

CITY OF PROVIDENCE RHODE ISLAND



The Credo of the Providence City Council is to be Industrious, to be Watchful and to Promote Peace. The bee, as a symbol of industry, is derived from the early colonial saying "Busy as a Bee"; the goose, as a symbol of watchfulness, is derived from the story of the goose whose cackling saved Rome; and the lamb, as a symbol of peace, is derived from the biblical use of the lamb as a symbol of peace.



IN CITY COUNCIL
OCT 19 2023

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CITY COUNCIL

JOURNAL OF PROCEEDINGS

No. 24 City Council Regular Council Meeting, Thursday, October 5, 2023, 6:00 o'clock P.M.

PRESIDING

COUNCIL PRESIDENT

RACHEL M. MILLER

CALL TO ORDER

PRESENT: COUNCIL PRESIDENT MILLER, COUNCILMEN ESPINAL, GONCALVES, COUNCILWOMEN GRAVES, HARRIS, COUNCILOR PICHARDO, COUNCILWOMAN RYAN, COUNCILOR SANCHEZ, COUNCILMEN TAYLOR AND VARGAS – 10.

ABSENT: COUNCILOR ANDERBOIS, COUNCILWOMEN ANTHONY, PETERSON, COUNCILOR ROIAS AND COUNCILWOMAN VARGAS – 5.

ALSO PRESENT: TINA L. MASTROIANNI, CITY CLERK, SHERI A. PETRONIO, FIRST DEPUTY CITY CLERK, DONNA M. PELIGIAN, FIRST DEPUTY CITY CLERK, NAPOLEON ASKIE, CITY SERGEANT AND JEFFREY DANA, CITY SOLICITOR

INVOCATION

The Invocation is given by **COUNCILMAN PEDRO J. ESPINAL**.

"Heavenly Father, thank you for this opportunity to guide us here under your presence to serve the people of our wonderful City of Providence. Bless us and guide us to make the best decision for our residents. In you we trust. Amen."

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

COUNCILMAN JOHN GONCALVES Leads the Members of the City Council and the Assemblage in the Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag of the United States of America.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

Journal of Proceedings No. 23 of the Regular Meeting of the City Council held September 21, 2023.

COUNCILMAN TAYLOR Moves to Waive the Reading of item 3 and Move Approval, Seconded by **COUNCILWOMAN HARRIS**.

RESULT:	APPROVED (WITH VOTE) [UNANIMOUS]
MOVER:	Councilman Taylor
SECONDER:	Councilwoman Harris
AYES:	Council President Miller, Councilmen Espinal, Goncalves, Councilwomen Graves, Harris, Councilor Pichardo, Councilwoman Ryan, Councilor Sanchez, Councilmen Taylor and Vargas – 10.
ABSENT:	Councilor AnderBois, Councilwomen Anthony, Peterson, Councilor Roias and Councilwoman Vargas – 5.

SWEARING IN OF CHIEF JUDGE EMERITUS FRANK CAPRIO OF THE PROVIDENCE MUNICIPAL COURT

Swearing in of Chief Judge Emeritus Frank Caprio of the Providence Municipal Court.

ELECTION OF CITY TREASURER

COUNCIL PRESIDENT MILLER, calls for Nominations for the Office of City Treasurer for the term 2023-2027.

COUNCILMAN TAYLOR nominates **SHOMARI HUSBAND** and this Nomination is Seconded by **COUNCILWOMAN HARRIS**.

COUNCIL PRESIDENT MILLER calls for further Nominations and there being none, on motion of **COUNCILMAN TAYLOR**, Seconded by **COUNCILWOMAN HARRIS**, it is voted that Nominations be closed and the Clerk is directed to cast One Ballot for **SHOMARI HUSBAND**.

The Clerk casts one ballot as directed.

COUNCIL PRESIDENT MILLER thereupon declares **SHOMARI HUSBAND** duly Elected as City Treasurer for the ensuing term of Four Years ending on the first Monday in January, 2027.

RECESS

RECONVENTION

ORDINANCE(S) SECOND READING

The Following Ordinances were in City Council September 21, 2023, Read and Passed the First Time and are Severally Returned for Passage the Second Time:

COUNCILOR PICHARDO AND COUNCILMAN VARGAS

An Ordinance making an Appropriation of Ninety Four Million Five Hundred Eighty Thousand Forty One Dollars (\$94,580,041), for the support of the Providence Water Supply Board for the Fiscal Year Ending June 30, 2024.

Section 1. WATER SUPPLY BOARD OPERATING BUDGET 2023-2024

REVENUES:

Sale of Water	\$	86,790,487
Carryover Appropriations		2,450,000
Interest		428,763
Mains & Services		358,963
Miscellaneous Revenue		1,254,683
Miscellaneous State Revenue		180,290
Water Quality Protection Fund		1,702,254
State Water Resources Board		<u>1,414,602</u>
TOTAL GROSS REVENUES	\$	94,580,041

EXPENSES:

Salaries/ Fringes and Retirement	\$	29,087,541
Services		10,503,597
Materials		1,498,269
Special Items		0
Equipment Outlays		75,000
Property Taxes		8,332,157
Unemployment Compensation		<u>10,716</u>
Sub-total Operational Expenses	\$	49,507,280

RESTRICTED TRANSFERS:

Transfer from IFR-Labor	\$	(1,000,000)
Transfer from IFR-Materials		(945,605)
Transfer From Property Tax Refund		(225,000)
Transfer from Revenue Reserve		0
Transfer ESWD Debt Surcharge to Meters		82,451
Transfer to Capital		2,127,000
Transfer to Infrastructure Replacement		31,300,000
Transfer to Equipment Fund		1,500,000
Transfer to Insurance		2,051,056
Transfer to AMR/Meter Replacement		1,000,000
Transfer to Chemical/Sludge Fund		3,600,000
Transfer to Western Cranston		40,000
Transfer to Revenue Reserve		424,987
Transfer to Lead Service Replacement Fund		2,000,000
Transfer to Water Quality Protection Fund		1,702,254
Transfer to Water Resources Board		<u>1,414,602</u>
Total Transfers	\$	5,071,744
TOTAL EXPENSE AND TRANSFERS	\$	94,579,025
SURPLUS/(DEFICIT)	\$	<u>1,016</u>

Section 2. This ordinance shall take effect retroactive to July 1, 2023.

An Ordinance making an Appropriation of Three Million Two Hundred Thirty Nine Thousand Five Hundred Twenty Five Dollars (\$3,239,525), for the Water Supply Board Insurance Fund for the Fiscal Year Ending June 30, 2024.

Section 1. WATER SUPPLY BOARD INSURANCE FUND BUDGET 2023-2024

REVENUES:

Transfer from Water Operations	\$	2,051,056
Carryover from prior year		1,188,414
Interest Income		<u>55</u>
TOTAL REVENUE & OTHER FIN SOURCES	\$	3,239,525

EXPENSES:

Services	\$	205,000
Materials		16,500
Claims		224,654
Property and Casualty		1,151,934
Worker's Compensation		<u>785,125</u>
TOTAL EXPENSES	\$	2,383,213

SURPLUS/(DEFICIT) \$ 856,312

Section 2. This ordinance shall take effect retroactive to July 1, 2023.

An Ordinance making an Appropriation of Three Million Eight Hundred Nineteen Thousand Nine Hundred Twenty One Dollars (\$3,819,921), for the Water Supply Board Water Quality Protection Fund for the Fiscal Year ending June 30, 2024.

Section 1. WATER SUPPLY BOARD WATER QUALITY PROTECTION FUND
BUDGET 2023-2024

REVENUES:

Surcharge Revenue	\$	1,702,254
Carryover from prior year		2,078,729
Interest Income		-
Interest Income Other		<u>38,938</u>
TOTAL REVENUES & OTHER FIN SOURCES	\$	<u>3,819,921</u>

EXPENSES:

Debt Service	\$	456,886
Property Taxes		598,070
Other Services		2,745,000
Materials		<u>6,000</u>
TOTAL EXPENSES	\$	<u>3,805,957</u>

SURPLUS/(DEFICIT) \$ 13,964

Section 2. This ordinance shall take effect retroactive to July 1, 2023.

