

CITY OF PROVIDENCE
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CITY COUNCIL

JOURNAL OF PROCEEDINGS

No. 32 City Council Regular Meeting, Thursday, March 1, 1984, 8:00 P.M. (E.S.T.)

IN CITY COUNCIL
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PRESIDING

APPROVED:

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COUNCIL PRESIDENT

JOSEPH R. PAOLINO, JR.

ROLL CALL

Present: Council President Paolino and Councilman Annaldo, Councilwoman Bras-sil, Councilmen Cola, Dillon, Council-woman DiRuzzo, Councilman Easton, Councilwoman Fagnoli, Councilmen Farmer, Glavin, Griffin, Petrosinelli, Pitts and Stravato-14.

Absent: Councilman O'Connor-1.

INVOCATION

The Invocation is given by COUNCILMAN MALCOLM FARMER, III.

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE TO THE FLAG OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

~~FIELD~~ COUNCILMAN DAVID G. DILLON leads the Members of the City Council and the Assemblage in the Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag of the United States of America.

APPROVAL OF RECORD

The Journal of Proceedings No. 31 of the Regular Meeting of the City Council held February 16, 1984 and Posted February 28, 1984, on that Bulletin Board located on the Third Floor Level of City Hall, is Approved as Printed, on motion of COUNCILMAN GLAVIN, seconded by COUNCIL PRESIDENT PRO TEMPORE STARAVATO.

ORDINANCES SECOND READING

The following Ordinances were in City Council February 16, 1984, Read and Passed the First Time and are Returned for Passage the Second Time:

An Ordinance Approving and Adopting the Official Redevelopment Plan for the Upper South Providence Redevelopment Project.

Be It Ordained By The City Of Providence:

Whereas, The Providence Redevelopment Agency (hereinafter sometimes called "Local Public Agency") pursuant to the provisions of Title 45, Chapter 31-33 (inclusive) of the General Laws of Rhode Island, 1956, as amended, entitled, "Redevelopment Act of 1956", has formulated and submitted to the City Council on January 19, 1984, for its consideration, an Urban Renewal Plan approved by the Local Public Agency, for an Urban Renewal Area, which said Urban Renewal Plan is entitled, "Upper South Providence Redevelopment Project" and comprises a report consisting of a text, 2 exhibits and 4 maps; and

Whereas, A general plan has been prepared by the City Plan Commission and is recognized and used as a guide for the general development of the City of Providence as a whole; and

Whereas, The said Urban Renewal Plan concerns itself with areas which have been designated Redevelopment Areas by the City Council of the City of Providence by Chapter 103 of the Ordinances of the City of Providence, approved July 6, 1948, as amended to date, in conformity with the provisions of Section 22 of Chapter 1802 of the Public Laws of Rhode Island 1946, as amended, and Title 45, Chapter 32, Section 4 of the General Laws of Rhode Island, 1956, as amended; and

Whereas, A Copy of said Urban Renewal Plan was transmitted to the City Plan Commission.

Whereas, The City Plan Commission, which is the duly designated and acting official planning body for the City, has submitted to the City Council its report and recommendations respecting the Urban Renewal Plan for the Upper South Providence Redevelopment Project and has certified that said Urban Renewal Plan conforms to the said General plan for the City as a whole, and the City Council has duly considered said report, recommendations and certification of the planning body; and

Whereas, The plan as submitted contains a finding that the area included in the proposed Urban Renewal Plan qualified as a deteriorated blighted area within the meaning of the "Redevelopment Act of 1956" as amended to date, because there exist in the area buildings or improvements, used or intended to be used for living, commercial, industrial, or other purposes, which by reason of (1) dilapidation, deterioration, age or obsolescence, (2) inadequate provisions for ventilation, light, sanitation, open spaces and recreation facilities (3) defective design or unsanitary or unsafe character of condition, (4) defective or inadequate street and lot layout, (5) mixed character, deterioration or shifting of uses to which they are put, or any combination of such factors and characteristics are conducive to the further deterioration and decline of the area and injuriously affect the entire area; and

