THE CITY OF PROVIDENCE

STATE OF RHODE ISLAND AND PROVIDENCE PLANTATIONS

RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL

No. 46

Approved January 22, 1954

Resolved,

That the City Solicitor be and he hereby is directed to appear before the 1954 Session of the General Assembly and urge passage of an act in amendment of Sections 6 and 9 of Chapter 680 of the Public Laws 1925 entitled "An Act Relating to the Management and Support of the Public Schools of the City of Providence " substantially in accordance with an accompanying draft act.

IN CITY COUNCIL

JAN 21 1954

READ and PASSED

Thomas L. Tunney
President

Everett Wheelan
Clerk

APPROVED

JAN 22 1954

Walter H. Reynolds
MAYOR

RESOLUTION

OF THE

CITY COUNCIL

DIRECTING THE CITY SOLICITOR TO URGE PASSAGE BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF AN ACT IN AMENDMENT OF SECTIONS 6 and 9 OF CHAPTER 680 OF THE 1925 PUBLIC LAWS.

Mr. Weyler
(by request)

In like manner the board of canvassers and registration shall issue a warrant and otherwise provide for a regular school election to be held on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November, 1958, and biennially thereafter at which the electors, qualified as aforesaid, of each school district for which there is to be a vacancy to be caused by the expiration on the succeeding first Tuesday in December, of the term of the member of the school committee therefor, shall in like manner elect as a member of the school committee for a term of four (4) years from said succeeding first Tuesday in December, a qualified resident of such school district nominated as hereinbefore provided. Notice of all school elections shall be published at least three times prior to such elections in one or more daily newspapers published in the City of Providence. Polls at such elections shall be kept open during the same hours as the polls are kept open for the holding of general elections, and the provisions of the State Election Laws shall apply in like manner to the school elections so far as practicable, and except as otherwise provided herein. The ballot labels required for any voting machine to be used at the school election and any general or special election held on the same day shall be printed and furnished in the same manner and form as required by State Election Laws, and shall contain in alphabetical order and uniform type the names and addresses of the candidates, with a square at right of each name in which a voter may designate his choice. The portion of the ballot devoted to the school election shall contain no specification of political party or principle.

A member of said school committee elected for a definite term shall serve until his successor shall have been elected and shall have qualified.

In the event of the death of a candidate entitled to have his name placed on the ballot to be used at any such election prior to the time herein designated for the closing of the polls at said election all proceedings taken under the warrant for an election pursuant to which said election

is held shall thereupon become void and of no effect and the board of canvassers and registration shall forthwith declare a failure to elect and issue their warrant for another election to be held in accordance with the provisions of this chapter. In case of failure to elect a member from any school district at any school election held for that purpose, or in case of death, resignation or inability to serve or removal from the city of Providence of the person elected as a member of the school committee, or if for any other cause there shall be a vacancy in the membership of the school committee, the board of canvassers and registration shall immediately issue a warrant and of whatever possible, at the expense of the city of Providence, for an election to elect such a member or fill such vacancy, such election to be held not less than sixty days nor more than seventy days after the issuance of said warrant. At such election a member of the school committee who shall have been nominated in the manner aforesaid shall be elected from the qualified residents of said school district to hold office for the unexpired term of office established as hereinbefore provided.

The chairman of the school committee shall receive a salary of fifteen hundred ($1500) dollars per year and the other members shall receive a salary of one thousand ($1,000) dollars per year. They shall hold no other civil office, except that of notary public, shall be held in the employment or appointment by the school committee, and shall not be financially interested directly or indirectly in any contract concerning public schools in the city of Providence.

The present members of the school committee now representing districts B, D and G, shall continue to represent said school districts until the members from said districts B, D and G elected under the terms of this act take office on the first Tuesday in December, 1956, at which time the

terms of office of the present members of the school committee from districts B, [illegible] shall cease and determine. The present members of the school committee representing districts A, C, D and E shall continue to represent said school districts until the members from said districts A, C, D and E elected at the [illegible] of this act take office on the first Monday in January [illegible], at which time the terms of office of the present members of the school committee from districts A, C, D and E shall cease and determine."

