

RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, there has been extensive public discussion recently concerning the subject of metropolitanization of governmental services in the State of Rhode Island, and

WHEREAS, the Town Council of the Town of East Greenwich considers that it has an obligation to the public to express its opinion on this subject but, realizing that the term metropolitanization has not a clearly defined meaning and has been very generally applied to many subjects, the Town Council will limit its expression to its general view of the trend towards State control of governmental services and away from local responsibility espoused by the proponents of metropolitanization, and

WHEREAS, it is the opinion of the Town Council of the Town of East Greenwich that, as a general rule, responsibility for governmental services should be maintained as close to the citizenry as possible to assure a close accounting to the people resulting in superior performance, although, by their nature some governmental services are more suited to be performed by the State,

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the Town Council of the Town of East Greenwich record its opinion that responsibility for providing governmental services now provided by local governments be continued to be vested in local governments except in unusual instances where compelling reasons indicate the advisability of placing further responsibility in the State government.

STATE OF RHODE ISLAND
COUNTY OF KENT

TOWN OF EAST GREENWICH
OFFICE OF TOWN CLERK

A true copy of resolution adopted by the Town Council and recorded in Council Book No. 21 under date of March 16, 1965.

ATTEST:

IN CITY COUNCIL
APR 1 - 1965

Helen C. Anderson
COUNCIL CLERK

READ:

WHEREUPON IT IS ORDERED THAT
THE SAME BE RECEIVED.

Vincent Vespa
CLERK

City of Providence
 DEPARTMENT OF MILK INSPECTION
 C. V. Chapin Hospital
 153 Eaton Street, Providence, R.I.

April 1, 1965

To the Honorable, The City Council of the City of Providence,
 Gentlemen:

The following list of individuals, firms, companies, corporations,
 etc., with the approval of the Inspector of Milk, respectfully request
 licenses to sell milk, cream and skimmed milk in the City of Providence.

IN CITY COUNCIL
 APR 1 - 1965

READ AND GRANTED

Vincent Vespia
 CLERK

Respectfully submitted,

Richard S. McKenzie
 Richard S. McKenzie,
 Deputy Inspector of Milk

857 LEO HIGGINS
 129 $\frac{1}{2}$ Academy Ave.
 Providence, R.I.

862 MARTINIQUE, INC.
 840 BROAD STREET
 PROVIDENCE, R.I.

858 RESTIVO'S MARKET
 PHILLIP RES T IVO
 297 Admiral S treet
 Providence, R.I.

863 CHARLES TAPPER
 935 Broad S treet
 Providence, Rhode Island

859 ADMIRAL FOOD CENTER
 838 ADMIRAL STREET
 PROVIDENCE, R.I.

864 SMALL JACK'S DINETTE
 977 BROAD STREET
 PROVIDENCE, R.I.

860 CARMINE OLIVELLI
 Valley View Pharmacy
 844 Admiral Street
 Providence, R.I.

865 Joseph P. Kayatta
 989 Broad St.
 Prov., R.I.

861 CONTINENTAL RESTAURANT
 208 BROAD STREET
 PROVIDENCE, R.I.

866 MARY C. ROGERS
 1407 Broad Street
 Providence, R.I.

867 WEDGEWOOD TAVERN
1501 BROAD STREET
PROVIDENCE, R.I.

868 CASTLE SPA
1043 CHALKSTONE AVENUE
PROVIDENCE, R.I.

869 C. Del Vecchio & Son
1294 Chalkstone Ave.
Prov., R. I.

870 MAINELLI'S RESTAURANT
1366 CHALKSTONE AVENUE
PROVIDENCE, R.I.

871 BETTY'S SPA
609 CHARLES STREET
PROVIDENCE, R.I.

872 HOSPITAL VARIETY
489 DOUGLAS AVENUE
PROVIDENCE, R.I.

873 ANTHONY'S REXALL DRUGS
ANTHONY J. SOLOMON
219 Manton Avenue
Providence, R.I.

874 NICHOLAS V. HICKEY
287 Manton Avenue
Providence, R.I.

875 VAN'S VARIETY
420 MANTON AVENUE
PROVIDENCE, R.I.

876 BUONANNO'S PHARMACY
63 POCASSET AVENUE
PROVIDENCE, R.I.

877 CARROLL DRUG
756 Potter Avenue
Providence, R.I.

878 POTTERS AVE. SUPER
761 POTTERS AVENUE
PROVIDENCE, R.I.

879 RAY'S SEAFOOD
200 PRAIRIE AVENUE
PROVIDENCE, R.I.

880 HARRY GREENSPAN
322 Prairie Ave.
Providence, R.I.

881 Victor K. Webb
328 Prairie Ave.
Prov., R. I.

882 CORRIGAN FISH & CHIPS
535 PRAIRIE AVENUE
PROVIDENCE, R.I.

883 MELKON K. VARADIAN
PUBLIC ST. MKT.
454 Public Street
Providence, R.I.

884 JOHN DELLATORE
698 Public Street
Providence, R. I.

885 LITTLE JIM'S RESTAURANT
464 SILVER SPRING STREET
PROVIDENCE, R.I.

886 COFFEE AN' SERVICE, INC.
MORRIS FELDMAN
476 SILVER SPRING STREET
PROVIDENCE, R.I.

887 MIRIAM HOSPITALITY SHOP
164 SUMMIT AVENUE
PROVIDENCE, R.I.

888 AL'S DISCOUNT FOOD CENTER
298 VALLEY STREET
PROVIDENCE, R.I.

889 SHIPYARD DRIVE-IN THEATRE
1 WASHINGTON AVENUE
PROVIDENCE, R.I.

890 MR. SOFTEE
5 WEST RIVER PARKWAY
NO. PROVIDENCE, R.I.

891 ST. CHARLES SCHOOL
155 HARRISON STREET
PROVIDENCE 7, R.I.

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PROVIDENCE, R.I.

