

**CITY OF PROVIDENCE
RHODE ISLAND**



IN CITY COUNCIL

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APPROVED:

Rose M. Mendonca CLERM

CITY COUNCIL

JOURNAL OF PROCEEDINGS

No. 109 City Council Regular Meeting, Thursday, December 7, 1978, 8:00 P.M. (E.S.T.)

PRESIDING

COUNCIL PRESIDENT PRO TEMPORE

RALPH FARGNOLI

ROLL CALL

Present: Council President Pro Tempore Fargnoli and Councilmen Addison, Almagno, Bradshaw, Councilwoman Brassil, Councilmen Cirelli, Cola, Flynn, Garan, Glavin, Gorodetsky, Griffin, Henries, Johnson, Lynch, Mansolillo, Pearlman, Petrosinelli, Salvatore, Stravato, Tomasso and Xavier—22.

Absent: Councilmen Ahern and Turchetta—2.

INVOCATION

The Invocation is given by COUNCILMAN
WILLIAM G. BRADSHAW.

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE TO THE FLAG OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

COUNCILMAN WILLIAM G. BRADSHAW
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 RECORD

The Journal of Proceedings No. 108 of the Regular Meeting of the City Council held November 16, 1978 and Posted November 30, 1978, on that Bulletin Board located on the Ground Floor of the City Hall, is Approved as Printed, on motion of COUNCILMAN LYNCH, seconded by COUNCILMAN ADDISON.

APPOINTMENT BY THE COUNCIL PRESIDENT PRO TEMPORE OF THE CITY COUNCIL

Communication from Council President Pro Tempore Ralph Fagnoli, dated November 28, 1978, informing the City Clerk of His Appointment of Councilman Laurence K. Flynn as a Member of the Committee on Urban Redevelopment, Renewal and Planning to Fill the Vacancy Caused by the Termination of Anthony C. Merola as a Councilman.

of the Rules of the City Council for the term, 1975-1979, I hereby appoint Councilman Laurence K. Flynn to the Committee on Urban Redevelopment, Renewal and Planning of the City Council.

Councilman Flynn's appointment to the Committee fills the vacancy caused by the termination of Anthony C. Merola as a Councilman.

November 28, 1978

Mrs. Rose Mendonca
City Clerk
City Hall
Providence, RI 02903

Sincerely,

RALPH FARGNOLI
Council President Pro Tempore

Received.

Dear Mrs. Mendonca:

In accordance with the Provisions of Rule 20

RESIGNATION OF A MEMBER OF THE CITY COUNCIL

Communication from Councilman Mario Turchetta, dated December 5, 1978, informing the Honorable President Pro Tempore and the Honorable Members of the City Council of His Resignation as a Member of the City Council from the Thirteenth Ward of Providence.

My dear Council Colleagues:

I, Mario Turchetta, hereby submit my resignation as a Member of the Providence City Council effective this day, due to personal reasons.

Very sincerely yours,

MARIO TURCHETTA

December 5, 1978

President Pro Tempore, Ralph Fagnoli
and Members of the City Council
City Hall
Providence, RI 02903

Received.

SCHEDULE OF BILLS

FROM ACTING PUBLIC SERVICE ENGINEER:

Street Lighting Bill for November, 1978 in the Amount of Eighty-Four Thousand, Six Hundred Ninety Dollars and Sixteen Cents (\$84,690.16).

Approved, on motion of COUNCILMAN LYNCH, seconded by COUNCILMAN ADDISON, by the following Roll Call Vote:

Ayes: Council President Pro Tempore Fagnoli and Councilmen Addison, Almagno, Bradshaw, Councilwoman Brassil, Councilmen Cirelli, Cola,

Flynn, Garan, Glavin, Griffin, Johnson, Lynch, Mansolillo, Pearlman, Petrosinelli, Salvatore, Stravato and Xavier—19.

Not Voting: Councilmen Gorodetsky, Henries and Tomasso—3.

Absent: Councilmen Ahern and Turchetta—2.

The motion for Approval is Sustained.

PRESENTATION OF ORDINANCES

COUNCILMAN BRADSHAW (By Request):

An Ordinance Amending Section C of Chapter 1342, Approved August 5, 1960, Entitled, "An Ordinance Zoning the City of Providence and Establishing Use, Height and Area Regulations," Approved September 21, 1951, as Amended, by Adding Article VI-A, Entitled "Historic District Zoning" and Adding to the Historic District that Geographical Area within the Boundaries of Stimson Avenue, Diman Place, Hope Street and Angell Street.

Referred to the Committee on Ordinances. on motion of COUNCILMAN LYNCH, seconded by COUNCILMEN ADDISON and BRADSHAW.

The motion to Refer is Sustained.

COUNCILMAN JOHNSON (By Request):

An Ordinance in Amendment of Section 2-300 of the Code of Ordinances of the City of Providence, Rhode Island, Effective October 21, 1968, Relative to Payment of Election Officials.

Referred to the Committee on Finance, on motion of COUNCILMAN LYNCH, seconded by COUNCILMAN ADDISON.

The motion to Refer is Sustained.

COUNCILMAN XAVIER (By Request):

An Ordinance in Amendment of and In Addition to Chapter 1977-15 of the Ordinances of the City of Providence, Approved April 28, 1977, and Entitled, "An Ordinance Approving and

Adopting the Official Redevelopment Plan for Federal Hill East."

COUNCILMAN LYNCH, seconded by **COUNCILMAN ADDISON**.

Referred to the Committee on Urban Redevelopment, Renewal and Planning, on motion of

The motion to Refer is Sustained.