Whereas, A structural quality survey was conducted by the City of Providence, Department of Planning and Urban Development and the results of that survey as set forth in the Urban

Renewal Plan indicated that 57% of the structures have deficiencies that include serious deterioration; lack of sanitary facilities; and serious inadequacies in lighting and ventilation. The Upper South Providence Redevelopment Project Area is not restricted to, nor does it consist entirely of lands, buildings, or improvements which of themselves are detrimental, but is an area in which such conditions exist and injuriously affect the entire area; and

Whereas, There has also been presented to the City Council information and data respecting Urban Renewal Plans for the Urban Renewal Areas in the City of Providence including the following:

Capital Improvement Programs for 1950-1956, 1951-1957, 1952-1958, 1953-1959, 1954-1960, 1955-1961, 1956-1962, 1957-1963, 1958-1964, 1959-1965, 1960-1966, and 1961-1967, 1962-1968, 1963-1969, 1964-1970, 1965-1971, 1966-1972, 1967-1973, 1968-1974, 1979-1985, 1980-1986, 1983-1988, and the Annual Reports of the Providence Redevelopment Agency for 1948 through 1981 (inclusive); and

Whereas, At a public hearing held following notice of the date, time, place and purposes of such hearing, the City Council Committee on Urban Redevelopment, Renewal and Planning duly considered the Urban Renewal Plan, and all evidence and testimony for and against the adoption of such plan, in accordance with the provisions of the "Redevelopment Act of 1956"; and

Whereas, Said Urban Renewal Plan for the Project Area prescribes certain land uses for the Upper South Providence Redevelopment Project Area and will require, among other things, but not by way of limitation, property acquisition clearance and demolition, rehabilitation and reconstruction of certain streets, curbs and sidewalks, grading and other public improvements and other public actions; and

Now, Therefore, Be It Ordained By The City Of Providence:

1. The Project is hereby designated as "Upper South Providence Redevelopment Project".

2. It is hereby found and determined that for the purpose of the Urban Renewal Plan, the Upper South Providence Redevelopment Project comprises that certain tract of land situated in the City of Providence and State of Rhode Island, which is bounded as described in Exhibit A, which is attached hereto and made a part hereof as if more fully set forth herein.

3. It be and hereby is found and determined in relation to the Upper South Providence Redevelopment Project on the basis of the facts set forth in the report and documents mentioned in the Preamble of this Ordinance and upon the basis of evidence and testimony presented at the public hearing on said Plan.

(a) That within the Upper South Providence Redevelopment Project Area 27% of the structures are substandard or seriously deficient or unsafe in that these structures contain serious deterioration, and

(b) Within the Upper South Providence Redevelopment Project Area there exists the following environmental deficiencies:

a. Defective or Inadequate Street and/or Lot Layout.

b. Incompatible or Shifting Uses.

c. Obsolete or Aged Buildings, Not Suitable for Improvement or Conversion.

d. Inadequate provision for Ventilation, Light, Sanitation, Open Space and Recreation Facilities.

e. Defective Design or Unsanitary or Unsafe Character or Condition of Physical Construction.

4. It be and hereby is found and determined

that because of a predominance of conditions of dilapidation, deterioration, obsolescence, inadequate provision for light and sanitation, unsanitary and unsafe character and condition of physical construction, mixed character of uses injuriously affect the entire area and constitute a menace to the public health, safety and welfare of the inhabitants of the area and of the community generally, said Urban Renewal Area is a deteriorated and blighted area within the meaning of Sections 2-8 inclusive of Chapter 31 of the "Redevelopment Act of 1956", as amended, and that said Upper South Providence Redevelopment Project Area is hereby determined to be a deteriorated blighted area.

5. It be and hereby is found that the Upper South Providence Redevelopment Project Area requires clearance, replanning redevelopment, and improvement and rehabilitation under the provisions of the "Redevelopment Act of 1956".

