



CITY OF PROVIDENCE  
EXECUTIVE CHAMBER  
PROVIDENCE, R.I.

WALTER H. REYNOLDS  
MAYOR

January 15, 1953

To the Honorable The City Council  
of the City of Providence

Gentlemen:

In accordance with the provisions of Chapter 832 of the Public Laws of 1940, as amended, I have this day appointed Thomas A. Cahir of Providence as a member of the Board of Canvassers and Registration, to serve for the term of three years terminating in March, 1956, and respectfully submit the same to you for your approval.

Respectfully submitted,

Walter H. Reynolds  
Mayor of Providence

IN CITY COUNCIL

FEB 5 - 1953

READ AND APPROVED

  
CLERK

State of Rhode Island and Providence Plantations

THE CITY OF



PROVIDENCE

I, Thomas A. Cahir, do

*solemnly swear that I will support the Constitution of the United States  
and of the State of Rhode Island and that I will faithfully discharge  
the duties of the office of*

Member Board of Canvassers and Registration

*to the best of my ability.*

*Thomas A. Cahir*

*or*

I, Walter H. Reynolds, Mayor

*do hereby certify that on the* 2nd *day of* March, *A. D. 19* 53,

*I did administer unto* Thomas A. Cahir

*duly appointed to the office of*

Member Board of Canvassers and Registration

*the above subscribed oath.*

*Walter H. Reynolds*

CITY OF PROVIDENCE  
RHODE ISLAND

WILLIAM E. McCABE

CITY SOLICITOR

JAMES J. CORRIGAN

FRANCIS D. McMANUS

HARRY GOLDSTEIN

ANTHONY S. DELGIUDICE

ASSISTANTS

GUERRINO A. BROSCO

INVESTIGATOR

LAW DEPARTMENT

January 20, 1953.

To the Honorable the Members of the  
City Council,  
City Hall,  
Providence, Rhode Island.

Gentlemen:

I have the honor to inform you that I have appointed Vincent A. Ragosta, an Attorney-at-Law in good standing of the State of Rhode Island, residing in the City of Providence, as Fourth Assistant City Solicitor to succeed Anthony S. DelGiudice, who recently resigned from that position.

Very truly yours,

*William E. McCabe*  
CITY SOLICITOR

WEM:RAF

IN CITY COUNCIL

FEB 5 - 1953

READ:

WHEREUPON IT IS ORDERED THAT  
THE SAME BE RECEIVED.

*Robert Whelan*  
CLERK

State of Rhode Island and Providence Plantations

THE CITY OF



PROVIDENCE

I, VINCENT A. RAGOSTA, do  
solemnly swear that I will support the Constitution of the United States  
and of the State of Rhode Island and that I will faithfully discharge  
the duties of the office of

FOURTH ASSISTANT CITY SOLICITOR

to the best of my ability.

*Vincent A. Ragosta*

I, WILLIAM E. McCABE,

do hereby certify that on the 19th day of January, A. D. 1953,

I did administer unto VINCENT A. RAGOSTA

duly appointed to the office of

FOURTH ASSISTANT CITY SOLICITOR

the above subscribed oath.

*William E. McCabe*



CITY OF PROVIDENCE • RHODE ISLAND • Walter H. Reynolds • Mayor

OFFICE OF THE CITY CONTROLLER

Joseph C. Keegan  
City Controller  
James E. Hartigan  
Assistant

City Hall

Providence 3, R. I.

January 19, 1953

D. Everett Whelan, City Clerk  
City Hall  
Providence, Rhode Island

Dear Sir:

This is to inform you that under authority of Section 33, Chapter 1665 of the Public Laws of 1945 of the State of Rhode Island, I have this day appointed Mr. Joseph P. Duffy, residing at 47 Wealth Avenue, as Assistant City Controller.

Very truly yours,

*Joseph C. Keegan*  
City Controller

JCK/CD

IN CITY COUNCIL

FEB 5 - 1953

READ:

WHEREUPON IT IS ORDERED THAT  
THE SAME BE RECEIVED.