PRESENTATION OF RESOLUTIONS

COUNCIL PRESIDENT PRO TEMPORE FARG-NOLI:

Resolution Extending Congratulations to Ann Sebastian Upon Her Retirement from the Board of Canvassers and Registration.

Whereas, Ann Sebastian, employee of the City of Providence since April 2, 1956, has elected to retire, effective February 26, 1978, and

Whereas, Her City Service began in the Board of Canvassers and Registration as Temporary Clerk, from which she became a full time employee in the City Assessor's Office, effective October 21, 1957, where she excelled as a Key Punch Operator, and

Whereas, Upon the transfer of the payroll, she was transferred to the Board of Canvassers and Registration on October 16, 1967, where she remained until her retirement,

Now, Therefore, be it Resolved, That in noting the retirement of Ann Sebastian, her host of friends she made through the years do miss her ever pleasant presence at City Hall, and

Be it further Resolved, That the Members of the City Council extend their best wishes to Ann, for the healthy and prosperous years ahead that she may enjoy her well earned retirement.

COUNCILMAN ADDISON (By Request):

Resolution Authorizing the Committee on Public Welfare to Investigate the Closing of the Recreational Centers.

Whereas, It has recently been reported that Fourteen Neighborhood Recreation Centers have been closed and Recreation Programs for children in eight Middle Schools have been suspended due to lack of funds, and

Whereas, The closing of these Centers has an adverse effect on the youngsters in our City and the cause of great concern to many,

Now, Therefore, be it Resolved, That the Committee on Public Welfare is hereby authorized to investigate the closing of the Neighborhood Recreation Centers and the suspension of the Recreation Programs in eight Middle Schools.

Severally Read and Collectively Passed, on motion of COUNCILMAN LYNCH, seconded by COUNCILMAN ADDISON.

The motion for Passage is Sustained.

COUNCILMAN ALMAGNO (By Request):

Resolution Requesting the Acting Public Service Engineer to Order the Installation of Sodium Vapor Lighting along Pocasset Avenue from Webster Avenue to Prudence Avenue and along Plainfield Street from Odd Fellows Square to the Providence City Line.

Referred to the Committee on Public Works, on motion of COUNCILMAN LYNCH, seconded by COUNCILMAN ADDISON.

The motion to Refer is Sustained.

COUNCILWOMAN BRASSIL:

Resolution Requesting the Owner of the Hoppin Homestead Building, Located at 345 Westminster Street, to Delay the Demolition of Said Building Pending Further Study.

Whereas, The owner of the Hoppin Homestead Building, situated at 345 Westminster Street, Providence, has indicated his intention to cause that building to be demolished, and

Whereas, The Hoppin Homestead Building has been in existence for more than a century and therefore historical in nature and significant in architectural design,

Now, Therefore, be it Resolved, That the owner of that building, known as the Hoppin Homestead Building, located at 345 Westminster Street, Providence, delay the proposed demolition, pending further study to determine its historical value.

Read and Passed, on motion of COUNCILMAN LYNCH, seconded by COUNCILMAN ADDISON.

The motion for Passage is Sustained.

COUNCILMAN FLYNN (By Request):

Resolution Requesting the Traffic Engineer to Invoke "No Thru Trucking" Regulations along Cumerford Street between Sterling Avenue and Union Avenue.

Resolution Requesting the Traffic Engineer to Invoke "No Thru Trucking" Regulations along Judith Street, between Sterling Avenue and Magnolia Street.

Severally Referred to the Committee on Public Works on motion of COUNCILMAN LYNCH, seconded by COUNCILMAN ADDISON.

The motion to Refer is Sustained.

COUNCILMAN GLAVIN (By Request):

Resolution Requesting the Acting Public Service Engineer to Order the Installation of a Street Light on Pole No. 136 1/2, Located along Chalkstone Avenue.

Resolved, That the Acting Public Service Engineer is requested to cause the installation of a street light on Pole No. 136 1/2, located along Chalkstone Avenue.

COUNCILMAN GLAVIN and COUNCILMAN FLYNN:

Resolution Extending Best Wishes and Good Health to Timothy J. Ahern Upon His Retirement as Councilman from the Twelfth Ward of Providence.

Whereas, Timothy J. Ahern, Councilman from the Twelfth Ward was not a candidate to succeed himself as such, at the 1978 General Election, thus culminating a term of office which started November 28, 1968 and will end January 3, 1979, and

Whereas, A personable and well liked Member of the Councils, in which he served, "Timmie" was ever ready to assist his colleagues, in the Council and his constituency in Ward Twelve,

Now, Therefore, be it Resolved, That in noting Councilman Timothy J. Ahern's elected retirement, at the termination of his current term, as such, his colleagues, in the Council extend its best wishes for a long and healthy period of retirement, so as to enjoy the company of his devoted wife Hope and of their fine family, and

Be it further Resolved, That upon the adoption of this Resolution by the City Council and its approval by His Honor the Mayor, the City Clerk is directed to transmit a duly engrossed copy of the same to Councilman Timothy J. Ahern.

COUNCILMAN GORODETSKY (By Request):

Resolution Requesting the Acting Public Service Engineer to Cause the Installation of a Street Light on Pole No. 16, Located along Eighth Street.

Resolved, That the Acting Public Service Engineer is requested to Order the Installation of a Street Light on Pole No. 16, located along Eighth Street.

Severally Read and Collectively Passed, on motion of **COUNCILMAN LYNCH**, seconded by **COUNCILMAN ADDISON**.

