

THE CITY OF PROVIDENCE
STATE OF RHODE ISLAND AND PROVIDENCE PLANTATIONS

RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL

No. 196

Approved APRIL 25, 2008

WHEREAS, Mary C. Brennan began her teaching career at Vartan Gregorian Elementary School in January, 1977, as a Bilingual/ESL teacher; and

WHEREAS, Mary's career at Gregorian Elementary continued; first as an elementary teacher and then as Curriculum Coordinator; and

WHEREAS, In September, 1995 Mary was named Principal of Gregorian Elementary and served with distinction until December, 2003; and

WHEREAS, During her tenure as Principal she was an outspoken and tireless advocate for the arts; and

WHEREAS, One of the many highlights of Mary's tenure as Principal occurred in December, 2002 when Gregorian Elementary was the only school in the state to achieve their English & Math targets for two consecutive years, despite a school population having almost 90% of its population at or near poverty levels; and

WHEREAS, Mary Brennan's past dedication and leadership has contributed to the Gregorian Elementary continuing to be an outstanding center of learning within the Providence School System; and

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, That the Providence City Council does hereby request that the library inside the recently refurbished Fox Point Bath House be named after Mary C. Brennan.

IN CITY COUNCIL
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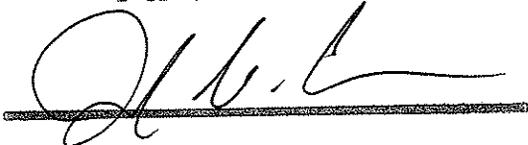


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