6. It be and hereby is declared to be the purpose and intent of this Body to eliminate the deteriorated and substandard conditions existing in the Upper South Providence Redevelopment Project Area and the replacement of such conditions by a well-planned area in accordance with and by the means provided in the "Redevelopment Act of 1956".

7. It is hereby found, declared and determine that:

(a) The Urban Renewal Plan for the Upper South Providence Redevelopment Project Area will redevelop said Urban Renewal Area in conformity with the provisions of the "Redevelopment Act of 1956"; will effectuate the purposes and policy of said Act; and will promote the public health, safety, morals and welfare of the City of Providence.

(b) The Urban Renewal Plan for said Urban Renewal Area conforms to the general or master plan for the City of Providence as a whole.

(c) The acquisition of the real property in

accordance with said plan for the Upper South Providence Redevelopment Project Area is in the public interest.

(d) Adequate provision for payment for property which may be acquired by the exercise of eminent domain has been made in the Urban Renewal Plan.

An Ordinance in Amendment of and in Addition to Chapter 1982-16 of the Ordinances of the City of Providence, approved March 26, 1982, and entitled, "An Ordinance Approving and Adopting the Official Redevelopment Plan for the Smith Hill Renewal Project" for the Revision of Parcel Controls on Permitted Uses for Parcel No. 1.

Be It Ordained By The City Of Providence:

1. That Chapter 1982-16 of the Ordinances of the City of Providence, approved March 26, 1982 and entitled, "An Ordinance Approving and Adopting the Official Redevelopment Plan for the Smith Hill Renewal Project" as amended by Chapter 1982-34 of the Ordinance of the City of Providence, approved June 30, 1982, as amended by Chapter 1983-21 of the Ordinance of the City of Providence, approved May 3, 1983, and as amended by Chapter 1983-60 of the Ordinance of the City of Providence, approved November 10, 1983, be and the same is hereby further amended as follows:

A. The first sentence of Paragraph (1) entitled, "Permitted Uses" under Section 1, (c) entitled "C-2 General Commercial Zone" of Chapter F entitled "Land Disposition Supplement" is hereby deleted and the following sentence substituted therefore:

"Parking shall be the only permitted use for Parcel 2 as indicated on Map No. 5 *Dispostion*".

B. Map No. 5 "Disposition" dated 9/1/83 is hereby deleted and substituted by Map No. 5 "Disposition" dated 1/12/84.

2. That said Chapter 1982-16 of the Ordinance of the City of Providence as adopted and as heretofore amended, be and the same is hereby ratified and affirmed in all other respects.

3. That this Ordinance shall take effect on its passage and shall be filed with the City Clerk who is hereby authorized and directed to forward a certified copy thereof to the Providence Redevelopment Agency.

An Ordinance in Amendment of and in Addition to Chapter 1973-52 of the Ordinances of the City of Providence, Approved December 24, 1973 and entitled "An Ordinance Approving and Adopting the Official Redevelopment Plan for the West Broadway NDP Urban Renewal Area (1). "For the Deletion from Acquisition of Lots 431 and 432 on Assessor's Plat 35 and the Deletion from Street Abandonment of Palm Street.

Be It Ordained By The City Of Providence:

1. That Chapter 1973-52 of the Ordinances of the City of Providence, approved December 24, 1973 and entitled, "An Ordinance Approving and Adopting the Official Redevelopment Plan for West Broadway NDP Urban Renewal Area (1)" as amended by Chapter 1974-38 of the City Ordinance approved November 11, 1974; Chapter 1974-39 of the City Ordinance approved November 11, 1974; Chapter 1975-31 of the City Ordinance approved December 13, 1975; Chapter 1976-16 of the City Ordinance approved April 13, 1976; Chapter 1977-4 of the City Ordinance approved February 14, 1977; Chapter 1978-16 of the City Ordinance approved June 24, 1978; Chapter 1978-23 of the City Ordinance approved December 29, 1978 and Chapter 1980-45 of the

City Ordinance approved November 26, 1980 and the same is hereby further amended as follows:

A. Certain maps of the aforementioned Official Redevelopment Plan hereinafter identified are deleted:

(1) Map No. 3 "Proposed Acquisition" Sheet 2 of 2, dated June, 1978

(2) Map. No. 7 "Disposition Map" Sheet 2 of 2, dated June, 1978

(3) Map No. 10 "Site Improvements" Sheet 2 of 2, dated June, 1978

B. Insert the following attached maps in its stead:

(1) Map No. 3 "Proposed Acquisition" Sheet 2 of 2, dated November, 1983

(2) Map. No. 7 "Disposition Map" Sheet 2 of 2, dated November, 1983

(3) Map No. 10 "Site Improvements" Sheet 2 of 2, dated November, 1983

2. That said Chapter 1973-52 of the Ordinances of the City of Providence as adopted and as heretofore amended, be and the same is hereby ratified and affirmed in all other respects.

3. That this Ordinance shall take effect on its passage and shall be filed with the City Clerk who is hereby authorized and directed to forward a certified copy thereof to the Providence Redevelopment Agency.

Severally Read and Collectively Passed the Second Time, on motion of COUNCILMAN GLAVIN, seconded by COUNCILMAN DILLON, by the following Roll Call Vote:

Ayes: Council President Paolino and Councilman Annaldo, Councilwoman Brassil, Councilmen Cola, Dillon, Councilwoman DiRuzzo, Councilman Easton,

Councilwoman Fagnoli, Councilmen Farmer, Glavin, Griffin, Petrosinelli, Pitts and Stravato—14.

The motion for Passage the Second Time is Sustained.

Absent: Councilman O'Connor—1.

PRESENTATION OF ORDINANCES

COUNCILMAN FARMER: (By Request):

An Ordinance Approving and Adopting the Official Redevelopment Plan for the Lower South Providence Redevelopment Project.

and Entitled, "An Ordinance Approving and Adopting the Official Redevelopment Plan for the Olneyville Square Revitalization Project" for the Revision of Project Cost.

Severally Referred to Committee on Urban Redevelopment, Renewal and Planning, on motion of COUNCILMAN GLAVIN, seconded by COUNCILMAN DILLON.

COUNCILMAN GLAVIN (By Request):

An Ordinance in Amendment of and in Addition to Chapter 1983-20 of the Ordinances of the City of Providence, Approved May 3, 1983,

The motion to Refer is Sustained.

PRESENTATION OF RESOLUTIONS

COUNCILWOMAN BRASSIL:

Resolution Requesting the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development to Investigate and to Reply to the Providence City Council as to whether it is proper to finance a television campaign, featuring Mayor Cianci, with Community Development Funds.

Whereas, A television campaign, funded by the Mayor's Office of Community Development, featuring Mayor Vincent A. Cianci, Jr., has been under way for the past three weeks and will be extended an additional four weeks, and

Whereas, It appears that federal funds are being used for political advantages for the Mayor,

Now, Therefore, Be It Resolved, That the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development is hereby requested to investigate and to reply to the Providence City Council as to whether it is proper to finance a television campaign, featuring Mayor Vincent A. Cianci, Jr., with Community Development Funds.

feasibility of installing a caution light at that intersection.

Resolved, That the Traffic Engineer is requested to undertake a traffic survey along Ives Street and Wickenden Street to determine the feasibility of installing a caution light at that intersection.

COUNCILWOMAN BRASSIL (By Request):

Resolution Requesting the Traffic Engineer to cause the installation of "No Parking 8 A.M. to 10 A.M." Signs along the northerly side of Sheldon Street, between Brook and Benefit Streets.

Resolved, That the Traffic Engineer is requested to cause the installation of "No Parking 8 A.M. to 10 A.M." Signs along the northerly side of Sheldon Street, between Brook and Benefit Streets.

Resolution Requesting the Chief of the Providence Police Department to cause the Speed Limit Regulations along Ives Street and Wickenden Street, to be Enforced.

Resolved, That the Chief of the Providence Police Department is requested to cause the Speed Limit Regulations along Ives Street and Wickenden Street to be enforced.