The motion for Passage is Sustained.

COUNCILMAN HENRIES (By Request):

Resolution Requesting the Traffic Engineer to Cause Fricker Street from Cranston Street to Broad Street to be Closed on School Days to Vehicular Traffic between the Hours of 8:00 o'clock A.M. to 3:00 o'clock P.M.

Referred to the Committee on Public Works, on motion of **COUNCILMAN LYNCH**, seconded by **COUNCILMAN ADDISON**.

The motion to Refer is Sustained.

COUNCILMAN PEARLMAN:

Resolution Urging Speedy Adoption of a Home Rule Amendment for the Providence City Charter.

Referred to Committee on Ordinances, on motion of **COUNCILMAN LYNCH**, seconded by **COUNCILMAN ADDISON**.

The motion to Refer is Sustained.

Resolution Requesting All Public Utility Companies and the Public Utility Commission to Survey All Installations that are Thirty-Five Years or Older, Both Above and Below the Streets and Other Areas.

Referred to the Committee on Public Works, on motion of **COUNCILMAN LYNCH**, seconded by **COUNCILMAN ADDISON**.

The motion to Refer is Sustained.

COUNCILMAN PEARLMAN and COUNCILMAN BRADSHAW (By Request):

Resolution Authorizing His Honor the Mayor to Execute an Easement Deed and a Collateral Agreement Thereto, to the Narragansett Electric Company, for Purposes as Set Forth on Six (6) Strips of Land Located in Foster, Rhode Island, Totalling 94.53 Acres as Outlined on Accompanying Map.

C. Foulk for the Total Sum of Two Thousand, One Hundred Forty-Five Dollars and Forty-One Cents (\$2,145.41).

Referred to the Committee on City Property, on motion of COUNCILMAN LYNCH, seconded by COUNCILMAN ADDISON.

The motion to Refer is Sustained.

Resolution Authorizing His Honor the Mayor to Execute a Deed of Conveyance of Certain Land Owned by the City of Providence Situated between Black Street and the Penn Central Railroad Tracks to Providence Inn Associates.

Resolutions Reporting Receipts of Certain Gifts of Monies by the Board of Park Commissioners for the Preservation and Care of Specified Burial Lots in North Burial Ground.

Severally Referred to the Committee on City Property, on motion of COUNCILMAN LYNCH, seconded by COUNCILMAN ADDISON.

Severally Referred to the Committee on Finance, on motion of COUNCILMAN LYNCH, seconded by COUNCILMAN ADDISON.

The motion to Refer is Sustained.

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COUNCILMAN STRAVATO (By Request):

Resolution Authorizing the Mayor of the City of Providence to Execute the Contract with the Urban Mass Transportation Administration (UMTA) for Section 3 Funding.

Resolution Requesting the Director of Public Works to Cause the Removal of that Curbing along 25 Flower Street to Allow Angular Parking.

Referred to the Committee on Urban Redevelopment, Renewal and Planning, on motion of COUNCILMAN LYNCH, seconded by COUNCILMAN ADDISON.

Referred to the Committee on Public Works, on motion of COUNCILMAN LYNCH, seconded by COUNCILMAN ADDISON.

The motion to Refer is Sustained.

The motion to Refer is Sustained.

COUNCILMAN XAVIER:

Resolution Authorizing the City Treasurer to Assign Tax Title on Lot 104, Plat 23 to William

Resolution Requesting the Committee on City

Property to Offer for Sale the Valley View Housing Development.

Resolution Authorizing the Board of Contract and Supply, on Behalf of the City of Providence to Purchase Land within the Mt. Hope Project, R.I. R-18 from the Providence Redevelopment Agency for the Sum of One Dollar (\$1.00).

COUNCILMAN XAVIER (By Request):

Severally Referred to the Committee on City Property, on motion of **COUNCILMAN LYNCH**, seconded by **COUNCILMAN ADDISON**.

Resolution Authorizing the Board of Contract and Supply to Purchase from the Providence Redevelopment Agency for the Sum of One Dollar (\$1.00), Parcels of Land Situated in the City of Providence Described as Parcels 1 and 2 in Accompanying Deed.

The motion to Refer is Sustained.

Resolution Establishing Andrew Street from Grove Street Southerly to Broadway as a One-Way Street.

Resolution Authorizing the Board of Contract and Supply to Purchase from the Providence Redevelopment Agency for the Sum of One Dollar (\$1.00), Parcels of Land Situated in the City of Providence Described as Parcels 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6 and 7 in Accompanying Deed.

Referred to the Committee on Public Works, on motion of **COUNCILMAN LYNCH**, seconded by **COUNCILMAN ADDISON**.

The motion to Refer is Sustained.

RECESS

On motion of **COUNCILMAN LYNCH**, seconded by **COUNCILMAN ADDISON**, it is Voted that the Council be in Recess at 9:00 o'clock P.M. (E.S.T.) to Reconvene at the Call of the Chair.

RECONVENTION

COUNCIL PRESIDENT PRO TEMPORE FARGNOLI Reconvenes the Council at 9:20 o'clock P.M. (E.S.T.), and Directs the Clerk to Call the Roll to Ascertain if there is a Quorum Present.

Present: Council President Pro Tempore Fargnoli and Councilmen Addison, Almagno, Brad-

shaw, Councilwoman Brassil, Councilmen Cirelli, Cola, Flynn, Garan, Glavin, Gorodetsky, Griffin, Henries, Johnson, Lynch, Mansolillo, Pearlman, Petrosinelli, Salvatore, Stravato, Tomasso and Xavier—22.

