

# RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL

No. 146

Approved March 12, 2002

*WHEREAS, Macon Lawrence is a native Rhode Island and was a member of Central High School's Graduating Class of January 1953. He joined the United States Air Force in 1954 and retired July 1974 after 20 years of military service; and*

*WHEREAS, Upon joining LTS. Armstrong-Gladding Post he sought the position and was appointed Assistant Sergeant at Arms and from there he rose to the office of Post Commander, which he held for two years; and*

*WHEREAS, On the district level, he went through the chairs to become a Fourth District Commander, then after the transition to countries, Fourth County Commander for two years, and*

*WHEREAS, After serving on various committees in post district and department, Comarde Lawrence is ending two years as National Vice Chairman, Americanism Council. Now that a term is over as President of the Past Commanders Club, Macon is now seeking to advance even further in the American Legion, and*

*WHEREAS, Upon his retirement from military service, Macon Lawrence was employed at General Dynamics where he was an employee, also for twenty years. During the time at General Dynamics, Macon acquired a B.S. Degree in Business Administration from Johnson & Wales University; and*

*WHEREAS, Service to the American Legion, he is a Paid up for Life Member of Post Number 69, Past Post Commander, Past Fourth District Commander, Past Co-Chairman of Department President of the past Commanders Club. Presently he is serving as Department Senior Vice Commander, and is ending a third year as Vice Chairman of the National Americanism Council.*

*NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, That His Honor the Mayor and the Honorable Members of the Providence City Council hereby extend sincere congratulations to Macon Lawrence upon being named Deputy Commander of the American Legion, on this 9<sup>th</sup> Day of March, 2002.*

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CLERK

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MAYOR

Benedict Young