the
Mayor and the members of
the City Council