Absent: Councilmen Ahern and Turchetta—2.

REPORTS FROM COMMITTEES

COUNCILWOMAN CAROLYN F. BRASSIL, Chairwoman COMMITTEE ON FINANCE

Transmits the following with Recommendation
the Same be Severally Adopted:

An Ordinance Amending the Appropriation Ordinance Chapter 1978-18 by Appropriating the Sum of One Hundred Sixty Thousand Dollars (\$160,000.00) to the Providence Public Library Special Items Account (1-14-09-347).

Read and Passed the First Time and Referred Back to the Committee on Finance, on motion of COUNCILMAN LYNCH, seconded by COUNCILMAN ADDISON, by the following Roll Call Vote:

Ayes: Council President Pro Tempore Fargnoli and Councilmen Addison, Almagno, Bradshaw, Councilwoman Brassil, Councilmen Cirelli, Cola, Flynn, Garan, Glavin, Gorodetsky, Griffin, Henries, Johnson, Lynch, Mansolillo, Pearlman, Petrosinelli, Stravato, Tomasso and Xavier—21.

Noes: Councilman Salvatore—1.

Absent: Councilmen Ahern and Turchetta—2.

The motion for Passage the First Time and Referral Back to the Committee on Finance is Sustained.

An Ordinance in Amendment of Paragraph (b) Section 15-18 of the Code of Ordinances of the City of Providence, Entitled "Removal, Impounding of Illegally Parked Vehicles; Towing Storage Charges — Payment of Charges."

Read and Passed the First Time, on motion of COUNCILMAN LYNCH, seconded by COUNCILMAN ADDISON, by the following Roll Call Vote:

Ayes: Council President Pro Tempore Fargnoli

and Councilmen Addison, Almagno, Bradshaw, Councilwoman Brassil, Councilmen Cirelli, Cola, Flynn, Garan, Glavin, Gorodetsky, Griffin, Johnson, Lynch, Mansolillo, Pearlman, Petrosinelli, Salvatore, Stravato and Xavier—20.

Not Voting: Councilmen Henries and Tomasso—2.

Absent: Councilmen Ahern and Turchetta—2.

The motion for Passage the First Time is Sustained.

An Ordinance in Amendment of the Appropriation Ordinance Chapter 1978-18, Approved July 28, 1978, by Appropriating a Sum Not to Exceed One Thousand One Hundred Forty-Four Dollars (\$1,144.00) to Department of Public Property — Public Buildings, Item "0", (Personal Services).

An Ordinance in Amendment of Chapter 1978-19, Section 48, Approved July 28, 1978, Entitled, "An Ordinance Establishing the Classes of Positions, the Maximum Number of Employees and the Number of Employees in Certain Classes in the City Departments and Repealing Ordinance Chapter 1977-30, Approved July 5, 1977, as Amended," Relative to Department of Public Property — Public Buildings.

Severally Read and Collectively Passed the First Time, on motion of COUNCILMAN LYNCH, seconded by COUNCILMAN ADDISON, by the following Roll Call Vote:

Ayes: Council President Pro Tempore Fargnoli and Councilmen Addison, Almagno, Bradshaw, Councilwoman Brassil, Councilmen Cirelli, Cola, Flynn, Garan, Glavin, Gorodetsky, Griffin, Johnson, Lynch, Mansolillo, Pearlman, Petrosinelli, Salvatore, Stravato, Tomasso and Xavier—21.

Not Voting: Councilman Henries—1.

Absent: Councilmen Ahern and Turchetta—2.

The motion for Passage the First Time is Sustained.

An Ordinance in Amendment of the Appropriation Ordinance Chapter 1978-18 Approved July 28, 1978 by Appropriating a Sum Not to Exceed Four Hundred Fifty Dollars (\$450.00) to Zoning Board of Review Item "0" (Personal Services).

An Ordinance in Amendment of Chapter 1978-20 Approved July 28, 1978, Entitled, "An Ordinance Establishing a Compensation Plan for the City of Providence and Repealing Ordinance Chapter 1977-31, Approved July 5, 1977, as Amended," Relative to Zoning Board of Review (1-04-06).

Severally Read and Collectively Passed the First Time, on motion of COUNCILMAN LYNCH, seconded by COUNCILMAN ADDISON, by the following Roll Call Vote:

Ayes: Council President Pro Tempore Fargnoli and Councilmen Addison, Almagno, Bradshaw, Councilwoman Brassil, Councilmen Cirelli, Cola, Garan, Glavin, Gorodetsky, Griffin, Lynch, Mansolillo, Pearlman, Petrosinelli, Salvatore, Stravato, Tomasso and Xavier—19.

Not Voting: Councilman Henries—1.

Absent: Councilmen Ahern, Flynn, Johnson and Turchetta—4.

The motion for Passage the First Time is Sustained.

An Ordinance in Amendment of Chapter 1978-20, Approved July 28, 1978, Entitled, "An Ordinance Establishing a Compensation Plan for the City of Providence and Repealing Ordinance Chapter 1977-31, Approved July 5, 1977, as Amended," Relative to the Department of Communications (1-03-04).

Read and Passed the First Time, on motion of COUNCILMAN LYNCH, seconded by COUNCILMAN ADDISON, by the following Roll Call Vote:

Ayes: Council President Pro Tempore Fargnoli and Councilmen Addison, Almagno, Bradshaw, Councilwoman Brassil, Councilmen Cirelli, Cola, Flynn, Garan, Glavin, Gorodetsky, Griffin, Johnson, Lynch, Mansolillo, Pearlman, Petrosinelli, Salvatore, Stravato, Tomasso and Xavier—21.