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON

EMPLOYEE RELATIONS

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TO THE HONORABLE THE CITY COUNCIL
OF THE CITY OF PROVIDENCE

Gentlemen:

Your Committee to which was referred the Resolution granting to employees of the City of Providence the privilege to form a credit union respectfully reports:

On March 12, 1965, the City Council Committee on Employee Relations met and considered a Resolution by Councilman William J. Murphy that the City grant to its employees permission to establish a credit union for said employees.

The Committee heard testimony (unsworn) by Councilman Murphy, a former City employee for many years, as to the need for a City employee credit union. One of the chief reasons presented was that, presently, borrowing by City employees of their own money in the Retirement System was rather restricted so as to not readily meet their needs. These restrictions include:

(1) An employee must belong to the Retirement System for three years before he can borrow from it;

(2) An employee can only borrow up to one half of the amount to his credit as of the prior September 30;

(3) Upon reaching age sixty, an employee cannot borrow against his own money;

(4) Upon reaching age fifty-eight, an employee cannot borrow in excess of what he could return to the system in two years at his normal rate of contribution.

(5) An employee cannot borrow from the system except for certain stated reasons; for example, medical or dental expenses, college tuition, downpayment on home, or home improvements.

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From his knowledge in the Data Processing Division of the City Controller's Office, Councilman Murphy stated that the administrative and processing cost to the City in making deductions from payroll, would be nominal, if any.

The Committee also heard and questioned Mr. E. Allen Washburn, Jr., Field Representative of the Rhode Island Credit Union League, who appeared by invitation.

Mr. Washburn presented substantially the following information:

(a) There are 136 credit unions in Rhode Island, 127 of which belong to the Rhode Island Credit Union League which is itself an affiliate of the National Credit Union.

(b) To his knowledge Rhode Island cities or towns having an employee credit union include: Cranston, Pawtucket, Warwick, Woonsocket, and Lincoln. The Providence School Department and the Fire Department have credit unions.

(c) A credit union could be incorporated either under a State or Federal Charter. Under a State Charter, a credit union is not restricted as to loans on real estate mortgages or unsecured loans. Under a Federal Charter, a real estate mortgage can only be given for a maximum of sixty months, and there is a limit of \$750 which can be loaned without security.

(d) Rhode Island credit unions are regulated and audited by the State Banking Division.

(e) Although a Board of Directors would set the rate of interest charged on unsecured loans, generally a rate of 12 per cent annually on the unpaid balance is charged.

(f) As to a State Chartered credit union, the first \$100,000 of holdings or assets are exempt from taxation.

(g) The requirements for forming a State credit union are: (1) file an application with 100 signatures with the Secretary of State and (2) \$55 in filing fees.

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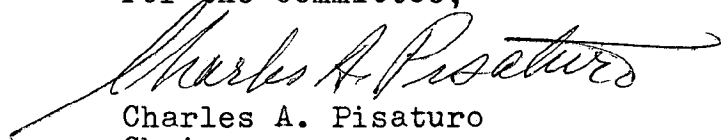
EMPLOYEE RELATIONS

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After hearing the information presented and after due deliberation and study of this matter, including the benefits of systematic savings and the availability of funds when the need arises, the Committee on Employee Relations VOTED:

To recommend to the City Council that the employees of the City of Providence be granted permission to form a Credit Union under the corporate title of "Providence Municipal Employees Credit Union"; and that there be only one such Credit Union; and that City Agencies be requested to cooperate and assist those employees who would form such a Credit Union.

Respectfully submitted,
For the Committee,


Charles A. Pisaturo
Chairman


CAP/ss

IN CITY COUNCIL

APR 1 - 1965

READ:

WHEREUPON IT IS ORDERED THAT
THE SAME BE RECEIVED *and approved as amended*


CLERK

REPORT OF THE SPECIAL COMMITTEE
TO ENCOURAGE THE RETENTION
OF PROFESSIONAL FOOTBALL
IN PROVIDENCE

March 16, 1965

TO THE HONORABLE THE CITY COUNCIL
OF THE CITY OF PROVIDENCE

Gentlemen:

Your Committee, created in accordance with the provisions of Resolution of the City Council No. 71, approved January 22, 1965, and appointed by the President of the City Council respectfully reports:

Four meetings were held at which representatives of the Providence Steam Roller Professional Football Team, the Pro-Football Committee of the Greater Providence Chamber of Commerce and of the newly formed Continental Football League, were invited and attended.

Your Committee, after considering all the testimony presented and, after due deliberation, arrived at the following conclusion:

Having tried to fulfill the provisions of the subject resolution, insofar as the Providence Steam Roller Professional Football Team is concerned, and having received no cooperation from the management of said team, it recommends as intended by said resolution to assist in retaining this sports attraction in Providence that the City of Providence extend its cooperation to that football team representing this City in the newly organized Continental Football League.

Respectfully submitted
For the Committee,

Joseph F. Prete
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Chairman

JEP/ss

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