An Ordinance making an Appropriation of Ninety Five Million Three Hundred Sixty Three Thousand Seven Hundred Ninety Dollars (\$95,363,790), for the Water Supply Board Infrastructure Replacement Program Fund for the Fiscal Year ending June 30, 2024.

Section 1. WATER SUPPLY BOARD INFRASTRUCTURE REPLACEMENT PROGRAM BUDGET 2023-2024

REVENUES:

Transfer from Water Operations	\$	31,300,000
Bond Proceeds/Line of Credit		31,000,000
ESWD Surcharge Transfer from 849		51,343
Carryover Prior Year		24,124,132
Bond Proceeds Prior Year		8,100,000
Interest Income		10,000
Interest Income Other		<u>778,316</u>
TOTAL REVENUE & OTHER FIN SOURCES	\$	<u>95,363,790</u>

EXPENSES:

Salaries/Fringes and Retirement	\$	615,749
Transfer to Operations-Labor		1,000,000
Transfer to Operations-Materials		945,605
Replacement Projects/Revenue		79,384,251
Debt Service		<u>10,226,171</u>
TOTAL EXPENSES	\$	<u>92,171,776</u>

SURPLUS/(DEFICIT) \$ 3,192,015

Section 2. This ordinance shall take effect retroactive to July 1, 2023.

An Ordinance making an Appropriation of Two Million Eight Hundred Fourteen Thousand Four Hundred Seventy One Dollars (\$2,814,471), for the Water Supply Board Meter Replacement Fund for the Fiscal Year ending June 30, 2024.

Section 1. WATER SUPPLY BOARD METER REPLACEMENT FUND
BUDGET 2023-2024

REVENUES:

Transfer from Water Operations	\$	1,000,000
Carryover from prior year		1,723,816
ESWD Surcharge		83,000
Interest Income		0
Interest Income Other		7,655
TOTAL REVENUE & OTHER FIN SOURCES	\$	<u>2,814,471</u>

EXPENSES:

Debt Service	\$	35,619
Transfer ESWD Surcharge to IFR		51,343
Services		708,560
Materials		508,624
TOTAL EXPENSES	\$	<u>1,304,145</u>

SURPLUS/(DEFICIT) \$ 1,510,326

Section 2. This ordinance shall take effect retroactive to July 1, 2023.

An Ordinance making an Appropriation of Three Million Four Hundred Seventy Nine Thousand Two Hundred Fifteen Dollars (\$3,479,215), for the Water Supply Board Equipment Replacement Fund for the Fiscal Year ending June 30, 2024.

Section 1. WATER SUPPLY BOARD EQUIPMENT REPLACEMENT FUND
BUDGET 2023-2024

REVENUES:

Transfer from Water Operations	\$	1,500,000
Interest Income		20,000
Carryover from prior year		<u>1,959,215</u>
TOTAL REVENUE & OTHER FIN SOURCES	\$	<u>3,479,215</u>

EXPENSES:

Equipment Outlays		<u>1,752,000</u>
TOTAL EXPENSES	\$	<u>1,752,000</u>

SURPLUS/(DEFICIT) \$ 1,727,215

Section 2. This ordinance shall take effect retroactive to July 1, 2023.

An Ordinance making an Appropriation of Four Million Nine Hundred Eleven Thousand Nine Hundred Fifty Three Dollars (\$4,911,953), for the Water Supply Board Chemical and Sludge Fund for the Fiscal Year ending June 30, 2024.

Section 1. WATER SUPPLY BOARD CHEMICAL AND SLUDGE FUND
BUDGET 2023-2024

REVENUES:

Transfer from Water Operations	\$	3,600,000
Carryover from prior year		1,303,953
Interest Income		<u>8,000</u>
TOTAL REVENUE & OTHER FIN SOURCES	\$	4,911,953

EXPENSES:

Services		700,000
Chemical Expense		<u>4,205,190</u>
TOTAL EXPENSES	\$	4,905,190

SURPLUS/(DEFICIT) \$ 6,763

Section 2. This ordinance shall take effect retroactive to July 1, 2023.

An Ordinance making an Appropriation of Three Hundred Seventy Six Thousand Six Hundred Fifty Eight Dollars (\$376,658), for the Water Supply Board Western Cranston Fund for the Fiscal Year Ending June 30, 2024.

Section 1. WATER SUPPLY BOARD WESTERN CRANSTON FUND
BUDGET 2023-2024

REVENUES:

Transfer from Water Operations	\$	40,000
Transfer from Cranston Impact Fees		50,000
Carryover from prior year		<u>286,658</u>
TOTAL REVENUE & OTHER FIN SOURCES	\$	376,658

EXPENSES:

Capital Projects	-
Services	-
Debt Service	<u>5,000</u>
TOTAL EXPENSES	\$ 5,000

SURPLUS/(DEFICIT) \$ 371,658

Section 2. This ordinance shall take effect retroactive to July 1, 2023.

An Ordinance making an Appropriation of Eight Hundred Thirty Thousand Six Hundred Eleven Dollars (\$830,611), for the Water Supply Board Property Tax Refund Fund for the Fiscal Year ending June 30, 2024.

Section 1. WATER SUPPLY BOARD PROPERTY TAX REFUND FUND
BUDGET 2023-2024

REVENUES:

Carryover Funds	\$	640,611
Property Tax Refund		190,000
Interest Income		-
TOTAL REVENUE & OTHER FIN SOURCES	\$	<u>830,611</u>

EXPENSES:

Services		0
Transfer to Operations		<u>90,000</u>
TOTAL EXPENSES	\$	<u>190,000</u>

SURPLUS/(DEFICIT) \$ 640,611

Section 2. This ordinance shall take effect retroactive to July 1, 2023.

An Ordinance making an Appropriation of One Million Twenty Two Thousand Five Hundred Four Dollars (\$1,022,504), for the Water Supply Board Revenue Reserve Fund for Fiscal Year ending June 30, 2024.

Section 1. WATER SUPPLY BOARD REVENUE RESERVE FUND
BUDGET 2023-2024

REVENUES:

Transfer from Water Operations	\$	424,987
Carryover from prior year		597,517
Interest Income		<u>0</u>
TOTAL REVENUE & OTHER FIN SOURCES	\$	1,022,504

EXPENSES:

Transfer to Operations/Restricted Funds		<u>0</u>
TOTAL EXPENSES	\$	-

SURPLUS/(DEFICIT) \$ 1,022,504

Section 2. This ordinance shall take effect retroactive to July 1, 2023.

An Ordinance making an Appropriation of Twenty Two Million One Hundred Seventy Five Thousand Seven Hundred Sixty Eight Dollars (\$22,175,768), for the Water Supply Board Lead Service Replacement Fund for Fiscal Year ending June 30, 2024.

Section 1. WATER SUPPLY BOARD LEAD SERVICE REPLACEMENT FUND
BUDGET 2023-2024

REVENUES:

Transfer from Water Operations	\$	2,000,000
Carryover from prior year		4,565,975
Grant Funds Prior Year		5,089,792
FY22 Congressional Directed Spending		3,300,000
FY23 Congressional Directed Spending		2,800,000
Bond Proceeds		4,000,000
Repayments		<u>420,000</u>
TOTAL REVENUE & OTHER FIN SOURCES	\$	<u>22,175,768</u>

EXPENSES:

Debt Service	\$	475,553
Services		<u>15,000,000</u>
TOTAL EXPENSES	\$	<u>15,475,553</u>

SURPLUS/(DEFICIT) \$ 6,700,214

Section 2. This ordinance shall take effect retroactive to July 1, 2023.

