

CITY OF PROVIDENCE RHODE ISLAND



The Credo of the Providence City Council is to be Industrious, to be Watchful and to Promote Peace. The bee, as a symbol of industry, is derived from the early colonial saying "Busy as a Bee"; the goose, as a symbol of watchfulness, is derived from the story of the goose whose cackling saved Rome; and the lamb, as a symbol of peace, is derived from the biblical use of the lamb as a symbol of peace.



IN CITY COUNCIL

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CITY COUNCIL

JOURNAL OF PROCEEDINGS

No. 14 City Council Regular Council Meeting, Thursday, June 26, 2025, 6:00 o'clock P.M.

PRESIDING

COUNCIL PRESIDENT

RACHEL M. MILLER

CALL TO ORDER

PRESENT: COUNCIL PRESIDENT MILLER, COUNCILOR ANDERBOIS, COUNCILWOMAN ANTHONY, COUNCILMAN ESPINAL, COUNCILWOMEN GRAVES, PETERSON, COUNCILORS PICHARDO, SANCHEZ, COUNCILMAN TAYLOR AND COUNCILMAN VARGAS – 10.

ABSENT: COUNCILMAN GONCALVES, COUNCILWOMAN HARRIS, COUNCILOR ROIAS, COUNCILWOMAN RYAN AND COUNCILWOMAN VARGAS – 5.

ALSO PRESENT: TINA L. MASTROIANNI, CITY CLERK, SHERI A. PETRONIO, FIRST DEPUTY CITY CLERK, LAUREN GUTIERREZ, ASSISTANT CLERK, NAPOLEON ASKIE, CITY SERGEANT AND KENNETH CHIAVARINI, CITY SOLICITOR.

(SUBSEQUENTLY, COUNCILMAN GONCALVES JOINS THE MEETING.)

INVOCATION

The Invocation is given by **COUNCILMAN OSCAR O. VARGAS**.

“God, thank you very much for this week, and this day. God bless everybody here today that is present here to make decisions and please God gives us wisdom to make the best decisions for our city, our constituents, our wards and our future. God keep us safe this summer. It’s going to be great if we do good things for the people. Amen”

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

COUNCILMAN TAYLOR 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 MINUTES

Journal of Proceedings No. 13 of the Regular Meeting of the City Council held June 5, 2025.

COUNCILMAN ESPINAL Moves to Waive the Reading of item 3 and Move Approval, Seconded by **COUNCILOR ANDERBOIS**.

RESULT:	APPROVED (WITH VOTE) [UNANIMOUS]
MOVER:	Councilman Espinal
SECONDER:	Councilor AnderBois
AYES:	Council President Miller, Councilor AnderBois, Councilwoman Anthony, Councilmen Espinal, Goncalves, Councilwomen Graves, Peterson, Councilors Pichardo, Sanchez, Councilmen Taylor and Vargas – 11.
ABSENT:	Councilwoman Harris, Councilor Roias, Councilwomen Ryan and Vargas – 4.

APPOINTMENTS BY HIS HONOR THE MAYOR

Communication from His Honor the Mayor, dated June 10, 2025, Informing the Honorable Members of the City Council, that pursuant to Section 302(b) of the Providence Home Rule Charter of 1980, as amended and Rhode Island General Law 45-24.1-3, and Zoning Ordinance Article 17, Sections 1707 and 1718, he is this day appointing **Angela Bay**, of 118 North Main Street, Providence, Rhode Island 02903, as a member of the **Historic District Commission**, for a term to expire on September 30, 2026. (Ms. Bay replaces Ms. Dotson who has resigned)

Communication from His Honor the Mayor, dated June 10, 2025, Informing the Honorable Members of the City Council, that pursuant to Section 302(b) of the Providence Home Rule Charter of 1980, as amended, Public Law, Chapter 45-50, Sections 1-31 passed in 1987 and 1980 Public Law Chapter 84, he is this day re-appointing **Alexis M. Gorriaran**, of 8 Slocum Street, Providence, Rhode Island 02909, as a member of the **Providence Tourism Council**, also Known as the Convention Authority of the City of Providence, for a term to expire on April 30, 2028.

Communication from His Honor the Mayor, dated June 10, 2025, Informing the Honorable Members of the City Council, that pursuant to Section 302(b) of the Providence Home Rule Charter of 1980, as amended, and Section 42-63.1-11 of the Rhode Island General Laws, he is this day re-appointing **Kevin Hurley**, General Manager of the Omni Providence Hotel, as a member to the **Greater Providence - Warwick Convention and Visitors Bureau**, for a term to expire on June 30, 2028.

Communication from His Honor the Mayor, dated June 12, 2025, Informing the Honorable Members of the City Council, that pursuant to Section 302(b) of the Providence Home Rule Charter of 1980, as amended, and Section 42-63.1-11 of the Rhode Island General Laws, he is this day appointing **Vandana Kumari**, General Manager of the Renaissance Providence Hotel in Providence, Rhode Island, as a member to the **Greater Providence - Warwick Convention and Visitors Bureau**, for a term to expire on July 30, 2028. (Ms. Kumari replaces Mr. Rosenblatt who has resigned)

RESULT: RECEIVED

Communication from His Honor the Mayor, dated June 10, 2025, Informing the Honorable Members of the City Council that pursuant to Sections 302(b) and 1103 of the Providence Home Rule Charter of 1980, as amended and Public Law, Chapter 45-50, Sections 1 through 31 passed in 1987, he is this day re-appointing **Hamid Akinfolarin** of 616 Charles Street, Providence, Rhode Island 02904, as a member of the **Providence Human Relations Commission** for a term to expire on January 31, 2028, and respectfully submits the same for your approval.