Not Voting: Councilman Henries—1.

Absent: Councilmen Ahern and Turchetta—2.

The motion for Passage the First Time, is Sustained.

An Ordinance in Amendment of Ordinance No. 457, Chapter 1978-18 Making an Appropriation of One Hundred Fourteen Million, Nine Hundred Ninety-Eight Thousand, Eight Hundred Fifty Dollars and Ninety-Two Cents (\$114,998,850.92) for the Support of the City Government for the Fiscal Year Ending June 30, 1979 as Amended, Approved July 28, 1978.

Referred Back to the Committee on Finance, on motion of COUNCILMAN LYNCH, seconded by COUNCILMEN ADDISON and MANSOLILLO.

The motion to Refer Back to Committee is Sustained.

An Ordinance in Amendment of Section 2-23 of the Code of Ordinances of the City of Providence and Entitled, "Salaries of Councilmen; Expense Accounts."

COUNCILMAN LYNCH moves the Ordinance be Amended by deleting in the following in Section 1, the second line, the word "seventeen" and insert in lieu thereof, the word "eighteen"; in line three delete the figures One Thousand, Seven Hundred Dollars (\$1,700.00) and insert in lieu thereof, the figures "\$1,800.00"; in line four, delete the word "forty" and insert in lieu thereof the word "fifty" and in line five, delete the figures "\$141.66" and insert in lieu thereof, the figures "\$150.00".

This motion being seconded by COUNCILMEN ADDISON and PEARLMAN, is put to Vote and Passed by a Voice Vote.

COUNCILMAN LYNCH moves the Ordinance be Read and Passed the First Time, as Amended.

This motion being seconded by COUNCILMAN ADDISON, is put to Vote and Passed by the following Roll Call Vote:

Ayes: Council President Pro Tempore Fargnoli and Councilman Addison, Councilwoman Brassil, Councilmen Cirelli, Garan, Gorodetsky, Johnson, Lynch, Pearlman, Stravato and Xavier—11.

Noes: Councilmen Almagno, Bradshaw, Cola, Flynn, Glavin, Griffin, Henries, Petrosinelli, Salvatore and Tomasso—10.

Not Voting: Councilman Mansolillo—1.

Absent: Councilmen Ahern and Turchetta—2.

The motion for Passage the First Time, as Amended, is Sustained.

The following Are Transmitted with Recommendation the Same be Severally Adopted as Amended:

An Ordinance Appropriating the Principal and Interest of the Fund Known as "City of Providence — Unclaimed Estates" (5-392) to the Providence Community Action Program, Inc.

President, Majority Leader and Minority Leader	Other Council Members
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January 1, 1979 — December 31, 1979	\$4,000.00	\$3,000.00
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An Ordinance Appropriating the Principal and Interest of the Fund Known as "City of Providence Anonymous Donation for the Support of the Poor" (5-652) to the Providence Community Action Program, Inc.

January 1, 1980 — December 31, 1980	4,200.00	3,200.00
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January 1, 1981 — December 31, 1981	4,435.00	3,435.00
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Severally Read and Collectively Passed the First Time as Amended, on motion of COUNCILMAN LYNCH, seconded by COUNCILMEN ADDISON and MANSOLILLO, by the following Roll Call Vote:

January 1, 1982 — December 31, 1982	4,675.00	3,675.00
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This motion being seconded by COUNCILMAN ADDISON, is put to Vote and Passed by a Voice Vote.

Ayes: Council President Pro Tempore Fargnoli and Councilmen Addison, Almagno, Bradshaw, Councilwoman Brassil, Councilmen Cirelli, Cola, Flynn, Garan, Glavin, Gorodetsky, Griffin, Henries, Johnson, Lynch, Mansolillo, Pearlman, Petrosinelli, Salvatore, Stravato, Tomasso and Xavier—22.

COUNCILMAN LYNCH moves the Ordinance be Read and Passed the First Time as Amended.

This motion being seconded by COUNCILMAN ADDISON, is put to Vote and Passed by the following Roll Call Vote:

Absent: Councilmen Ahern and Turchetta—2.

Ayes: Council President Pro Tempore Fargnoli and Councilman Addison, Councilwoman Brassil, Councilmen Cirelli, Garan, Gorodetsky, Johnson, Lynch, Mansolillo, Pearlman, Stravato and Xavier—12.

The motion for Passage the First Time, as Amended, is Sustained.

Noes: Councilmen Almagno, Bradshaw, Cola, Flynn, Glavin, Griffin, Henries, Petrosinelli, Salvatore and Tomasso—10.

Absent: Councilmen Ahern and Turchetta—2.

An Ordinance in Amendment of Section 2-23 of the Code of Ordinances of the City of Providence, Entitled, "Salaries of Councilmen; Expense Accounts," as Amended.

The motion for Passage the First Time as Amended, is Sustained.

COUNCILMAN LYNCH moves that the paragraph following Section 1 be deleted in its entirety and the following be inserted in lieu thereof.

"The Salaries of the Members of the City Council shall be as follows:

COUNCILMAN RALPH FARGNOLI, Chairman
COMMITTEE ON URBAN REDEVELOPMENT, RENEWAL AND PLANNING

**Transmits the following with Recommendation
the Same be Severally Adopted:**

An Ordinance in Amendment of and In Addition to Chapter 1973-52 of the Ordinances of the City of Providence Approved December 24, 1973 and Entitled "An Ordinance Approving and Adopting the Official Redevelopment Plan for West Broadway NDP Urban Renewal Area (1)."

tion to Chapter 1575 of the Ordinances of the City of Providence, Approved October 18, 1963, and Entitled "An Ordinance Approving the Official Redevelopment Plan for the Weybosset Hill Project No. R.I. R-7."