An Ordinance making an Appropriation of Three Million Five Hundred Seventy One Thousand Two Hundred Eighty Nine Dollars (\$3,571,289), for the Water Supply Board Capital Fund for the Fiscal Year ending June 30, 2024.

Section 1. WATER SUPPLY BOARD CAPITAL FUND BUDGET 2023-2024

REVENUES:

Transfer from Water Operations	\$	2,127,000
Carryover from prior year		1,375,071
Interest Income		-
Interest Income Other		<u>69,217.99</u>
TOTAL REVENUE & OTHER FIN SOURCES	\$	<u>3,571,289</u>

EXPENSES:

Capital Projects	\$	50,000
Debt Service		<u>2,018,145</u>
TOTAL EXPENSES	\$	<u>2,068,145</u>

SURPLUS/(DEFICIT) \$ 1,503,144

Section 2. This ordinance shall take effect retroactive to July 1, 2023.

An Ordinance Establishing a Compensation Plan for the Water Supply Board and Repealing Ordinance Chapter 2022-56, No. 369, effective November 10, 2022.

Section 1.

Official Compensation Plan for the Water Supply Board:

Position	Grade/Rate
	As of July 1, 2023
Account Collector	25
Administrative Assistant, WSB	M10
Advisory Professional Engineer	M22
Aide to Chief Engineer	\$57,689
Application Operations Specialist	M9
Application Systems Integration Analyst	M11
Applications/Database Analyst	M8
Assistant Dispatcher	\$24,708
Assistant Manager - Customer Service	M13
Assistant Manager - Facilities & Equipment	M16
Board Counsel	\$35,000
Budget and Planning Analyst	M5
Chairperson - Water Supply Board	\$4,000
Chief Engineer	\$160,813-\$195,468
Chief Financial Officer	M36
Chief Information/Security Officer	M36
Chief of Administration	M36
Chief of Operations	M36
Chief of Technical Services	M36
Clerical Coordinator	M36
Confidential Assistant	23
Controller	M9
Customer Service Regulatory Supervisor	M16
Cyber Program Coordinator	M12
Database Administrator	M5
DEI Officer	M20
Deputy General Manager, (Admin)	M15
Deputy General Manager, (Operations)	M40
Dig Safe Worker	M40
Director	\$26,822
Division Manager	M28
Division Supervisor	M20
Draftsperson	M5
Electrical Technician	12
Engineer	\$39,749
Engineering Aide	\$75,378
Engineering Project Coordinator	U19
Engineering Systems Analyst	M9
Engineering Systems Coordinator	M12
Environmental Resource Manager	M15
Equipment Operator	M18
Executive Assistant	\$23,174
Executive Engineer	M12
Flushing Technician	M45
Flushing Technician in Training	\$27,218
Foreperson - Senior Waterplant Mechanic	\$21,172

Forest Supervisor	\$34,002
General Manager	75,271
Governmental Aide	\$160,813-\$195,468
GIS Supervisor	M5
GIS System Specialist	M12
Heavy Equipment Operator	32
HR Generalist	\$29,034
ICS/SCADA Project Coordinator	M9
Information Security Administrator	M18
Information Security Analyst	M18
Information Security Manager	M12
Information Security Senior Manager	M20
Information Security Specialist	M24
Instrumentation Technician	M16
Inventory/Material Handler	\$30,920
Journeyman Plumber	\$23,211
Junior Chemist I	\$28,992 - \$39,748
Junior Chemist II	22
Junior Network Administrator	25
Junior Systems Administrator	M12
Junior Web Application Developer	M12
Lab Supervisor	M12
Land Management Specialist	M13
Manager	M12
Manager - Accounting	M15 - M21
Manager - Accounting & Payroll	M14
Manager - Capital Program	M18
Manager - Construction Services	M18
Manager - Customer Service	M18
Manager - Distribution,(Field Services)	M18
Manager - Distribution,(Planning)	M18
Manager - Engineering Customer Service	M16
Manager - Facilities and Equipment	M15
Manager - GIS	M18
Manager - Personnel	M18
Manager - Planning & Development	M15
Manager - Plant Operations	M18
Manager - Purchasing	M18
Manager - Records	M20
Manager - Safety & Compliance	M15
Manager - Security	M14
Manager - Technical Services	M18
Manager - Water Laboratory	M15
Manager - Water Quality	M18
Manager - Watershed Maintenance & Security	M15
Member - Water Supply Board	M15
Meter Reader I	\$3,500
Meter Reader Technician	\$21,913
Meter Shop Technician	\$24,347
Operations Supervisor	\$25,596
Network Administrator	M9
Network Hardware Manager	M20
Network Operations Analyst	M15
Personnel Assistant	29
Plumber	M5
Principal Engineer	\$49,956

Project Engineer	M17
Public Information Liaison	M15
Public Information Officer	M5
Purchasing Agent II, (WSB)	M15
Raingauge Keeper	24
Regulatory Service Supervisor	\$91.00
Sanitarian	M5
Scheduler/Dispatcher	22
Senior Administrative Assistant	\$28.460
Senior Administrative Assistant / Financial Analyst	\$77,529
Senior Administrative Clerk, Water	M11
Senior Budget & Planning Analyst	18
Senior Director	M9
Senior Director Administration	M32
Senior Director Operations	M30
Senior Draftsperson-WSB	M30
Senior Equipment Mechanic	28
Senior Forest Supervisor	\$29.387
Senior Manager	M12
Senior Manager of Budget and Regulatory	M24
Senior Meter Reader Technician	M18
Senior Plant Operator	\$25.756
Senior Supervisor Customer Service	\$36.564
Senior Supervisor Planning	M9
Senior Utility Maintenance Repairperson	M15
Senior Water Plant Mechanic	\$29.798
Senior Water Treatment Operator	\$30.920
Senior Watershed Maintenance Operator	\$30.357
Staff Accountant	\$28.631
Supervisor	24
Supervisor - Accounting	M9 - M14
Supervisor - Customer Service	\$79,855
Supervisor - Facilities & Equipment	M5
Supervisor - Finance	M12
Supervisor - Flushing	M12
Supervisor - Grounds Maintenance	M9
Supervisor - Personnel	M12
Supervisor - Purchasing	M10
Supervisor - Water Maintenance Crew	M11
Supervisor - Water Plant Operations	M13
Supervisor - Water Quality	\$76,053
Supervisor - Water Supply	M12
Supervisor - Watershed Maintenance	M13
Supervisor - Watershed Maintenance & Security	M9
Supervisor - Watershed Security	M12
System Analyst	M9
System Technical Specialist	M13
Systems Administrator	22
Technical Writer/Administrator	M18
Training/Communications Coordinator	M5
Utility Laborer	M9
Utility Maintenance Repairperson	\$21.172
Utility Maintenance Worker	\$27.386
Utility Worker	\$21.172
Utility Worker in Training	\$24.708
Water Plant Mechanic	\$21.172

Water Quality Coordinator	\$26.611
Water Supply Board Clerk	M9
Water System Mechanic	11
Water Treatment Operator	\$30.520
Water Treatment Operator Class I	\$25.234
Water Treatment Operator Class I in Training	\$27.340
Water Treatment Operator Class II	\$26.692
Water Treatment Operator Class II in Training	\$29.207
Water Treatment Operator Class III	\$28.478
Water Treatment Operator Class III in Training	\$32.654
Watershed Inspector	\$31.930
Watershed Maintenance Operator	\$22.806
Web Applications Developer	\$24.411
	M20

* These positions are eligible for an additional \$.50 per hour once the NEWWA Water Distribution System, Senior Water Treatment Operator and Water Treatment Operator III Certificates have been obtained.

Section 2. The salary for each position is categorized as one (1) of seventy-six (76) "Pay Grades", each of which contains five (5) "Steps", or, the rate listed in Section 1 above. The "Pay Grades" and "Steps" are enumerated and set forth in Section 7(Grade 1-35) and Section 8 (Grades M5-M45).