*D. Everett Whelan*  
CLERK

State of Rhode Island and Providence Plantations

THE CITY OF



PROVIDENCE

I, JOSEPH P. DUFFY, do

*solemnly swear that I will support the Constitution of the United States and of the State of Rhode Island and that I will faithfully discharge the duties of the office of*

Assistant City Controller

*to the best of my ability.*

*Joseph P. Duffy*

I, D. Everett Whelan, City Clerk

*do hereby certify that on the* 19th *day of* January, *A. D.* 1953,

*I did administer unto* Joseph P. Duffy

*duly appointed to the office of*

Assistant City Controller

*the above subscribed oath.*

*D. Everett Whelan*



## City Plan Commission

GEORGE HURLEY, *Chairman*  
HECTOR D. LAUDATI      JERRY V. LORENZO

WALTER H. REYNOLDS, *Mayor*  
LUCIO E. CARLONE, *Secretary*

PAUL A. SAN SOUCI, *Vice Chairman*  
HARRY PINKERSON      EDWARD WINSOR

FRANK H. MALLEY, *Director*  
MILLARD HUMSTONE, *Senior Planner*

*Suite 103, City Hall,  
Providence 3, Rhode Island*

February 3, 1953

The Honorable Walter H. Reynolds, Mayor  
The Honorable City Council  
of the City of Providence  
City Hall  
Providence, Rhode Island

SUBJECT: REFERRAL NO. 470 - TENTATIVE PLAN FOR WILLARD CENTER UNIT ONE,  
PROJECT AREA D2-A1

Gentlemen:

The subject referral received consideration by the City Plan Commission at a meeting held on Friday, January 30, 1953.

The Commission

VOTED: That in connection with the tentative redevelopment plan designated as the Tentative Plan for Willard Center Unit One, Project Area D2-A1, submitted to the City Plan Commission on January 14, 1953 and to the City Council on January 15, 1953 by the Providence Redevelopment Agency, the City Plan Commission report to the City Council of the City of Providence that this Tentative Plan for Willard Center Unit One, Project Area D2-A1 is in conformity with the Master or General Plan of the City of Providence.

The above action was taken in accordance with the requirements of Section 29 of the "Slum Clearance and Redevelopment Act", Chapter 2574, General Laws 1950.

IN CITY COUNCIL  
FEB 5 - 1953

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BY THE CITY CLERK IT IS CERTIFIED THAT  
THIS COPY IS RECEIVED.

*Robert Whelan*  
CLERK

FHM:MMH

cc: Redevelopment Agency

Very truly yours,

*Frank H. Malley*  
FRANK H. MALLEY  
DIRECTOR  
CITY PLAN COMMISSION

VICTOR HOWARD FRAZIER

January 6, 1953

Hon Walter H. Reynolds  
 Mayor Ci ty of Providence  
 City Hall.

Dear Mr Mayor,

It is with much regret that I feel that still on account of my health I cannot accept your kind appointment againon the Sinking Fund Commission. I had a shock in Florida and came home in a wheel chair last Ap ril and do not feel that I could now do justiceon the Commission. If you will refer to my letter of Last January 17th and your reply of Jan 21st it will refresh your memory I think that Louis E. G<sup>R</sup>over of the Citi zens Trust Co would be a good man to replace me if as yet you had ~~any~~ another man in mind. Sorry that my health will not permit me as I think the Sinking Fund Commision have done a good job for the city as well as yourself. wishing you the best of health and a very nice administration, I am

Sincerely yours,

*Victor H. Frazier*

IN CITY COUNCIL  
 FEB 5 - 1953

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WITH ENCLOSURE IT IS ORDERED THAT  
 THE NAME BE RECORDED.

*W. Everett Shelton*



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TRAFFIC ENGINEERING DEPARTMENT

DWIGHT T. MYERS

Traffic Engineer

ROGER T. CHANDLER

Assistant Traffic Engineer

147 Fountain Street

Providence 3, R. I.

January 16, 1953

The Honorable City Council  
City Hall  
Providence, Rhode Island

Gentlemen:

At the request of Council Resolution #582, dated October 3, 1952, the Traffic Engineer has studied the advisability of causing an installation of a YIELD or boulevard STOP sign at the intersection of Dover and Pemberton Streets.

Our accident records show that only two reported accidents occurred at this intersection from the period from January 1, 1950 to September 30, 1952. Both of these accidents occurred in 1950.

Traffic volume counts made by our field investigator at this intersection showed the volumes to be extremely low on both streets and not sufficient enough to justify the installation of any intersection control. Also, there are dwellings on all four corners of this intersection. These dwellings are set back far enough from the property line so as not to cause a particular traffic hazard.

Taking these three points into consideration, it is certainly felt that the installation of a YIELD sign or a STOP sign at the intersection of Dover and Pemberton Streets is not justified at this time.

Very truly yours,

Dwight T. Myers  
Traffic Engineer

EFC/eg IN CITY COUNCIL  
FEB 5 - 1953

REC'D:  
WHEREBY IT IS ORDERED THAT  
THE SAME BE RECEIVED.