

# RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL

No. 7

Approved January 6, 1995

RESOLVED, That the Chief Electrical Inspector is requested to order the installation of a Street Light at the corner of Pitman Street and Butler Avenue.

IN CITY COUNCIL  
JAN 2 1995  
READ AND PASSED  
*James A. Rossi*  
PRES.  
*Michael R. Clement*  
CLERK

APPROVED  
JAN 6 1995  
*Vincent A. Cianci*  
MAYOR

*Carrolline Parker*

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No. 8

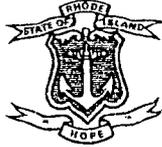
*Approved* January 6, 1995

RESOLVED, That the Chief Electrical Inspector is requested to order the installation of a Street Light at the corner of Hope Street and Wickenden Street.

IN CITY COUNCIL.  
READ AND PASSED  
*James A. DiStasio*  
PRES.  
*Michael R. Clement*  
CLERK

APPROVED  
JAN 6 1995  
*Vincent A. Cianci*  
MAYOR

Concepcion Bledsoe



Senate Chamber

from the desk of  
Senator JOHN M. RONEY

January 6, 1995

Hon. Robert Clarkin, Chairman  
Public Works Committee  
Providence City Council  
City Hall  
Providence, RI 02903

Re: Traffic Control/Hope and Wickenden Streets

Dear Councilman Clarkin:

I write to urge the Council's support for a traffic light or four-way stop sign at the intersection of Wickenden and Hope Streets.

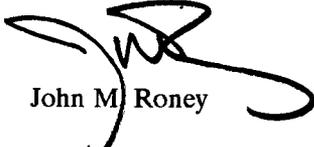
This intersection has been the site of a number of serious accidents, including two personal injury accidents in the last six months. The intersection is hazardous both for vehicles and pedestrians. There is a substantial amount of foot traffic at this intersection because of the retail stores and restaurants located on all four corners. The problem of crossing by pedestrians is exacerbated by the fact that we have a number of elderly residents in the neighborhood (as you know the Tockwotton Home has undergone a substantial expansion) and our senior citizens find it extremely difficult and hazardous to cross Hope Street because of the volume and the speed of the traffic. Indeed, one of the accidents mentioned above involved two elderly women residents of the Tockwotton Home who were struck on Hope Street while attempting to cross at East Street. A light at the corner of Wickenden and Hope would have allowed them to cross at that point.

As an immediate measure, the missing "no parking to corner" signs should be replaced on the north side of Hope at both the east and west corners of Wickenden, and **this restriction should be enforced**. Cars parked in violation of this prohibition substantially block the vision of motorists attempting to enter Hope from Wickenden and make an already dangerous maneuver even more hazardous.

Given the volume and speed of the traffic on Hope, the high pedestrian traffic and the visual impediments, it is inevitable that there will be a traffic fatality at this intersection if the City does not act to install four-way traffic control.

I would most appreciate the Council's prompt consideration of this request.

Very truly yours,



John M. Roney

JMR:js:1/94ltr

cc: B. James Suzman, Department of Public Works  
Wilbert Fleming, Mayor's Office

Hon. Robert Clarkin, Chairman  
Public Works Committee  
Providence City Council  
City Hall  
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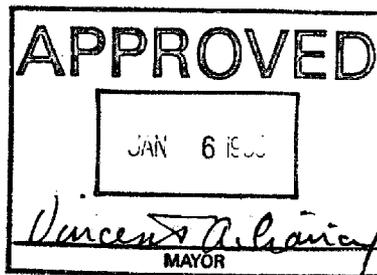
No. 9

Approved January 6, 1995

RESOLVED, That the Forestry Division of the Parks Department is requested to replace those trees located in front of 11 Humboldt Avenue.

IN CITY COUNCIL  
JAN 2 1995  
READ AND PASSED

*James J. Scorsone*  
PRES.  
*Richard R. Clement*  
CLERK



Generalization Theorem (By request)