Section 3. The above paygrades and rates do not include additional compensation for employees who may be requested to work a non-standard work week, have met the CDL requirements as per the Bargaining Unit Agreement, or have obtained a RI Dept. of Health D-1 in Training Certificate.

Section 4. The above pay grades do not include additional compensation for Supervisors who are eligible and may receive on-call pay.

Section 5. Effective with the adoption of this Ordinance, Officers, and Employees of the City of Providence may authorize Employees to perform duties of a higher rated classification, cause by leave or retirement, and that said position is funded and provided for in this Ordinance. Said assignment may be performed for a maximum of 90 days per fiscal year. Any and all other assignments of out of rank nature must be approved by the City Council following petition by the Personnel Director.

Section 6. This Ordinance shall take effect upon its passage.

FY 2023-2024

Section 7. Grades consistent with salary adjustments in Bargaining Unit as of July 1, 2023.

Grade	Step 1st	Step 2nd	Step 3rd	Step 4th	Step 5th	ANNUAL SALARY RANGE		
U1	636.30	641.99	647.72	658.99	667.53	33,087.82	-	34,711.63
U2	650.51	658.99	664.72	676.07	684.54	33,826.61	-	35,596.09
U3	667.67	673.23	678.86	690.55	698.79	34,718.75	-	36,337.08
U4	684.54	690.24	695.91	704.41	715.67	35,596.09	-	37,214.97
U5	698.79	704.41	712.11	721.47	729.94	36,337.08	-	37,957.05
U6	715.67	721.47	727.14	738.53	747.00	37,214.97	-	38,844.25
U7	729.94	738.53	744.16	752.70	761.18	37,957.05	-	39,581.40
U8	747.00	752.70	758.34	769.69	778.25	38,844.25	-	40,469.15
U9	761.18	772.59	783.88	795.20	809.42	39,581.40	-	42,089.67
U10	778.25	786.75	798.12	812.30	826.48	40,469.15	-	42,976.87
U11	792.42	803.92	815.14	829.31	843.48	41,205.75	-	43,860.79
U12	809.42	820.80	832.17	843.48	857.93	42,089.67	-	44,612.18
U13	826.49	834.96	846.34	857.93	876.17	42,977.42	-	45,560.72
U14	843.48	854.27	876.17	892.52	909.56	43,860.79	-	47,297.34
U15	857.93	876.17	889.91	909.56	924.88	44,612.18	-	48,093.64
U16	876.17	880.13	909.56	924.88	944.29	45,560.72	-	49,102.97
U17	892.52	909.56	924.04	944.29	960.59	46,411.23	-	49,950.75
U18	909.56	924.88	944.29	960.59	980.02	47,297.34	-	50,961.17
U19	924.88	944.29	970.35	980.02	999.62	48,093.64	-	51,980.36
U20	944.29	960.59	980.02	999.62	1,016.62	49,102.97	-	52,864.28
U21	960.59	983.34	1,006.14	1,026.99	1,057.98	49,950.75	-	55,014.93
U22	980.02	1,002.80	1,023.61	1,057.98	1,089.73	50,961.17	-	56,666.12
U23	999.62	1,019.92	1,046.15	1,067.47	1,101.96	51,980.36	-	57,301.95
U24	1,019.92	1,038.18	1,074.03	1,093.90	1,121.72	53,035.70	-	58,329.36
U25	1,032.19	1,070.02	1,113.92	1,137.61	1,169.45	53,673.72	-	60,811.34
U26	1,064.92	1,089.82	1,117.82	1,161.62	1,189.42	55,375.84	-	61,849.70
U27	1,081.96	1,109.80	1,161.62	1,181.57	1,213.43	56,261.95	-	63,098.36
U28	1,101.96	1,141.77	1,165.57	1,193.42	1,237.19	57,301.95	-	64,333.87
U29	1,121.72	1,169.45	1,213.43	1,257.06	1,301.01	58,329.36	-	67,652.68
U30	1,169.45	1,217.21	1,256.91	1,301.01	1,344.67	60,811.34	-	69,922.72
U31	1,189.42	1,237.19	1,277.03	1,320.82	1,372.62	61,849.70	-	71,376.20
U32	1,237.19	1,277.03	1,320.82	1,364.68	1,412.45	64,333.87	-	73,447.44
U33	1,277.12	1,320.81	1,369.90	1,412.45	1,456.13	66,410.04	-	75,718.58
U34	1,315.82	1,372.62	1,412.45	1,456.13	1,500.07	68,422.69	-	78,003.41
U35	1,363.98	1,412.45	1,456.13	1,495.81	1,543.72	70,927.12	-	80,273.45

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Section 8. Grades listed below represent a schedule for advancement in rank for management personnel as of July 1, 2023. Step increases are contingent upon management review.

STEP GRADE	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	5th	ANNUAL SALARY RANGE		
M5	53,417.81	56,088.69	58,893.14	61,837.80	64,929.70	53,417.81	-	64,929.70
M6	55,020.36	57,771.37	60,659.93	63,692.94	66,877.60	55,020.36	-	66,877.60
M7	56,670.96	59,504.53	62,479.73	65,603.72	68,883.91	56,670.96	-	68,883.91
M8	58,371.09	61,289.65	64,354.12	67,571.83	70,950.43	58,371.09	-	70,950.43
M9	60,122.22	63,128.32	66,284.78	69,598.98	73,078.93	60,122.22	-	73,078.93
M10	61,925.88	65,022.19	68,273.30	71,686.96	75,271.30	61,925.88	-	75,271.30
M11	63,783.68	66,972.85	70,321.50	73,837.59	77,529.44	63,783.68	-	77,529.44
M12	65,697.19	68,982.04	72,431.15	76,052.70	79,855.34	65,697.19	-	79,855.34
M13	67,668.11	71,051.51	74,604.09	78,334.26	82,251.01	67,668.11	-	82,251.01
M14	69,698.14	73,183.04	76,842.20	80,684.31	84,718.53	69,698.14	-	84,718.53
M15	71,789.07	75,378.53	79,147.46	83,104.86	87,260.08	71,789.07	-	87,260.08
M16	73,942.76	77,639.90	81,521.87	85,597.99	89,877.89	73,942.76	-	89,877.89
M17	76,161.04	79,969.10	83,967.54	88,165.94	92,574.23	76,161.04	-	92,574.23
M18	78,445.86	82,368.16	86,486.58	90,810.90	95,351.46	78,445.86	-	95,351.46
M19	80,799.24	84,839.22	89,081.17	93,535.22	98,211.99	80,799.24	-	98,211.99
M20	83,223.22	87,384.38	91,753.60	96,341.28	101,158.33	83,223.22	-	101,158.33
M21	85,719.91	90,005.90	94,506.21	99,231.51	104,193.09	85,719.91	-	104,193.09
M22	88,291.51	92,706.08	97,341.41	102,208.47	107,318.88	88,291.51	-	107,318.88
M23	90,940.27	95,487.28	100,261.63	105,274.72	110,538.46	90,940.27	-	110,538.46
M24	93,668.48	98,351.89	103,269.49	108,432.97	113,854.60	93,668.48	-	113,854.60
M25	96,478.54	101,302.45	106,367.59	111,685.95	117,270.25	96,478.54	-	117,270.25
M26	99,372.87	104,341.52	109,558.60	115,036.53	120,788.37	99,372.87	-	120,788.37
M27	102,354.06	107,471.77	112,845.36	118,487.63	124,412.00	102,354.06	-	124,412.00
M28	105,424.70	110,695.94	116,230.71	122,042.25	128,144.38	105,424.70	-	128,144.38
M29	108,587.45	114,016.80	119,717.64	125,703.51	131,988.69	108,587.45	-	131,988.69
M30	111,845.06	117,437.31	123,309.15	129,474.63	135,948.36	111,845.06	-	135,948.36
M31	115,200.41	120,960.42	127,008.44	133,358.87	140,026.81	115,200.41	-	140,026.81
M32	118,656.41	124,589.24	130,818.71	137,359.64	144,227.60	118,656.41	-	144,227.60
M33	122,216.10	128,326.92	134,743.26	141,480.43	148,554.44	122,216.10	-	148,554.44
M34	125,882.58	132,176.74	138,785.24	145,724.84	153,011.08	125,882.58	-	153,011.08
M35	129,659.08	136,142.03	142,949.13	150,096.58	157,601.42	129,659.08	-	157,601.42
M36	133,548.83	140,226.28	147,237.60	154,599.48	162,329.44	133,548.83	-	162,329.44
M37	137,555.30	144,433.07	151,654.73	159,237.46	167,199.33	137,555.30	-	167,199.33
M38	141,681.96	148,766.06	156,204.35	164,014.57	172,215.31	141,681.96	-	172,215.31
M39	145,932.43	153,229.05	160,890.48	168,935.02	177,381.77	145,932.43	-	177,381.77
M40	150,310.40	157,825.92	165,717.22	174,003.07	182,703.23	150,310.40	-	182,703.23
M41	154,819.71	162,560.70	170,688.74	179,223.16	188,184.33	154,819.71	-	188,184.33
M42	159,464.30	167,437.52	175,809.40	184,599.87	193,829.86	159,464.30	-	193,829.86
M43	164,248.24	172,460.64	181,083.68	190,137.86	199,644.76	164,248.24	-	199,644.76
M44	169,175.68	177,634.46	186,516.19	195,841.99	205,634.10	169,175.68	-	205,634.10
M45	174,250.95	182,963.50	192,111.67	201,717.26	211,803.12	174,250.95	-	211,803.12
R1	1,092.00	1,092.00	1,092.00	1,092.00	1,092.00	1,092.00	-	1,092.00