Severally Read and Collectively Passed the First Time, on motion of COUNCILMAN LYNCH, seconded by COUNCILMAN ADDISON, by the following Roll Call Vote:

An Ordinance in Amendment of and In Addition to Chapter 1575 of the Ordinances of the City of Providence, Approved October 18, 1963, and Entitled "An Ordinance Approving and Adopting the Official Redevelopment Plan for the Weybosset Hill Project No. R.I. R-7."

Ayes: Council President Pro Tempore Fargnoli and Councilmen Addison, Almagno, Bradshaw, Councilwoman Brassil, Councilmen Cirelli, Cola, Flynn, Garan, Glavin, Gorodetsky, Griffin, Henries, Johnson, Lynch, Mansolillo, Pearlman, Petrosinelli, Salvatore and Stravato—20.

Absent: Councilmen Ahern, Tomasso, Turchetta and Xavier—4.

An Ordinance in Amendment of and In Addition to Chapter 1575 of the Ordinances of the City of Providence, Approved October 18, 1963, and Entitled "An Ordinance Approving and Adopting the Official Redevelopment Plan for the Weybosset Hill Project No. R.I. R-7."

The motion for Passage the First Time, is Sustained.

The following Are Transmitted with Recommendation the Same be Severally Received:

Report from the Providence Redevelopment Agency, dated October 26, 1978, Informing the Honorable City Council of Its Proposed Sale of Real Property within the Weybosset Hill Project R. I. R-7, viz:

Parcel 25D consisting of 166,541 sq. ft. of land as delineated on the attached map for the disposition price of \$125,000 to George Macomber d/b/a Moshassuck Square Development Company for Commercial Construction.

Parcel 16B consisting of 34,522 sq. ft. of land as delineated on the attached map for the disposition price of \$172,500 to Weybosset Hill Development Corporation and Downtown Realty, Inc. for Commercial Construction.

Parcel 92A consisting of 6,950 sq. ft. of land as delineated on the attached map for the disposition price of \$5,100.00 to Fernando S. Cunha of 621 Angell Street, Providence, Rhode Island for Residential Rehabilitation.

Also within the East Side Renewal Project R.I. R-4, viz:

Also within the Mount Hope Project R. I. R-18, viz:

Parcel 19 consisting of 4,094 sq. ft. of land as delineated on the attached map for the disposition price of \$1,600.00 to James Israeloff of 257 Summit Drive, Cranston, Rhode Island for Commercial Construction.

Parcel 23 consisting of 2,610 sq. ft. of land as delineated on the attached map for the disposition price of \$260.00 to Donald J. Lopes of 14 Larch Street, Providence, Rhode Island for Residential Fringe Parcel Construction.

Also within the West Broadway NDP A2-1, Year II, viz:

Parcel 2-19 consisting of 6,400 sq. ft. of land as delineated on the attached map for the disposition price of \$3,500.00 to New Homes for Federal Hill, Inc. for Residential Construction.

Parcel 2-20A consisting of 11,320 sq. ft. of land as delineated on the attached map for the disposition price of \$5,300.00 to New Homes for Federal Hill, Inc. for Residential Construction.

Also within the Comstock Redevelopment Project, viz:

Parcel 17 consisting of 4,018.8 sq. ft. of land as delineated on the attached map for the dispo-

sition price of \$603.00 to C. Brown Realty Co., Inc., for Residential Fringe Parcel Construction.

Report from the Providence Redevelopment Agency, dated October 19, 1978, Informing the Honorable City Council of Its Proposed Sale of Real Property within the Federal Hill East Redevelopment Project, viz:

Parcel 3A consisting of 21,092± sq. ft. of land as delineated on the attached map for the disposition price of \$63,000.00 to Anthony Viola, Jr., d/b/a Viola Construction Co. of 149 Gano Street, Providence, Rhode Island for Commercial Construction.

Parcel 3B consisting of 1,296± sq. ft. of land as delineated on the attached map for the disposition price of \$850.00 to Giovanni Pagliaro of 272 Broadway, Providence, Rhode Island for Residential Fringe Parcel.

Severally Received, on motion of COUNCILMAN LYNCH, seconded by COUNCILMEN ADDISON and MANSOLILLO.

The motion to Receive is Sustained.

COUNCILMAN LAURENCE K. FLYNN, Chairman
COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC WORKS

Transmits the following with Recommendation
the Same be Severally Adopted:

Resolution Establishing Edna Street in a Northerly Direction, from Plainfield Street to Hartford Avenue, as a One-Way Street.

Resolved, That Edna Street, in a Northerly Direction, from Plainfield Street to Hartford Avenue, be established as a One-Way Street.

Resolution that Hawthorne Street, in an Easterly Direction, from Vineyard Street to Elmwood Avenue, be Established as a One-Way Street.

Resolved, That Hawthorne Street, in an Easterly Direction, from Vineyard Street to Elmwood Avenue, be established as a One-Way Street.

Resolution that Margrave Avenue, in an Easterly Direction, from Blackstone Boulevard to Grotto Avenue, be Established as a One-Way Street.

Resolved, That Margrave Avenue, in an Easterly Direction, from Blackstone Boulevard to Grotto Avenue, be Established as a One-Way Street.