Severally Read and Collectively Passed, on motion of COUNCILMAN GLAVIN, seconded by COUNCILMAN DILLON.

The motion for Passage is Sustained.

Resolution Requesting the Traffic Engineer to cause the "No Parking 8 A.M. to 10 A.M." Signs along Arnold Street, from Hope Street to Brook Street, to be Removed.

Resolved, That the Traffic Engineer is requested to cause the "No Parking 8 A.M. to 10 A.M." Signs along Arnold Street, from Hope Street to Brook Street, to be removed.

COUNCILWOMAN FARGNOLI and COUNCILMAN ANNALDO (By Request):

Resolution of the Water Supply Board approving the Sale of Property designated as Lot 310, Assessor's Plat 37 in the City of Cranston, Rhode Island, for the fair market value of Nine Hundred Dollars (\$900.00).

Whereas, The Providence Water Supply Board, as agent for the City of Providence, desires to sell and Di Raimo Construction, a Rhode Island corporation, desires to purchase a certain parcel of land designated as Lot 310 on Assessor's Plat 37 in the City of Cranston, State of Rhode Island,

Resolution Requesting the Traffic Engineer to undertake a Traffic Survey along Ives Street and Wickenden Street to determine the

comprising an area of 29,000 more or less square feet of land, and

Whereas, The said *Di Raimo Construction* agrees to allow reasonable access to the Providence Water Supply Board for purposes of maintaining an overflow line located below ground, and

Whereas, The parcel and the overflow line are identified as shown on the drawing "*Plan Showing Lot 310 on Assessor's Plat 37 in Cranston, Rhode Island Indicating Overflow Line*", and

Whereas, In consideration of the transfer of title, the said *Di Raimo Construction* agrees to pay the City of Providence the sum of Nine Hundred Dollars (\$900.00).

Now, Therefore, Be It Resolved, That His Honor, the Mayor, be and he hereby is authorized to execute a Purchase and Sales Agreement to *Di Raimo Construction* for the certain parcel of land designated as Lot 310 on Assessor's Plat 37 in the City of Cranston, Rhode Island comprising an area of approximately 29,000 square feet, the same being the parcel as shown on the drawing entitled "*Plan Showing Lot 310 on Assessor's Plat 37 in Cranston, Rhode Island Indicating Overflow Line*", and allowing the Providence Water Supply Board reasonable access for purposes of maintaining the overflow line.

Read and Passed, on motion of COUNCILWOMAN BRASSIL, seconded by COUNCILMAN DILLON by the following Roll Call Vote:

Ayes: Council President Paolino and Councilman Annaldo, Councilwoman Brassil, Councilmen Cola, Dillon, Councilwoman DiRuzzo, Councilman Easton, Councilwoman Fagnoli, Councilmen Farmer, Glavin, Griffin, Petrosinelli, Pitts and Stravato—14.

Absent: Councilman O'Connor—1.

The motion for Passage is Sustained.

COUNCILMAN FARMER (By Request):

Resolution Requesting the City Solicitor to take those measures necessary to effect the passage of An Act entitled "An Act Relating to Criminal Procedure", Enumerated (84-S 58).

Referred to Committee on Finance, on motion of COUNCILMAN GLAVIN, seconded by COUNCILMAN DILLON.

The motion to Refer is Sustained.

Resolution authorizing and directing the City Treasurer acting under the direction of the Committee on Finance, to borrow from time to time, in such sums as may be necessary, not exceeding Four Million Eight Hundred Thousand Dollars (\$4,800,000.00) to be used exclusively for carrying out the Official Redevelopment Plan for the Lower South Providence Redevelopment Project.

Referred to Committee on Finance, on motion of COUNCILMAN GLAVIN, seconded by COUNCILMAN DILLON.

The motion to Refer is Sustained.

Resolution Requesting the City Forester to cause new trees to be planted in front of 11, 23 and 25 Astral Avenue and on the corner of Sessions Street and Astral Avenue.

