

THE CITY OF PROVIDENCE  
STATE OF RHODE ISLAND AND PROVIDENCE PLANTATIONS

# RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL

No. 252

Approved May 11, 2001

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RESOLVED, That the Members of the Providence City Council  
hereby endorse and urge Passage by the General Assembly of Senate Bill  
2001-S 0738 and House Bill 2001-H 5494 Relating to Highways--  
Alterations, in substantially the form attached.

IN CITY COUNCIL  
MAY 10 2001  
READ AND PASSED

*Balbir Singh*  
PRES, Acting

*Michael S. Clement*  
CLERK

APPROVED

MAY 11 2001

*Thomas J. Crane*  
MAYOR

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REFERRED TO COMMITTEE ON  
STATE LEGISLATION  
MAYOR R. L. BROWN  
CLERK

THE COMMITTEE ON  
State Legislation  
Recommendations Approval  
Claire Bestwick  
May 2, 2001

Commissioner Allen (By Request)

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STATE OF RHODE ISLAND  
**01-S 0738**  
IN GENERAL ASSEMBLY

JANUARY SESSION, A.D. 2001

A N A C T

RELATING TO HIGHWAYS -- ALTERATIONS

01-S 0738

Introduced By: Senators Roney, Walton, Goodwin,  
Kells and Perry

Date Introduced: February 14, 2001

Referred To: Senate Committee on Corporations

It is enacted by the General Assembly as follows:

1           SECTION 1. Section 24-5-1.1 of the General Laws in Chapter 24-5 entitled  
2 "Maintenance of Town Highways" is hereby amended to read as follows:

3           24-5-1.1. Alteration of roadways -- Any person, firm, or corporation including utilities  
4 and contractors who alter a roadway that is subject to the provisions of this chapter shall restore  
5 that portion of the roadway which was altered to the ~~same or better~~ best condition ~~that existed~~  
6 ~~prior to~~ practicable, subsequent to the alteration.

7           Provided that, cities and towns may enact ordinances and regulations providing for repair  
8 standards for such alterations in order to further the purpose of this section, and, may enact  
9 ordinances and regulations providing for the imposition of fees and/or charges relative to  
10 administrative, engineering and inspection costs incurred by the city or town for issuance of  
11 permits for such alterations and ensuring compliance with any such ordinances or regulations.  
12 Provided further, that cities and towns may enact ordinances and regulations providing for the  
13 imposition of fees and/or charges relative to roadway degradation resulting from such alteration.

14           SECTION 2. This act shall take effect upon passage.

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# 01-S 0738

EXPLANATION

BY THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL

OF

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RELATING TO HIGHWAYS -- ALTERATIONS

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- 1        This act allows cities and towns to adopt ordinances and regulations imposing fees on
- 2 public utilities and contractors who alter roadways. Fees would include charges relative to
- 3 administrative, engineering and inspection costs.
- 4        This act would take effect upon passage.

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## STATE OF RHODE ISLAND

IN GENERAL ASSEMBLY

JANUARY SESSION, A.D. 2001

**01-H 5494**

## AN ACT

## RELATING TO HIGHWAYS -- ALTERATIONS

2001-H 5494

Introduced By: Reps. Fox, Cicilline, Moura,  
Slater and Williams

Date Introduced: February 6, 2001

Referred To: Committee on Corporations

It is enacted by the General Assembly as follows:

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