Severally Read and Collectedly Passed, on motion of COUNCILMAN LYNCH, seconded by COUNCILMAN ADDISON.

The motion for Passage is Sustained.

Resolution Requesting the Director of Public Works to Cause Alfred Stone Road and Magellan Street, to be Resurfaced.

Referred Back to the Committee on Public Works, on motion of COUNCILMAN LYNCH, seconded by COUNCILMAN ADDISON.

The motion to Refer Back to the Committee on Public Works, is Sustained.

Resolution Requesting the Chief of the Division of Electrical Inspection; the Director of the Department of Public Works and the Acting Director of the Department of Building Inspection to Undertake a Study Concerning the Feasibility of Requiring Overhead Electric Wires to be Installed Below Ground to Improve the Beauty of the City as Well as to Avoid Blackouts During Inclement Weather.

Resolved, That the Chief of the Division of Electrical Inspection; the Director of the Department of Public Works and the Acting Director of the Department of Building Inspection are requested to undertake a study concerning the feasibility of requiring overhead electric wires to be installed below ground to improve the beauty of the City as well as to avoid blackouts during inclement weather and that the Law Department be requested to study other cities and towns that have such ordinances and regulations such as New York City.

Read and Passed, on motion of COUNCILMAN LYNCH, seconded by COUNCILMAN ADDISON.

The motion for Passage is Sustained.

The following is Transmitted with Recommendation the Same be Received:

Communication from State Department of Transportation, Informing the Honorable City Council that Its Records as of June 23, 1978, Show a Total of 14.74 Miles of City Maintained Roads on the State Highway System in Providence Entitling the Said City to the Sum of Ten

Thousand Dollars (\$10,000.00) for the Current Year for Such Work.

Received, on motion of COUNCILMAN LYNCH, seconded by COUNCILMAN ADDISON.

The following Are Transmitted with Recommendation the Same be Severally Denied:

Resolution that Westcott Avenue, in a Southerly Direction and Herschel Street in a Northerly Direction are Hereby Established as One-Way Streets.

Petition to Abandon as a Public Highway, that Portion of Acorn Street, from Spruce Street to its Northerly Termination.

Resolution Requesting the Traffic Engineer to Invoke "20 Miles Per Hour Speed Limit" Regulations along Ford Street, from Dexter Street to Cranston Street.

Petition of Richard C. Gower to Abandon Portions of Clark and Towner Streets.

Severally Denied, on motion of COUNCILMAN LYNCH, seconded by COUNCILMAN ADDISON.

The motion to Deny is Sustained.

Resolution to Permit Passenger and Bus Traffic on the Westminster Pedestrian Mall During Inclement and Cold Weather.

**COUNCILMAN HARRY A. JOHNSON, Chairman
COMMITTEE ON CITY PROPERTY**

Transmits the following with Recommendation the Same be Adopted:

Resolution Authorizing His Honor the Mayor to Enter Into a Lease Agreement with the DaVinci Center for Operation and Maintenance of the Center.

a Lease Agreement with the DaVinci Center located on Charles Street in Providence, Rhode Island.

Resolved, That His Honor the Mayor is authorized, with the recommendation of the Committee on City Property of the City Council to enter into

Read and Passed, on motion of COUNCILMAN LYNCH, seconded by COUNCILMAN ADDISON, by the following Roll Call Vote:

Ayes: Council President Pro Tempore Fagnoli and Councilmen Addison, Almagno, Bradshaw, Councilwoman Brassil, Councilmen Cirelli, Flynn, Glavin, Gorodetsky, Griffin, Henries, Johnson, Lynch, Mansolillo, Pearlman, Petrosinelli, Salvatore, Stravato and Tomasso—19.

Absent: Councilmen Ahern, Cola, Garan, Turchetta and Xavier—5.

The motion for Passage is Sustained.

**COUNCILMAN LOUIS R. STRAVATO, Chairman
COMMITTEE ON CLAIMS AND PENDING SUITS**

Transmits the following with Recommendation
the Same be Severally Approved for Cancellation:

Certificates from the City Assessor (1-C through 8-C inclusive, 11-C through 15-C inclusive, 17-C through 30-C inclusive, 32-C through 35-C inclusive, 37-C, 41-C, 43-C and 44-C) Recommending the Same be Severally Cancelled, Pursuant to the Provisions of Sections 14 and 15 of Title 44, Chapter 7, of the General Laws of 1956, as Amended.

Ayes: Council President Pro Tempore Fagnoli Councilmen Addison, Almagno, Bradshaw, Councilwoman Brassil, Councilmen Cirelli, Flynn, Gorodetsky, Griffin, Henries, Johnson, Lynch, Mansolillo, Pearlman, Petrosinelli, Salvatore and Stravato—17.

Not Voting: Councilman Tomasso—1.

Severally Approved for Cancellation, on motion of COUNCILMAN LYNCH, seconded by COUNCILMAN ADDISON, by the following Roll Call Vote:

Absent: Councilmen Ahern, Cola, Garan, Glavin, Turchetta and Xavier—6.

The motion for Approval is Sustained.

COMMUNICATIONS AND REPORTS

FROM SIDNEY GOLDMAN, CHAIRMAN OF THE BOARD OF TAX ASSESSMENT AND REVIEW:

Seated, the Board Voted to Re-appoint Louise Gabriele as Its Secretary and Sidney Goldman as Chairman.

Communication, Informing the City Council the New Member, George T. Smith, Jr., was

Received.