An Ordinance Establishing the Classes of Positions, the Maximum Number of Employees and the Number of Employees in Certain Classes in the Water Supply Board and Repealing Ordinance 2022-57, No. 370, effective November 10, 2022.

Section 1.

Official Classification Plan for the Water Supply Board:

1	Account Collector
2	Administrative Assistant, WSB
1	Advisory Professional Engineer
3	Aide to Chief Engineer
1	Application Operations Specialist
1	Application Systems Integration Analyst
1	Applications/Database Analyst
1	Assistant Dispatcher
2	Assistant Manager - Customer Service
1	Assistant Manager - Facilities & Equipment
1	Board Counsel
1	Budget and Planning Analyst
1	Chairperson - Water Supply Board
1	Chief Engineer
1	Chief Financial Officer
1	Chief Information/Security Officer
1	Chief of Administration
1	Chief of Operations
1	Chief of Technical Services
3	Clerical Coordinator
2	Confidential Assistant
1	Controller
1	Customer Service Regulatory Supervisor
2	Cyber Program Coordinator
1	Database Administrator
1	DEI Officer
1	Deputy General Manager, (Admin)
1	Deputy General Manager, (Operations)
5	Dig Safe Worker
10	Director
12	Division Manager
5	Division Supervisor
1	Draftsperson
1	Electrical Technician
1	Engineer
3	Engineering Aide
12	Engineering Project Coordinator
1	Engineering Systems Analyst
1	Engineering Systems Coordinator
1	Environmental Resource Manager
1	Equipment Operator
2	Executive Assistant
1	Executive Engineer
10	Flushing Technician
5	Flushing Technician in Training
1	Foreperson - Senior Waterplant Mechanic

1	Forest Supervisor
1	General Manager
1	GIS Supervisor
4	GIS System Specialist
1	Governmental Aide
5	Heavy Equipment Operator
1	HR Generalist
1	ICS/SCADA Project Coordinator
1	Information Security Administrator
1	Information Security Analyst
1	Information Security Manager
1	Information Security Senior Manager
1	Information Security Specialist
2	Instrumentation Technician
1	Inventory/Material Handler
1	Journeyman Plumber
5	Junior Chemist I
1	Junior Chemist II
1	Junior Network Administrator
2	Junior Systems Administrator
1	Junior Web Application Developer
3	Lab Supervisor
1	Land Management Specialist
6	Manager
2	Manager - Accounting
1	Manager - Accounting & Payroll
1	Manager - Capital Program
1	Manager - Construction Services
1	Manager - Customer Service
2	Manager - Distribution, (Field Services)
1	Manager - Distribution, (Planning)
1	Manager - Engineering Customer Service
1	Manager - Facilities and Equipment
1	Manager - GIS
1	Manager - Personnel
1	Manager - Planning and Development
2	Manager - Plant Operations
1	Manager - Purchasing
1	Manager - Records
1	Manager - Safety & Compliance
1	Manager - Security
1	Manager - Technical Services
1	Manager - Water Laboratory
1	Manager - Water Quality
2	Manager - Watershed Maintenance & Security
3	Member - Water Supply Board
5	Meter Reader I
15	Meter Reader Technician
1	Meter Shop Technician
1	Network Administrator
1	Network Hardware Manager
3	Network Operations Analyst
2	Operations Supervisor
1	Personnel Assistant
2	Plumber
6	Principal Engineer

10	Project Engineer
1	Public Information Liaison
1	Public Information Officer
2	Purchasing Agent II, WSB
7	Raingauge Keeper
1	Regulatory Service Supervisor
1	Sanitarian
1	Scheduler/Dispatcher
1	Senior Administrative Assistant
1	Senior Administrative Assistant / Financial Analyst
23	Senior Administrative Clerk, Water
1	Senior Budget & Planning Analyst
4	Senior Director
1	Senior Director Administration
1	Senior Director Operations
4	Senior Draftsperson-WSB
5	Senior Equipment Mechanic
1	Senior Forest Supervisor
9	Senior Manager
1	Senior Manager of Budget and Regulatory
4	Senior Meter Reader Technician
1	Senior Plant Operator
4	Senior Supervisor Customer Service
1	Senior Supervisor Planning
1	Senior Utility Maintenance Repairperson
7	Senior Water Plant Mechanic
8	Senior Water Treatment Operator
5	Senior Watershed Maintenance Operator
2	Staff Accountant
6	Supervisor
1	Supervisor - Accounting
2	Supervisor - Customer Service
3	Supervisor - Facilities & Equipment
2	Supervisor - Finance
2	Supervisor - Flushing
1	Supervisor - Grounds Maintenance
1	Supervisor - Personnel
1	Supervisor - Purchasing
6	Supervisor - Water Maintenance Crew
1	Supervisor - Water Plant Operations
1	Supervisor - Water Quality
2	Supervisor - Water Supply
1	Supervisor - Watershed Maintenance
1	Supervisor - Watershed Maintenance & Security
1	Supervisor - Watershed Security
1	System Analyst
1	System Technical Specialist
1	Systems Administrator
1	Technical Writer/Administrator
4	Training/Communications Coordinator
1	Utility Laborer
2	Utility Maintenance Repairperson
8	Utility Maintenance Worker
26	Utility Worker
26	Utility Worker in Training
4	Water Quality Coordinator

3	Water Plant Mechanic
9	Water Supply Board Clerk
15	Water System Mechanic
3	Water Treatment Operator
3	Water Treatment Operator Class I
3	Water Treatment Operator Class I in Training
0	Water Treatment Operator Class II
0	Water Treatment Operator Class II in Training
9	Water Treatment Operator Class III
3	Water Treatment Operator Class III in Training
14	Watershed Inspector
8	Watershed Maintenance Operator
1	Web Applications Developer

Section 2. This Ordinance shall take effect upon its passage.

COUNCILMAN TAYLOR Moves to Waive the Reading of items 6 through 19 and Pass for the Second Time on a Roll Call Vote, Seconded by COUNCILWOMAN HARRIS.

