

**City of Providence**  
STATE OF RHODE ISLAND AND PROVIDENCE PLANTATIONS

# RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL

No. 51

EFFECTIVE February 17, 2020

WHEREAS, The Department of Public Property is responsible for maintenance of all publicly owned buildings in the City; and

WHEREAS, The Providence Public Safety Complex is over 15 years old and in need of immediate maintenance; and

WHEREAS, It has come to the Council's attention that the following items are in need of immediate repair: the entryways and ramps in the parking lot areas are in poor condition; the padding in certain cells need to be replaced; there are several leaks in the ceilings of the facility; additional security cameras are required for proper monitoring of the property; several entryways to the building are not adequately secure; the audio/visual equipment must be upgraded; along with numerous other general maintenance tasks throughout the building and municipal parking garage; and

WHEREAS, Without immediate repairs there is a potential that the facility will fall into a state of disrepair such that it will pose a risk to the health and safety of both public employees and Providence residents who use the complex.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, That the City Council of the City of Providence does hereby request that the Director of Public Property make immediate repairs at the Providence Public Safety Complex.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That, the Council requests that within sixty days of passage of this resolution, the Mayor of Providence and the Director of Public Property provide the Council with an assessment of all repairs needed in the facility as well as a report outlining the steps being taken to complete said repairs.

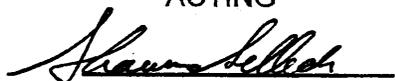
BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That, upon passage, copies of this resolution be sent to the Mayor, the Commissioner of Public Safety, the Chief of Police and the Director of Public Property.

IN CITY COUNCIL

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READ AND PASSED

  
ACTING PRES.

  
CLERK

Effective without the  
Mayor's Signature



Shawn Selleck  
City Clerk