

THE CITY OF PROVIDENCE
STATE OF RHODE ISLAND AND PROVIDENCE PLANTATIONS

RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL

No. 274

Approved May 13, 1978

WHEREAS, Recently the Providence Police and Fire Departments jointly participated in thwarting an attempted suicide leap, by a man, from the top of building located at 40 Westminster Street, and

WHEREAS, That tense drama, of a despondent young, was brought to a climatic and safe ending when Police Lieutenant Edward Collins reached the young man, who was seated on the roof top ledge, and started to pull him away, ably assisted by Colonel Angelo Ricci and Major John J. Leyden and Fire Department Rescue Squad Members Lieutenants Raymond Thibault, William Whitehead, Robert McIntosh and Battalion Chiefs Robert Drummond and Joseph Howe, and

WHEREAS, augmenting the rescue party were several other Members of the Detective Division of the Police Department and of the Fire Department,

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, That in taking official notice of the combined rescue efforts by our gallant public safety members and of its successful conclusion, the City Council does hereby express its profound gratitude in the rescue of that man who, in a despondent frame of mind, attempted to take his life, and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That upon the adoption of this Resolution by this City Council and its approval by the Mayor the City Clerk is directed to cause a duly engrossed copy of the same to Commissioner of Public Safety Leo P. Trambukis so that he may inform the named members of the Commission on Public Safety of the esteem in which they are held by the Members of the City Council.

IN CITY COUNCIL
MAY 4 1978
READ AND PASSED

Ralph Fagnolo PRES.

Rose M. Mendonca CLERK

APPROVED

MAYOR

Vincent A. Cianci
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Council President Pro Tempore Fagnoli, Councilman Cirelli and Councilman Addison

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