RESULT:	READ/PASSED SECOND TIME [UNANIMOUS]
MOVER:	Councilman Taylor
SECONDER:	Councilwoman Harris
AYES:	Council President Miller, Councilmen Espinal, Goncalves, Councilwomen Graves, Harris, Councilor Pichardo, Councilwoman Ryan, Councilor Sanchez, Councilmen Taylor and Vargas – 10.
ABSENT:	Councilor AnderBois, Councilwomen Anthony, Peterson, Councilor Roias and Councilwoman Vargas – 5.

The Motion for Passage the Second Time is Sustained.

PRESENTATION OF ORDINANCES

COUNCIL PRESIDENT MILLER, COUNCILMAN GONCALVES AND COUNCILWOMAN GRAVES

An Ordinance in Amendment of Chapter 27 of the Code of Ordinances of the City of Providence, Entitled: "The City of Providence Zoning Ordinance," Approved November 24, 2014, As Amended, to change certain text in Articles 2, 4, 6, 12, 17, 18, 19 and 20.

COUNCILMEN ESPINAL, GONCALVES AND COUNCILWOMAN GRAVES

An Ordinance in Amendment of Chapter 14, Article IX of the Code of Ordinances of the City of Providence, Entitled: "Vendors".

RESULT:	REFERRED
TO:	Committee on Ordinances

PRESENTATION OF RESOLUTIONS

COUNCIL PRESIDENT MILLER, (By Request):

Resolution Authorizing Approval of the following Contract Award by the Board of Contract and Supply, in accordance with Section 21-26(b)(1) of the Code of Ordinances.

W. Walsh Company, Inc.
(Providence Water Supply Board)

\$16,200,000.00

RESULT:	REFERRED
TO:	Committee on Finance

COUNCILMAN TAYLOR Moves to Waive the Reading of items 20 through 22, Seconded by COUNCILWOMAN HARRIS.

COUNCIL PRESIDENT MILLER Refers items 20 and 21 to the Committee on Ordinances and item 22 to the Committee on Finance.

COUNCILOR PICHARDO, COUNCIL PRESIDENT MILLER, COUNCILMEN GONCALVES, ESPINAL, COUNCILWOMEN GRAVES, HARRIS AND COUNCILMAN VARGAS

Resolution Amending Resolution 2023-148, Establishing a Special Commission on Veterans Affairs.

WHEREAS, As a nation, we rely on our men and women in uniform to safeguard our national security, advance our national interests, preserve our rights and freedoms, and defend our way of life; and

WHEREAS, Those who serve in the Armed Forces shoulder the burden of long periods away from their families, often dangerous training and deployments, and inherent physical, mental, and emotional risks, and we owe them an unmeasurable debt; and

WHEREAS, The State of Rhode Island is home to approximately 54,121 veterans representing 6.4% of the state's adult population; and

WHEREAS, Rhode Island has a long-standing relationship with the armed services and is the proud home of the U.S. Naval War College, the Veterans Memorial Auditorium, the Quonset Point Air National Guard Base, the Rhode Island Army National Guard, the U.S. Coast Guard Station Point Judith; and

WHEREAS, The Providence City Council recognizes and honors the service and sacrifice of members of the Armed Forces and veterans who sacrifice themselves for the defense of our country.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, That the Providence City Council hereby establishes the City of Providence Special Commission on Veterans Affairs, the purpose of which shall be to coordinate and manage veterans' affairs in the city.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That the City of Providence Special Commission on Veterans Affairs shall be comprised of 5 members.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, This is amending Resolution 2023-148 which was approved on April 10, 2023.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That upon passage, copies of this resolution be transmitted to the Honorable Mayor of Providence, the House Veterans' Affairs Committee, the Senate Special Legislation and Veterans' Committee, the RI Air National Guard Command, RI Army National Guard, the Adjutant General of the State of Rhode Island, and the Rhode Island Congressional Delegation.

COUNCILOR SANCHEZ, COUNCIL PRESIDENT MILLER, COUNCILOR ANDERBOIS, COUNCILMEN GONCALVES, ESPINAL, COUNCILWOMEN GRAVES, HARRIS, COUNCILOR PICHARDO AND COUNCILMAN VARGAS

Resolution of Solidarity with the United Auto Workers at General Motors, Ford and Stellantis.

WHEREAS, The members of the United Auto Workers are fighting for a fair contract with General Motors, Ford, and Stellantis; and

WHEREAS, These “Big Three” automakers have made record profits over the last decade; and

WHEREAS, The CEO’s and shareholders of these companies have also received record compensation; and

WHEREAS, These record profits were made possible only through the labor of the members of the United Auto Workers; and

WHEREAS, The workers at these companies are demanding their fair share of these profits and compensation; and

WHEREAS, Working people are living in a time of historic income inequality and rapidly increasing basic cost of living; and

WHEREAS, We understand that workers, joined together in their unions, their unions joined together in solidarity, forming the modern labor movement, is our best chance at decreasing income inequality; and

WHEREAS, The historic struggle that the United Auto Workers are currently facing may impact the trajectory of the entire working class for years to come.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, That the Providence City Council extends our most heartfelt support to the United Auto Workers and their historic labor struggle at General Motors, Ford, and Stellantis.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That the Providence City Council stands ready to provide moral support to these brave workers and their families, and their union as we reaffirm the bonds of solidarity that connect us all as working people.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That the Providence City Clerk’s Office provide a copy of this resolution to UAW President Shawn Fain.

COUNCILMAN TAYLOR Moves to Waive the Reading of items 23 and 24 and Pass on a Voice Vote, Seconded by COUNCILWOMAN HARRIS.

RESULT:	PASSED [UNANIMOUS]
MOVER:	Councilman Taylor
SECONDER:	Councilwoman Harris
AYES:	Council President Miller, Councilmen Espinal, Goncalves, Councilwomen Graves, Harris, Councilor Pichardo, Councilwoman Ryan, Councilor Sanchez, Councilmen Taylor and Vargas – 10.
ABSENT:	Councilor AnderBois, Councilwomen Anthony, Peterson, Councilor Roias and Councilwoman Vargas – 5.

The Motion for Passage is Sustained.

REPORT(S) FROM COMMITTEE(S)

**COMMITTEE ON ORDINANCES
COUNCILMAN PEDRO J. ESPINAL, Chairman**

Transmits the Following with Recommendation the Same be Adopted:

An Ordinance in Amendment of Chapter 27 of the Code of Ordinances of the City of Providence, Entitled: "The City of Providence Zoning Ordinance," Approved November 24, 2014, As Amended, to change the Zoning District on the Official Zoning Map for the Property located on Assessor's Plat 53, Lot 101 (515 Prairie Avenue), Assessor's Plat 53, Lot 99 (134 Gallup Street) and Assessor's Plat 53, Lot 98 (138 Gallup Street), from a pre-existing, non-conforming use (2 vacant lots & a commercial detail shop), from R-3 to R-4. (*Councilman Vargas*)

COUNCILMAN TAYLOR Moves to Waive the Reading of item 25 and Pass for the First Time on a Roll Call Vote, Seconded by COUNCILWOMAN HARRIS.

RESULT:	READ/PASSED FOR THE FIRST TIME [UNANIMOUS]
MOVER:	Councilman Taylor
SECONDER:	Councilwoman Harris
AYES:	Council President Miller, Councilmen Espinal, Goncalves, Councilwomen Graves, Harris, Councilor Pichardo, Councilwoman Ryan, Councilor Sanchez, Councilmen Taylor and Vargas – 10.
ABSENT:	Councilor AnderBois, Councilwomen Anthony, Peterson, Councilor Roias and Councilwoman Vargas – 5.

The Motion for Passage the First Time is Sustained.

COMMITTEE ON FINANCE
COUNCILMAN JAMES E. TAYLOR, Vice-Chairman

Transmits the Following, As Amended, Without Recommendation:

Resolution Authorizing the Mayor to Enter into a Memorandum of Agreement (MOA) with Brown University, for a period of Ten (10) Years.