FROM THE HISTORIC PRESERVATION COMMISSION:

Communications, Informing the City Council that the Commission has Approved the Preparation of Nominations to the National Register of Historic Places for Geneva Mills, Branch Avenue and Capelli Block, 265 Atwells Avenue, Providence, Rhode Island.

Severally Received.

FROM THE CITY ASSESSOR:

Certificates (39-C, 40-C, 51-C, 52-C, 53-C and 56-C) Recommending the Same be Severally Cancelled, Pursuant to the Provisions of Sections 14 and 15 of Title 44, Chapter 7 of the General Laws of Rhode Island, 1956, as Amended.

Severally Referred to the Committee on Claims and Pending Suits, on motion of COUNCILMAN LYNCH, seconded by COUNCILMAN ADDISON.

The motion to Refer is Sustained.

FROM THE CITY PLAN COMMISSION:

1975 Land Use Comparison Report.

Received.

FROM THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WELFARE:

Annual Report for the Twelve Months Ended June 30, 1978.

Received.

FROM THE PROVIDENCE HUMAN RELATIONS COMMISSION:

Annual Report for the Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 1978.

Received.

FROM THE PORT DIRECTOR:

Report for the Month of October, 1978.

Received.

FROM THE ACTING CITY CONTROLLER:

Monthly Statement for Capital, General and School Funds for the Four Months Ended October, 1978.

Received.

PETITIONS

COUNCILWOMAN BRASSIL and COUNCILMAN XAVIER (By Request):

Petition of Armand Vadeboncoeur, 66 Armstrong Avenue, Providence, for Appointment as a Weigher of Coal and Other Merchandise.

COUNCILMAN PEARLMAN and COUNCILMAN BRADSHAW (By Request):

Petition of Frederick Broomfield, 185 Lorimer Avenue, Providence, for Appointment as a Weigher of Coal and Other Merchandise.

Severally Referred to the Committee on Licenses, on motion of COUNCILMAN LYNCH, seconded by COUNCILMAN ADDISON.

COUNCILMAN CIRELLI (By Request):

Petition of Joseph J. Rigney, 99 Victoria Street, Providence, Rhode Island be Appointed as a Weigher of Coal and Other Merchandise.

The motion to Refer is Sustained.

FROM THE CLERK'S DESK

Petitions for Compensation for Injuries and Damages, viz:

Robert J. Aptt

Daniel M. Barber

Mary C. Conca

Emilio A. Costantino

Joseph Cravino

Anthony DelSanto

Antoinette DiMaio

Employers Mutual Companies as subrogee of Format, Inc.

Katherine Etheridge

David Farias

John Gradin

Alean Green

Rodney Hamilton

Edward T. Kornhanser

Metropolitan Property and Liability Ins., Co., as subrogee of Angel Lobaton

Shirley A. Nasberg

Stanton J. Oliver

David Paul

Duane Paul

Eleanor Quigley

Marcellus Robinson

Armand Sampson

Mary Shartenberg

Marjorie R. Smith

Fred Spinney

Maureen Stephenson p.p.a. Christopher Correia

Etta Swerling

John A. Tedesco

United Service Automobile Association as sub-
rogee of George Krumenacker

Robert J. Vicario

Severally Referred to the Committee on Claims
and Pending Suits, on motion of COUNCILMAN
LYNCH, seconded by COUNCILMAN ADDISON.

The motion to Refer is Sustained.

PRESENTATION OF RESOLUTIONS

"In Memoriam"

COUNCILMAN COLA:

Resolution of Sympathy Upon the Death of An-
gela Masiello.

Whereas, Angela Masiello, a life-long resident
of our City, has been called to her eternal re-
ward,

Now, Therefore, be it Resolved, That the Mem-
bers of this City Council pause in their delibera-
tions to offer prayers and to extend their heart-
felt sympathy to her husband Ralph and family
in their period of bereavement.

Resolution Noting the Death of James F. Ryder,
Late Retired Police Officer.

Whereas, James F. Ryder, former Police Offi-
cer in the Providence Police Department until
his retirement in 1960 has passed from this life,
and

Whereas, He was a member of the Fraternal
Order of Police, Providence Lodge No. 3 and the
Mutual Clerk's Union of Rhode Island, Local 334,

Now, Therefore, be it Resolved, That in noting
the untimely death of James F. Ryder, the Mem-
bers of this City Council extend their sincere
sympathy to his wife Yvette, and to their family
upon the great loss they have sustained, and

Be it further Resolved, That upon the adoption of this Resolution by the City Council and its approval by His Honor the Mayor, the City Clerk is directed to transmit a duly engrossed copy thereof to his devoted wife, Yvette.

Unanimous Rising Vote, on motion of COUNCILMAN LYNCH, seconded by COUNCILMAN ADDISON.

The motion for Passage is Sustained.

Severally Read and Collectively Passed by a _____

COUNCILMAN LYNCH, at this Point, moves that All Members of the City Council Present Stand in a Moment of Silence, this Day being the Thirty-Seventh Anniversary of the Attack on Pearl Harbor by the Japanese Empire, Out of Respect to the Memory of the Many Thousands

of Americans Who Lost Their Lives During World War II.

This motion is seconded by COUNCILMAN ADDISON, is Put to Vote and Passed.

ADJOURNMENT

There being no further business, on motion of CONUCILMAN LYNCH, seconded by COUNCILMAN ADDISON, the City Council adjourns at 10:50 o'clock P.M. (E.S.T.) to meet again on THURSDAY, DECEMBER 21, 1978 at 8:00 o'clock P.M. (E.S.T.).

Rose M. Mendonca
City Clerk

December 7]

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