

**THE CITY OF PROVIDENCE**  
**STATE OF RHODE ISLAND AND PROVIDENCE PLANTATIONS**

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# **RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL**

*No. 555*

*Approved* September 28, 1998

**WHEREAS**, An Ordinance appropriating \$50 million and authorizing issuance of \$50 million in bonds for the Neighborhood Improvement Program: A Plan to Revitalize Providence's Neighborhoods was adopted (1997-27); and;

**WHEREAS**, said Ordinance requires that "each component of said plan will be developed and approved by the City Council prior to the expenditures of any funds"; and;

**WHEREAS**, \$25,035,456.00 million has been appropriated by Council Resolution No. 375 dated June 30, 1997, Council Resolution No. 474 dated August 22, 1997, Council Resolution No. 610 dated October 19, 1997, Council Resolution Numbers 702 & 703 dated December 19, 1997, Council Resolution No. 163 dated March 16, 1998, Council Resolution Nos. 258 & 259 dated April 24, 1998, and Council Resolution No. 357 dated June 26, 1998 for various projects; and;

**WHEREAS**, plans have been developed for additional components of the Neighborhood Improvement Plan;

**NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED**, that the following expenditure of funds are approved:

**1. NEIGHBORHOOD IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS:**

**A. Ward 1 Park Improvements –**

1. Carolyn Brassil Park (additional funds) - \$4,950.00
2. Cabral Park ( additional funds) - \$2,500.00

**B. Ward 1 –**

1. Removal of Diseased Street Trees - \$35,000.00

**C. Ward 2 Park Improvements –**

1. York Pond Dredging Project (additional funds) - \$2,734.00

**D. Ward 5 Park Improvements –**

1. Mt. Pleasant Little League Fields (additional funds) - \$19,700.00

**E. Ward 7 Park Improvements –**

1. Neutaconkanut Park (additional funds) - \$6,280.00

**F. Ward 7 –**

1. Silver Lake Community Center (Building renovations) - \$25,000.00
2. Hartford Park Community Center ( Building renovations) - \$10,000.00
3. Sewer and catch basin improvements - \$5,000.00
4. Street Trees - \$10,000.00

**G. Ward 9 –**

1. Community Police Equipment Acquisition - \$5,000.00
2. Park Improvements – Payton Street - \$15,250.00
3. Sewer catch basin & backwater valves - \$5,000.00
4. Casa Dominicana - \$50,000.00
5. ChisPA – ADA requirements - \$30,000.00

**H. Ward 11 – Park Improvements -**

1. Davey Lopes Recreational Complex (additional funds) - \$28,045.00
2. Removal of diseased street trees - \$40,000.00

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FIRST READING

REFERRED TO COMMITTEE ON  
FINANCE & URBAN REDEVELOPMENT  
RENEWAL & PLANNING

*Michael R. Clark* CLERK

THE COMMITTEE ON  
URBAN REDEVELOPMENT  
RENEWAL & PLANNING

Approves Passage of

The Within Resolution, as amended

*Claire E. Bestwick*  
Sept 2, 1998 Clerk

*Council President Jorgensli (By request)*

I. Ward 11 -

1. Urban League - \$60,000.00

J. Ward 12 -

1. Smith Hill Center "Graffiti Free Zone Project" - \$3,570.00
2. Gateway Signage Project - \$5,000.00

K. Gorham Industrial Park - \$235,000.00

Elimination of oil tanks, asbestos removal and building demolition.

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SEP 17 1998  
READ AND PASSED

*Paul V. Fargnoli*  
PRES.  
*Michael R. Clement*  
CLERK