RESOLVED, That the Mayor of the City of Providence is hereby authorized by this Council to enter into the attached Memorandum of Agreement (MOA) with Brown University, for a period of 10 years, as presented in Exhibit A attached hereto. *(Councilmen Espinal and Vargas)*

Transmits the Following Without Recommendation:

Resolution Authorizing the Mayor to Enter into a Memorandum of Understanding with Brown University, Providence College, Rhode Island School of Design and Johnson and Wales, for a period of Twenty (20) Years.

RESOLVED, That the Mayor of the City of Providence is hereby authorized by this Council to enter into a Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) with Brown University, Providence College, Rhode Island School of Design and Johnson and Wales University for a period of 20 years, as presented in Exhibit A attached hereto. *(Councilmen Espinal and Vargas)*

COUNCILMAN TAYLOR Moves to Waive the Reading of items 26 and 27 and Pass on a Roll Call Vote, Seconded by COUNCILWOMAN HARRIS.

RESULT:	PASSED [9 TO 1]
MOVER:	Councilman Taylor
SECONDER:	Councilwoman Harris
AYES:	Council President Miller, Councilmen Espinal, Goncalves, Councilwomen Graves, Harris, Councilor Pichardo, Councilwoman Ryan, Councilmen Taylor and Vargas – 9.
NAYS:	Councilor Sanchez – 1.
ABSENT:	Councilor AnderBois, Councilwomen Anthony, Peterson, Councilor Roias and Councilman Vargas – 5.

The Motion for Passage is Sustained.

FROM THE CLERK'S DESK

Petition from Richard A. Pacia, Esquire and Richard J. A. Pacia, Esquire, 50 Power Road, Pawtucket, Rhode Island 02860 on behalf of JVAC, LLC, requesting a Zone Change for the property located on Assessor's Plat 108, Lot 32 (181 Pocasset Avenue) and Assessor's Plat 108, Lot 32 (11 Lowell Avenue), from R-3 to C-1.

Petition from Joshua Miller, Operating Manager of DWTDT, LLC by his attorney Stephen M Litwin, Esquire, 116 Orange Street, Providence, Rhode Island 02903, requesting a Zone Change for the property located on Assessor's Plat 17, Lot 180 (12 Governor Street), from R-1 to C-2.

Petition from Ramzi J. Loqa, P.E. on behalf of Roland Tellier, requesting a Zone Change for the property located on Assessor's Plat 77, Lot 338 (53 Batcheller Avenue), from C-3 to R-2.

Petition from Dylan Conley, Esquire, Conley Law Associates, 123 Dyer Street, Suite 2b, Providence, Rhode Island 02903, requesting a Zone Change for the property located on Assessor's Plat 76, Lot 425 (171 Admiral Street), from R-3 to R-4.

Petition from Dylan Conley, Esquire, Conley Law Associates, 123 Dyer Street, Suite 2b, Providence, Rhode Island 02903, requesting a Zone Change for the property located on Assessor's Plat 5, Lot 521 (103 Evergreen Street), from R-3 to R-4.

Petition from Dylan Conley, Esquire, Conley Law Associates, 123 Dyer Street, Suite 2b, Providence, Rhode Island 02903, requesting a Zone Change for the property located on Assessor's Plat 65, Lots 589, 588, 593, 594 and 697 (9-15 Cutler Street), from R-3 to R-4.

Petition from John F. Tordaro, President, Elmhurst Commercial Properties, requesting a Zone Change for the property located on Assessor's Plat 122, Lot 1 (1075 Smith Street), from R-1 to C-1.

RESULT:	REFERRED
TO:	Committee on Ordinances

Petitions for Compensation for Injuries and Damages, viz:

Brian McDonough
Dennisha Gonzalez
(Joseph J. Voccola, Esquire)
Ana Urizar Dias and Kevin Dias
Victor Lopez
Jim DiDio
Beth Callaway
Gerard C. Catala
Gerard C. Catala
Joel Dargan
Noel Burden
Tracey Solomon - White
Regina Briggs and Avryonna Briggs
(Michael F. Campopiano, Esquire)

Maria L. Luis
Domingo Cortorreal
Alison DeKleine
Nicholas Varone
Jorge Vargas
Alejandro Jose Thillet
Fatima DeJesus
(Gregory J. Schadone, Esquire)
Lauren Smith
Andrew Ferreira
Marcelino Pires
Sheenalyn Dellava

RESULT:	REFERRED
TO:	Committee on Claims and Pending Suits

COMMUNICATIONS AND REPORTS

Communication from Dr. Wayne J. Montague, Sr., 51 Wabun Avenue, Providence, Rhode Island 02908, dated September 27, 2023, submitting his resignation as Vice-Chairman and member of the Recreational Advisory Board.

Communication from Dr. Wayne J. Montague, Sr., 51 Wabun Avenue, Providence, Rhode Island 02908, dated September 27, 2023, submitting his resignation as a member of the Providence School Board Nominating Committee.

RESULT:	RECEIVED
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COUNCILMAN TAYLOR Moves to Waive the Reading of items 28 through 37, Seconded by COUNCILWOMAN HARRIS.

COUNCIL PRESIDENT Miller Refers items 28 through 34 to the Committee on Ordinances, item 35 Severally Refer to the Committee on Claims and Pending Suits and Receive items 36 and 37.

**PRESENTATION OF RESOLUTIONS
"IN CONGRATULATIONS"**

COUNCIL PRESIDENT MILLER AND MEMBERS OF THE CITY COUNCIL

Resolution Extending Congratulations.

RESOLVED, That the Members of the City Council hereby extend their Sincere

Congratulations to the following:

Segundo Silverio, in recognition of your outstanding support and dedicated service to Providence Sports and players of the Providence Hispanic Softball League Alliance (PHSLA) and the community.

Everex Rodriguez, in recognition of your outstanding support and dedicated service to Providence Sports and players of the Providence Hispanic Softball League Alliance (PHSLA) and the community.

Augustin Rodriguez, in recognition of your outstanding support and dedicated service to Providence Sports and players of the Providence Hispanic Softball League Alliance (PHSLA) and the community.

Juan Beras, in recognition of your outstanding support and dedicated service to Providence Sports and players of the Providence Hispanic Softball League Alliance (PHSLA) and the community.

Marcos Sanchez, in recognition of your outstanding support and dedicated service to Providence Sports and players of the Providence Hispanic Softball League Alliance (PHSLA) and the community.

Juan R. Ortiz, in recognition of your outstanding support and dedicated service to Providence Sports and players of the Providence Hispanic Softball League Alliance (PHSLA) and the community.

Adalberto Flores, in recognition of your outstanding support and dedicated service to Providence Sports and players of the Providence Hispanic Softball League Alliance (PHSLA) and the community.

Juan Espinal (De Idelka), in recognition of your outstanding support and dedicated service to Providence Sports and players of the Providence Hispanic Softball League Alliance (PHSLA) and the community.

Nelson Lorenzo, in recognition of your outstanding support and dedicated service to Providence Sports and players of the Providence Hispanic Softball League Alliance (PHSLA) and the community.

Brian Gonzalez, in recognition of your outstanding support and dedicated service to Providence Sports and players of the Providence Hispanic Softball League Alliance (PHSLA) and the community.

Maximo Dorrego, in recognition of your outstanding support and dedicated service to Providence Sports and players of the Providence Hispanic Softball League Alliance (PHSLA) and the community.

Luz Milagros Martinez Rivas, in recognition of your outstanding support and dedicated service to Providence Sports and players of the Providence Hispanic Softball League Alliance (PHSLA) and the community.

Feliz Batista, in recognition of your outstanding support and dedicated service to Providence Sports and players of the Providence Hispanic Softball League Alliance (PHSLA) and the community.

Hector Velez, in recognition of your outstanding support and dedicated service to Providence Sports and players of the Providence Hispanic Softball League Alliance (PHSLA) and the community.

Santos Lara, in recognition of your outstanding support and dedicated service to Providence Sports and players of the Providence Hispanic Softball League Alliance (PHSLA) and the community.

