

THE CITY OF PROVIDENCE  
STATE OF RHODE ISLAND AND PROVIDENCE PLANTATIONS

# RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL

No. 174

Approved March 29, 1985

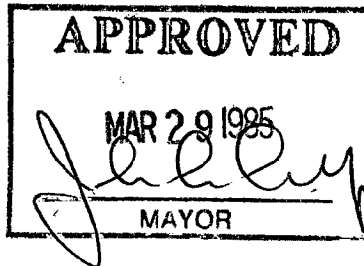
RESOLVED, That the name of Tippecanoe Street be  
changed to Gennaro Place.

IN CITY COUNCIL  
MAR 21 1985

READ AND PASSED

*Richard W. E. ...* PRES.

*Rose M. Mendonca* CLERK



IN CITY COUNCIL  
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FIRST READING URBAN REDEVELOPMENT  
REFERRED TO COMMITTEE ON RENEWAL & PLANNING

Michael R. Chouet CLERK  
First Deputy

THE COMMITTEE ON  
URBAN REDEVELOPMENT  
~~RENEWAL & PLANNING~~  
Approves Passage of  
The Within Resolution

Rose M. Mendonca  
Chairman  
March 6, 1985

Councilwoman DiRuzzo (By Request)

City of Providence



Rhode Island

Department of City Clerk

**MEMORANDUM**

DATE: NOVEMBER 19, 1984

TO: \*

SUBJECT: CHANGING THE NAME OF TIPPECANOE STREET

CONSIDERED BY: COMMITTEE ON URBAN REDEVELOPMENT, RENEWAL AND PLANNING

DISPOSITION:

ATTACHED IS A COPY OF THE SUBJECT RESOLUTION FOR YOUR  
STUDY AND REPORT BACK IN WRITING TO THE SAID COMMITTEE.

\* POLICE CHIEF, ANTHONY J. MANCUSO  
FIRE CHIEF, MICHAEL MOISE  
CITY ENGINEER

*Michael R. Clement*  
FIRST DEPUTY City Clerk

CHIEF MICHAEL F. MOISE  
FIRE CHIEF



Joseph R. Paolino, Jr.  
MAYOR

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY  
FIRE DEPARTMENT

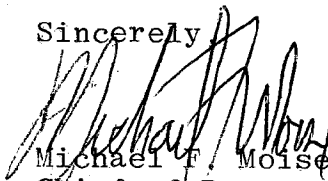
November 26, 1984

Office of the City Clerk  
City Hall  
Providence, RI 02903

Dear Sirs:

Kindly be advised that changing the name of Tippecanoe Street to Gennaro Place will not affect the operations of the fire department; therefore, the fire department has no objections to this change.

Sincerely,

  
Michael F. Moise  
Chief of Department

MFM:plf

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**FIRE DEPARTMENT HDQTRS**  
CITY OF PROVIDENCE, R. I. 02903

Office of the City Clerk

City Hall

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PROVIDENCE, R.I.

PETER P. GRANIERI, JR., P.E.  
DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC WORKS



JOSEPH R. PAOLINO, JR.  
MAYOR

## DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS

November 27, 1984

The Honorable James Petrosinelli  
Chairman, Public Works Committee  
c/o Clerk's Office  
City Hall  
Providence, RI 02903

Re: Changing the name of Tippecanoe Street

Dear Councilman Petrosinelli:

The Department of Public Works has no objections to changing the name of Tippecanoe Street to Gennaro Place.

Our investigation shows that at this time there is no street named Gennaro Place.

Very truly yours,

A large, stylized handwritten signature in black ink, which appears to read "Peter P. Granieri, Jr.", is written over the typed name and title.

PETER P. GRANIERI, JR., P.E.  
Director

PPG:cs

cc: Robert Quigley - Engineering

MEMORANDUM

DATE : March 20, 1985

TO : Councilman Thomas F. O'Connor, Jr., Chairman  
Committee on Urban Renewal Redevelopment & Planning

FROM : Samuel J. Shamoon, Comprehensive Planning Director *STJ*

RE : Street Name Changes

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Pursuant to your request, I asked Michael Lepore of this Department to investigate the naming of Tippecanoe St. Attached is his memo.

The significance of the name certainly lies with the original battle as apposed to a former President. I check into whether there was a pattern of naming any streets for historical battles. It appears that Tippecanoe was the only one in the immediate vicinity. Indeed there are very few streets named after battles.



MEMORANDUM

DATE: March 19, 1985  
TO: Samuel Shamoon, Comprehensive Planning Director  
FROM: Michael Lepore, Principal Planner  
RE: Re-naming of Tippecanoe St.

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As per your request, I investigated the name of Tippecanoe Street. According to the State Historic Preservation, the street was named after the Battle of Tippecanoe, which was fought during the War of 1812. The Commanding General was William Harrison, who later became President.

Hence, his campaign slogan was "Tippecanoe and Tyler too;" Tyler being his Vice-President.