SECTION 8. Section 9 of Chapter [illegible] of the Public Laws, [illegible], is hereby amended to read as follows:

"Sec. 9. Beginning in the year [illegible], the school committee shall annually, in the month of March, file with the city council of the city of Providence its budget, and shall state therein the sum of money required during the next ensuing fiscal year of said city, as an appropriation from the general tax levy, for the support of public schools, including appropriations for pension funds, but not payments of interest or principal on indebtedness incurred for school purposes, or payments for the purchase of land for school purposes, or for the improvement of the same, or for the construction of school buildings or of additions thereto, or for the furnishing of new buildings or additions to buildings erected for or buildings newly appropriated to school purposes, and the city council shall thereupon appropriate for such support of public schools during such fiscal year the sum of money so stated as required as an appropriation from the general tax levy [illegible], provided, that the city council shall not be required to appropriate any sum in excess of [illegible] of the current total valuation

[illegible]

[illegible] 3. [illegible]

THE CITY OF PROVIDENCE

STATE OF RHODE ISLAND AND PROVIDENCE PLANTATIONS

RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL

No. 47

Approved January 22, 1954

Resolved,

That the City Solicitor be and he hereby is requested to apply to the General Assembly for passage of an act, authorizing the City of Providence to issue bonds in a sum not to exceed five hundred thousand ($500,000) dollars for sewer purposes, substantially in accordance with the accompanying draft act.

IN CITY COUNCIL

JAN 21 1954

READ and PASSED

Thomas A. Wright
President

D. Everett Whelan
Clerk

APPROVED

JAN 22 1954

Walter H. Reynolds
MAYOR

RESOLUTION

OF THE

CITY COUNCIL

REQUESTING THE CITY SOLICITOR TO APPLY TO THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY FOR AUTHORITY TO HIRE $500,000 FOR SEWER PURPOSES.

Mr. Weyler
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[illegible] THE CITY OF PROVIDENCE TO [illegible]
FIVE HUNDRED THOUSAND ($500,000.00) [illegible]

SECTION 1. The city of Providence is hereby authorized and empowered, in addition to and not in substitution for authority previously granted, to issue, in addition to the bonds heretofore issued and now outstanding, under its corporate name and seal, serial bonds in any form which the city council of said city may approve, in a sum not exceeding five hundred thousand ($500,000) dollars. Said bonds shall be of any denomination not exceeding twenty thousand ($20,000) dollars each, shall bear interest at a rate not exceeding three and one-half per centum (3½%) per annum, payable semi-annually; the principal thereof and the interest thereon shall be payable in any coin or currency of the United States of America, which at the time of payment is legal tender for public and private debts and the debts incurred by said bonds shall be obligatory on said city in the same manner and to the same extent as other debts lawfully contracted by said city. The dates of maturity of said bonds shall in no case be more than twenty-five (25) years after date of issue and not less than three and one-half per cent nor more than six and one-half percent of the principal amount of said bonds issued shall become due and payable in any one year; provided, however, that the first instalment of the principal of the bonds issued under the provisions of this act shall mature on such date as the city council of said city shall

determine, but not later than five years after the date of issuance.

Sec. 2. Said bonds shall be signed by the city treasurer and countersigned by the mayor of the city of Providence and shall be issued and sold at such times and in such amounts as the city council of said city shall determine; provided, however, that the premiums, if any, arising from the sale of said bonds shall be applied to the payment of the principal of said bonds in the order of their maturity. The proceeds arising from the sale of the bonds authorized by this act shall be delivered to the city treasurer, and such proceeds, except as hereinbefore provided in respect to the premiums arising from the sale thereof, shall be expended for the purpose of constructing and repairing sewers and/or for the purpose of acquiring land or easements in land in said city for sewer purposes. No purchaser of any of said bonds, however, shall be in any way responsible for the proper application of the proceeds derived from the sale thereof.

Sec. 3. The City of Providence shall annually appropriate a sum sufficient to pay the interest upon the bonds issued and outstanding under the authority of this act, and also to pay the principal of the bonds maturing in any such year, until said bonds are paid in full. All obligations of said city which are incurred under authority of this act shall be excepted from the operation of section 25 of chapter 329 of the general laws of 1930.

Sec. 4. This act shall take effect upon its passage and shall be submitted to the qualified electors of the city of Providence at the next general or special election in said city, and said bonds shall not be issued unless a majority of the ~~voters~~ ELECTORS of said city voting thereon shall approve this legislative action.

THE CITY OF PROVIDENCE

STATE OF RHODE ISLAND AND PROVIDENCE PLANTATIONS

RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL

No. 48

Approved January 22, 1954

Resolved,

That the City Solicitor be and he hereby is requested to apply to the General Assembly for passage of an act authorizing the City of Providence to issue bonds in a sum not to exceed five hundred thousand ($500,000) dollars for school purposes, substantially in accordance with the accompanying draft act.