Gerado Bonilla, in recognition of your outstanding support and dedicated service to Providence Sports and players of the Providence Hispanic Softball League Alliance (PHSLA) and the community.

Jose Cerdas Peralta, in recognition of your outstanding support and dedicated service to Providence Sports and players of the Providence Hispanic Softball League Alliance (PHSLA) and the community.

Milciades Ramirez, in recognition of your outstanding support and dedicated service to Providence Sports and players of the Providence Hispanic Softball League Alliance (PHSLA) and the community.

Wilfredo Hernandez, in recognition of your outstanding support and dedicated service to Providence Sports and players of the Providence Hispanic Softball League Alliance (PHSLA) and the community.

Victor Tolentino, in recognition of your outstanding support and dedicated service to Providence Sports and players of the Providence Hispanic Softball League Alliance (PHSLA) and the community.

Joel Taveras, in recognition of your outstanding support and dedicated service to Providence Sports and players of the Providence Hispanic Softball League Alliance (PHSLA) and the community.

Junior De La Rosa, in recognition of your outstanding support and dedicated service to Providence Sports and players of the Providence Hispanic Softball League Alliance (PHSLA) and the community.

Miguel Aponte, in recognition of your outstanding support and dedicated service to Providence Sports and players of the Providence Hispanic Softball League Alliance (PHSLA) and the community.

Luciano Feliz, in recognition of your outstanding support and dedicated service to Providence Sports and players of the Providence Hispanic Softball League Alliance (PHSLA) and the community.

Gregorio Reyes, in recognition of your outstanding support and dedicated service to Providence Sports and players of the Providence Hispanic Softball League Alliance (PHSLA) and the community.

Domingo Ruben Ruben, in recognition of your outstanding support and dedicated service to Providence Sports and players of the Providence Hispanic Softball League Alliance (PHSLA) and the community.

Daniel Santana, in recognition of your outstanding support and dedicated service to Providence Sports and players of the Providence Hispanic Softball League Alliance (PHSLA) and the community.

Idelka Rosario, in recognition of your outstanding support and dedicated service to Providence Sports and players of the Providence Hispanic Softball League Alliance (PHSLA) and the community.

Brandon Brown, in recognition of your service to the Providence City Council and the citizens of the City of Providence. You will be greatly missed!

Max Formal, in recognition of celebrating 70 years in business!

Jose Manuel Dominguez, El Destacamento Cocina Bar, En reconocimiento por su valentía y el logro de reunir a todos los comerciantes de la ciudad de Providence.

Steven Perez, Policia de Providence, en reconocimiento por su excelente trabajo y mantener el orden en la comunidad de Silver Lake.

Juan C. Valerio Diaz, El Toro Market, en reconocimiento por su servicio por más de 30 años en nuestra comunidad de Silver Lake.

Sr. Diomedes Roque Garcia, Alcalde Provincia Puerto Plata, R.D., en reconocimiento por extender nuestros lazos amistosos con la Alcaldía de la ciudad de Puerto Plata y nuestros funcionarios!

Padre Gildardo Suárez, en reconocimiento por su larga trayectoria y sus servicio a la comunidad.

Fuerza Laboral, Power of Workers, in recognition of the celebration of the Inauguration of your new space in the City of Central Falls at 6 Chace's Lane and your Ribbon Cutting Ceremony!

WPM Fitness, in recognition of the celebration of your Grand Opening on September 30th, 2023.

La Cosina de Vicky, in recognition of the celebration of your Grand Opening on September 22, 2023.

Israel Jiménez, en reconocimiento de su Décimo Cuarto Torneo Internacional de Baloncesto de Providence, Rhode Island.

Miguel Mata, en reconocimiento de su Décimo Cuarto Torneo Internacional de Baloncesto de Providence, Rhode Island.

Ricardo Ramon, en reconocimiento de su Décimo Cuarto Torneo Internacional de Baloncesto de Providence, Rhode Island.

Manolo Prince, en reconocimiento de su Décimo Cuarto Torneo Internacional de Baloncesto de Providence, Rhode Island.

Winston Royal, en reconocimiento de su Décimo Cuarto Torneo Internacional de Baloncesto de Providence, Rhode Island.

Rogers Curiel, en reconocimiento de su Décimo Cuarto Torneo Internacional de Baloncesto de Providence, Rhode Island.

Julio Nuñez Acosta, en reconocimiento de su Décimo Cuarto Torneo Internacional de Baloncesto de Providence, Rhode Island.

Francisco Cabrera, en reconocimiento de su Décimo Cuarto Torneo Internacional de Baloncesto de Providence, Rhode Island.

Diomede Giron, en reconocimiento de su Décimo Cuarto Torneo Internacional de Baloncesto de Providence, Rhode Island.

Tito Richarson, en reconocimiento de su Décimo Cuarto Torneo Internacional de Baloncesto de Providence, Rhode Island.

Miguel Cedeño, en reconocimiento de su Décimo Cuarto Torneo Internacional de Baloncesto de Providence, Rhode Island.

Eddy Peniche, en reconocimiento de su Décimo Cuarto Torneo Internacional de Baloncesto de Providence, Rhode Island.

Cesar Lebron, en reconocimiento de su Décimo Cuarto Torneo Internacional de Baloncesto de Providence, Rhode Island.

Matthew Gonsalves, en reconocimiento de su Décimo Cuarto Torneo Internacional de Baloncesto de Providence, Rhode Island.

Rafael Tati, en reconocimiento de su Décimo Cuarto Torneo Internacional de Baloncesto de Providence, Rhode Island.

Carlo Miniel, en reconocimiento de su Décimo Cuarto Torneo Internacional de Baloncesto de Providence, Rhode Island.

COUNCILMAN TAYLOR Moves to Waive the Reading of item 38 and Pass on a Voice Vote, Seconded by COUNCILWOMAN HARRIS.

RESULT:	PASSED [UNANIMOUS]
MOVER:	Councilman Taylor
SECONDER:	Councilwoman Harris
AYES:	Council President Miller, Councilmen Espinal, Goncalves, Councilwomen Graves, Harris, Councilor Pichardo, Councilwoman Ryan, Councilor Sanchez, Councilmen Taylor and Vargas – 10.
ABSENT:	Councilor AnderBois, Councilwomen Anthony, Peterson, Councilor Roias and Councilwoman Vargas – 5.

The Motion for Passage is Sustained.

**PRESENTATION OF RESOLUTIONS
"IN MEMORIAM"**

COUNCIL PRESIDENT MILLER AND MEMBERS OF THE CITY COUNCIL

Resolution Extending Sympathy.

RESOLVED, That the Members of the City Council hereby extend their Sincere
Sympathy to the families of the following:

Judith A. Byrnes

**COUNCILMAN TAYLOR Moves to Waive the Reading of item 28 and Pass on a
Unanimous Rising Vote, Seconded by COUNCILWOMAN HARRIS.**

RESULT:	PASSED [UNANIMOUS]
MOVER:	Councilman Taylor
SECONDER:	Councilwoman Harris
AYES:	Council President Miller, Councilmen Espinal, Goncalves, Councilwomen Graves, Harris, Councilor Pichardo, Councilwoman Ryan, Councilor Sanchez, Councilmen Taylor and Vargas – 10.
ABSENT:	Councilor AnderBois, Councilwomen Anthony, Peterson, Councilor Roias and Councilwoman Vargas – 5.

The Motion for Passage is Sustained.

CONVENTION

There being no further business, on Motion of **COUNCILMAN TAYLOR**, Seconded by **COUNCILWOMAN HARRIS**, it is voted to adjourn in memory of William "Red" O'Neill and Lester W. Hazard, Sr. at 6:58 o'clock P.M., to meet again **THURSDAY, OCTOBER 19, 2023** at **6:00 o'clock P.M.**



TINA L. MASTROIANNI
CITY CLERK

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YouTube Channel: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=jWk2XBRtlxI>*

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