Resolved, That the City Forester is requested to cause new trees to be planted in front of 11, 23 and 25 Astral Avenue and on the corner of Sessions Street and Astral Avenue.

Read and Passed, on motion of COUNCILMAN GLAVIN, seconded by COUNCILMAN DILLON.

The motion for Passage is Sustained.

Resolution Authorizing the City Collector to cause the Taxes to be Abated on that Property under the SWAP Program located along 55 Wilson Street, Lot 251, Plat 30, for the Sum of Seven Hundred Ninety-Seven Dollars and Sixty-Six Cents (\$797.66).

Referred to Committee on Finance, on motion of COUNCILMAN GLAVIN, seconded by COUNCILMAN DILLON.

The motion to Refer is Sustained.

COUNCILMAN O'CONNOR (By Request):

REPORTS FROM COMMITTEE

COUNCILWOMAN CAROLYN F. BRASSIL, Chairwoman COMMITTEE ON FINANCE

Transmits the following with Recommendation the Same be Severally Adopted:

An Ordinance in Amendment of and in Addition to Chapter 15, Sections 208 of the Code of Ordinances, entitled "Motor Vehicles and Traffic".

Read and Passed the First Time, on motion of COUNCILMAN GLAVIN, seconded by COUNCILMAN DILLON, by the following Roll Call Vote:

Ayes: Council President Paolino and Councilman Annaldo, Councilwoman Brassil, Councilmen Cola, Dillon, Councilwoman DiRuzzo, Councilman Easton, Councilwoman Fargnoli, Councilmen

Farmer, Glavin, Griffin, Petrosinelli, Pitts and Stravato—14.

Absent: Councilman O'Connor—1.

The motion for Passage the First Time is Sustained.

Resolution Requesting the Director of the Department of Inspection and Standards to cause the Lien to be Removed at 113-115 Colfax Street.

Resolved, That the Director of the Department of Inspection and Standards is requested to cause the lien to be removed on that property located at 113-115 Colfax Street, said lien having been placed on the property by the Mayor's Office of Community Development, in the amount of One Thousand, Eight Hundred Fifty-Nine Dollars (\$1,859.00).

Resolution Reporting receipts of Certain Gifts of Monies by the Board of Park Commissioners for the Preservation and Care of Specified Burial Lots in North Burial Ground.

Resolved, That the following gifts of the following sums of money to the Board of Park Commissioners, in trust, the income thereof to be applied, under the provisions of Chapter 367 of the Public Laws, January Session 1861, to the

preservation and care of specified Burial Lots in said ground be and the same are hereby respectively accepted.

Severally Read and Collectively Passed, on motion of COUNCILMAN GLAVIN, seconded by COUNCILMAN DILLON, by the following Roll Call Vote:

Ayes: Council President Paolino and Councilman Annaldo, Councilwoman Brassil, Councilmen Cola, Dillon, Councilwoman DiRuzzo, Councilman Easton, Councilwoman Fargnoli, Councilmen Farmer, Glavin, Griffin, Petrosinelli, Pitts and Stravato—14.

Absent: Councilman O'Connor—1.

The motion for Passage is Sustained.

The following is transmitted with Recommendation of Adoption as Amended:

Resolution Requesting the General Assembly to amend Chapter 489 of the Public Laws of 1923, entitled "An Act to Provide for the Retirement of the Employees of the City of Providence" as Amended.

COUNCILMAN FARMER moves the Resolution be Amended by deleting in Section 1 on Line 11 and continuing on Line 12, the words "or to have wilfully caused loss to the City of Providence".

This motion seconded by COUNCILWOMAN BRASSIL is put to Vote and Passed.