IN CITY COUNCIL

JAN 21 1954

READ and PASSED

President

Clerk

APPROVED

JAN 22 1954

MAYOR

RESOLUTION

OF THE

CITY COUNCIL

REQUESTING THE CITY SOLICITOR TO APPLY TO THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY FOR AUTHORITY TO HIRE $500,000 FOR SCHOOL PURPOSES.

Mr. Wagler
Neg. request /

AUTHORIZING THE CITY OF PROVIDENCE TO ISSUE BONDS IN THE SUM OF FIVE HUNDRED THOUSAND ($500,000.00) DOLLARS for SCHOOL PURPOSES

SECTION 1. The city of Providence is hereby authorized and empowered, in addition to and not in substitution for authority previously granted, to issue, in addition to the bonds heretofore issued and now outstanding, under its corporate name and seal, serial bonds in any form which the city council of said city may approve, in a sum not exceeding five hundred thousand ($500,000) dollars. Said bonds shall be of any denomination not exceeding twenty thousand ($20,000) dollars each, shall bear interest at a rate not exceeding three and one-half percentum (3½%) per annum, payable semi-annually; the principal thereof and the interest thereon shall be payable in any coin or currency of the United States of America, which at the time of payment is legal tender for public and private debts and the debts incurred by said bonds shall be obligatory on said city in the same manner and to the same extent as other debts lawfully contracted by said city. The dates of maturity of said bonds shall in no case be more than twenty-five (25) years after date of issue and not less than three and one-half per cent nor more than six and one-half percent of the principal amount of said bonds issued shall become due and payable in any one year; provided, however, that the first instalment of the principal of the bonds issued under the provisions of this act shall mature on such date as the city council of said city shall

determine, but not later than five years after the date of issuance.

Sec. 2. Said bonds shall be signed by the city treasurer and countersigned by the mayor of the city of Providence and shall be issued and sold at such times and in such amounts as the city council of said city shall determine, provided, however, that the premiums, if any, arising from the sale of said bonds shall be applied to the payment of the principal of said bonds in the order of their maturity. The proceeds arising from the sale of the bonds authorized by this act shall be delivered to the city treasurer, and such proceeds, except as hereinbefore provided in respect to the premiums arising from the sale thereof, shall be expended for the purpose of modernizing school buildings. No purchaser of any of said bonds, however, shall be in any way responsible for the proper application of the proceeds derived from the sale thereof.

Sec. 3. The City of Providence shall annually appropriate a sum sufficient to pay the interest upon the bonds issued and outstanding under the authority of this act, and also to pay the principal of the bonds maturing in any such year, until said bonds are paid in full. All obligations of said city which are incurred under authority of this act shall be excepted from the operation of section 25 of chapter 329 of the general laws of 1938.

Sec. 4. This act shall take effect upon its passage and shall be submitted to the qualified electors of the city of Providence at the next general or special election in said city, and said bonds shall not be issued unless a majority of the ~~voters~~ ELECTORS U.V. of said city voting thereon shall approve this legislative action.

THE CITY OF PROVIDENCE

STATE OF RHODE ISLAND AND PROVIDENCE PLANTATIONS

RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL

No. 49

Approved January 22, 1954

Resolved,

That the City Solicitor be and he hereby is directed to urge passage by the 1954 Session of the General Assembly of "An Act Authorizing the City of Providence to Enact Building Regulations and Provide for Their Administration," substantially in accordance with the accompanying draft act.

IN CITY COUNCIL

JAN 21 1954

READ and PASSED

Thomas E. Lynch
President

Everett Whelan
Clerk

APPROVED

JAN 22 1954

Walter Reynolds
MAYOR

RESOLUTION

OF THE

CITY COUNCIL

DIRECTING THE CITY SOLICITOR TO REQUEST PASSAGE BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF "AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE CITY OF PROVIDENCE TO ENACT BUILDING REGULATIONS AND PROVIDE FOR THEIR ADMINISTRATION."

[illegible], and in the respective ordinances, regulations and rules, as may be necessary to administer the powers and duties herein set forth, and to do any [illegible], by such changes, modifications or amendments of such said ordinances, rules, [illegible], regulations and other respective ordinances, regulations and rules, incorporating all the [illegible] of [illegible] the [illegible] [illegible], [illegible] the same.

Sec. 3. This act shall take effect upon its passage and upon the approval by the filing of certificate of the ordinances, rules and regulations herein authorized, the provisions of Section 4 of Chapter [illegible] of the 1920 Public Laws, which are inconsistent therewith, and all other acts or parts thereof which may be inconsistent therewith, shall be deemed no longer applicable.