Resolved, That the General Assembly is hereby requested to amend Chapter 489 of the Public Laws of 1923 entitled "An Act to Provide for the

Retirement of the Employees of the City of Providence", as amended, to provide as follows:

1. Notwithstanding any other provisions of the laws governing the Employees' Retirement System of the City of Providence including, without limitation, any provision prohibiting the alienation or assignment of any interest in or benefit thereunder, in the event that any member of said System is determined by a court, through final conviction of a criminal offense against the laws of the State of Rhode Island, the United States of America or the City of Providence or through final decision in a civil lawsuit, to have misappropriated or converted to his or her own use or to otherwise have obtained property of the City of Providence, whether in cash or in kind, in violation of any law of the United States of America, the State of Rhode Island or the City of

Providence, including, without limitation, of those acts described in Section 1206 (b) of the Providence Home Rule Charter or in the General Laws of Rhode Island, § 11-7-1 et seq., as amended, there shall be a lien in favor of the City of Providence effective as of the date of the occurrence of said misappropriation, conversion, loss and/or offense upon all right, title, interest, accounts, credits and benefits of any such member in said System and no distribution or withdrawal thereof shall be permitted for any reason by said member, his or her successors or assigns until said lien shall be satisfied or otherwise provided for.

2. In the event of any such final determination of a court, the City Solicitor shall immediately commence appropriate legal action to recover out of said member's account, benefits, rights, credits and interest in said System the amount of the loss to the City of Providence and/or the amount misappropriated or converted by said member.

3. Said member's interest in said System's assets shall not be paid or loaned to said member, his or her successors or assigns but shall remain in said System until such time as a court of appropriate jurisdiction shall determine the

amount of the City's loss as a result of the activities of said member and/or the amount misappropriated or converted by said member.

4. Upon a final determination by said court of the full amount of the City's loss and/or the full amount misappropriated or converted by said member, such amounts with interest thereon at the statutory rate since the date of said loss and/or misappropriation or conversion and any costs and expenses incurred by the City in collecting same shall be repaid by the Retirement Board or other proper officer or agent of said System to the General Fund of the City in full out of said member's account, benefits, rights, credits and interest in said System.

COUNCILMAN GLAVIN moves the Resolution be Read and Passed as Amended.

This motion being seconded by COUNCILMAN DILLON is Put to Vote and Passed.

The motion for Passage as Amended is Sustained.

COMMUNICATIONS AND REPORTS

FROM DR. ROBERT RICCI:

Communication in response to City Council Resolution No. 72 calling for the teaching of government to eighth grade students together with the course description for the course.

Received.

FROM MERRICK A. COOK, JR.:

Communication from Superintendent of Parks in response to Resolution No. 104 effective February 13, 1984, providing a summary of the Departments Projected Management techniques to be used for the purpose of economizing.

Received.

FROM EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR OF THE PROVIDENCE HUMAN RELATIONS COMMISSION, CHRISTOPHER J. BURKE, ESQUIRE:

Received.

Communication in response to Resolution No. 104, effective February 13, 1984, relative to Budget Economics.

Received.

FROM THE CITY ASSESSOR:

Certificates (46-L, 48-L, 49-L and 53-L) Recommending the Same be Severally Cancelled, pursuant to the Provisions of Sections 14 and 15 of Title 44, Chapter 7 of the General Laws of Rhode Island, 1956, as Amended.

Severally Referred to Committee on Claims and Pending Suits, on motion of COUNCILMAN GLAVIN, seconded by COUNCILMAN DILLON.

The motion to Refer is Sustained.

FROM DIRECTOR OF DEPARTMENT OF INSPECTION AND STANDARDS, MERLIN A. DeCONTI, JR.:

Communication in response to Resolution No. 104, effective February 13, 1984, outling projected techniques to economize department spending.

FROM THE CLERK'S DESK

Petition of Joseph T. Pari, Esquire, Attorney for Harold Schein, to abandon a portion of Richmond Square.

Action Reverse Auto Parts

Debra J. Bastien

Referred to Committee on Public Works, on motion of COUNCILMAN GLAVIN, seconded by COUNCILMAN DILLON.

Ann M. Ferland

Luis Freitas

The motion to Refer is Sustained.

Robert Greco

Alice Larkin

Anthony B. Lisa

Petitions for Compensation for Injuries and Damages, viz:

Debbie Lisa Maaz

Giovannina Ranucci

**COUNCILMAN GLAVIN, seconded by
COUNCILMAN DILLON.**

U.S.A.A. Ins. Co. as sub. of Leon Saunders.

The motion to Refer is Sustained.

**Severally Referred to Committee on
Claims and Pending Suits, on motion of**

PRESENTATION OF RESOLUTIONS

"In Congratulations"

**COUNCIL PRESIDENT PAOLINO and the
MEMBERS of the CITY COUNCIL:**

dence Fire Department during his Thirty Years of dedicated service to our citizens and having a perfect record of attendance during his tenure.

Resolution Extending Congratulations to the following:

**Severally Read and Collectively Passed,
on motion of COUNCILMAN GLAVIN,
seconded by COUNCILMAN DILLON.**

Mr. and Mrs. Pasquale Capozza, upon the Occasion of their Fiftieth Wedding Anniversary.

The motion for Passage is Sustained.

Lieutenant Edward J. Barta, in recognition of his Outstanding Performance with the Provi-

PRESENTATION OF RESOLUTIONS

"In Memoriam"

**COUNCIL PRESIDENT PAOLINO and the
MEMBERS of the CITY COUNCIL:**

Resolved, That the Sympathy of the Members of the City Council is hereby expressed to the families of the following:

Resolution Extending the Sympathy of the Members of the City Council to the Families of the Following Decedents:

Leon Glantz

Carolo A. Piacente, Sr.

Angela Pisaturo

Eleuterio Santopadre

John J. Devine, Jr.

Adele Florio

Wayne E. Masterson

William D. Carlone

Irene A. DelMonico

Joseph D. Bonetti

Frank Paliotti

Mildred Procaccianti

Angelina DiMarzio

Brother John Kusmierz

Pio Marrocco

Luigia Rossi

Maria D. DeBerardis

Mario Ruggerio

Joseph G. Samartano, Sr.

Mary Cece

Giovanni DelPrete

Mary A. Carreau

Angelina C. Manieri

Ruby Corvi

Edward J. Coffey

**Severally Read and Collectively Passed,
by a Unanimous Rising Vote, on motion of
COUNCILMAN GLAVIN, seconded by
COUNCILMAN DILLON.**

The motion for Passage is Sustained.

MATTER NOT APPEARING ON THE PRINTED DOCKET

**On motion of COUNCILMAN GLAVIN,
seconded by COUNCILMAN DILLON, it is
Voted to Suspend Rule 16 of the Rules of the
City Council in order to allow the
introduction of the following matter not
appearing on the Printed Docket.**

APPOINTMENT BY HIS HONOR THE MAYOR

Communication dated March 1, 1984, Informing the Honorable City Council that pursuant to Section 203 of the Providence Home Rule Charter of 1980, he is this day nominating Roland A. Dumont of 146 Superior Street, Providence, Rhode Island as a Member of the Board of Canvassers for a term to expire on the first Monday in March 1990 and respectfully submits the same for Approval.

March 1, 1984

The Honorable Members
The City Council of the
City of Providence
City Hall
Providence, Rhode Island 02903

Dear Honorable Members:

Pursuant to Section 203 of the Providence

Home Rule Charter of 1980, I am this day nominating Roland A. Dumont of 146 Superior Street, Providence, Rhode Island, a member of the Board of Canvassers for a term to expire on the first Monday in March, 1990, and respectfully submit the same for your approval.

Respectfully,

VINCENT A. CIANCI, JR.
Mayor of Providence

Communication Received and Appointment Approved, on motion of COUNCILMAN GLAVIN, seconded by COUNCILMAN DILLON and COUNCILWOMAN FARGNOLI.

The motion of Approval is Sustained.

ADJOURNMENT

There being no further business, on motion of COUNCILMAN GLAVIN, seconded by COUNCILMAN DILLON, the City Council adjourns at 8:40 o'clock P.M. (E.S.T.) to meet again on THURSDAY, MARCH 15, 1984 at 8:00 o'clock P.M. (E.S.T.).

Rose M. Mandonea

City Clerk