Communication from His Honor the Mayor, dated June 10, 2025, Informing the Honorable Members of the City Council that pursuant to Sections 302(b) and 1103 of the Providence Home Rule Charter of 1980, as amended and Public Law, Chapter 45-50, Sections 1 through 31 passed in 1987, he is this day re-appointing **Cheryl Galloway** of 47 Rutherglen Avenue, Providence, Rhode Island 02907, as a member of the **Providence Human Relations Commission** for a term to expire on January 31, 2028, and respectfully submits the same for your approval.

Communication from His Honor the Mayor, dated June 10, 2025, Informing the Honorable Members of the City Council that pursuant to Sections 302(b) and 1103 of the Providence Home Rule Charter of 1980, as amended and Public Law, Chapter 45-50, Sections 1 through 31 passed in 1987, he is this day re-appointing **Kannyka Pouk** of 36 McKinley Street, Providence, Rhode Island 02907, as a member of the **Providence Human Relations Commission** for a term to expire on January 31, 2028, and respectfully submits the same for your approval.

RESULT:	REFERRED
TO:	Committee on Finance

APPOINTMENT BY THE COUNCIL PRESIDENT

Communication from Council President Rachel M. Miller, dated June 20, 2025, Informing the City Clerk of her appointment of Dennis Gonzalez of 11 Berkley Street, Providence, Rhode Island 02908, to the Juvenile Hearing Board, to fill the unexpired term of Jane Pellegren, who is resigning on August 1, 2025, for a term to expire on December 31, 2026.

RESULT: RECEIVED

COUNCILMAN ESPINAL Moves to Waive the Reading of items 4 through 11, Seconded by COUNCILOR ANDERBOIS.

COUNCIL PRESIDENT MILLER Receives items 4 through 7, Refers items 8 through 10 to the Committee on Finance and Receives item 11.

ORDINANCE(S) SECOND READING

The following Ordinances were in City Council June 5, 2025, Read and Passed the First Time and are Severally Returned Passage the Second Time:

**COUNCIL PRESIDENT MILLER AND COUNCILMAN GONCALVES,
(By Request):**

An Ordinance Amending Chapter 15, "Motor Vehicles and Traffic", Amending Section 15-2, "Penalties for Traffic Violations".

Section 1. Section 15-2 of the Code of Ordinances of the City of Providence, entitled "Penalties for traffic violations", is hereby repealed in its entirety and replaced by the following:

- (a) *Generally.* The general penalties provided for by section 1-10 of this Code of Ordinances shall apply to violations of this chapter or any regulations made thereunder, except that any person electing to appear before the clerk of court, or mailing the same, in lieu of a personal appearance before the Providence Municipal Court and admitting the violation charged, shall be punished by a fine as respectively set forth:

<i>Offense</i>	<i>Reference</i>	<i>Fine</i>
Parking so as to obstruct the flow of traffic	§ 15-147(a)	\$200
Parking on sidewalk	§ 15-147(b)	\$100
Parking inside intersection	§ 15-147(c)	\$100
Parking within 25 feet of corner	§ 15-147(d)	\$50
Parking inside marked crosswalk	§ 15-147(e)	\$100
Parking within 20 feet of a marked crosswalk	§ 15-147(f)	\$100
Parking within 8 feet of fire hydrant	§ 15-147(g)	\$110
Parking to obstruct driveway	§ 15-147(h)	\$100
Parking within one foot of a driveway	§ 15-147(i)	\$30
Parking in a bicycle lane	§ 15-147(j)	\$125
Parking in marked bus stop	§ 15-147(k)	\$100
Parking in taxi stand	§ 15-147(l)	\$50
Parking in loading zone	§ 15-147(m)	\$50
Parking in a tow zone	§ 15-147(n)	\$100
Parking in a fire lane	§ 15-118(c)	\$100
Parking in an otherwise prohibited area	§ 15-147(o)	\$30
Parking with left wheels to curb	§ 15-148(a)	\$40
Angled parking	§ 15-148(b)	\$50
Double parking/parking more than 3 feet from curb	§ 15-148(c)	\$55
Parking over 1 foot but less than 3 feet from curb	§ 15-148(c)	\$30
Parking during an emergency	§ 15-149(a)	\$250
Parking from 2:00 a.m. to 5:00 a.m. without valid permit	§ 15-149(b)	\$35
Overtime parking	§ 15-149(c)	\$50
Parking at expired meter or unfed meter	§ 15-150(a), (b)	\$40
Parking without permit in a residential zone	§ 15-151	\$60
Parking, standing, or stopping in a valet zone	<i>See Ch. 14, Art. XIV</i>	
Standing in prohibited areas	§ 15-152	\$50
Commercial vehicles standing in residential zones	<i>See § 15-153</i>	
Stopping bus away from curb	§ 24-74	\$50
Violation of moving vehicle traffic regulation	<i>Various</i>	\$75
Entering intersection or crosswalk without space	§ 15-16	\$75
Violation of street or bridge weight limits	Ch. 15, Art. XII	\$200

- (b) *Meter violations.* Where the violation occurs in a metered space it shall be a separate violation for vehicles remained parked in said space for each consecutive unit of time beyond the first unit of time, up to a maximum of two (2) violations.
- (c) In the event any of the foregoing stated fines are not paid or a plea of not guilty to the citation is entered prior to the fourteenth day after date of violation, said fines shall be doubled. In the event any of the foregoing stated fines are not paid or a plea of not guilty to the citation is entered subsequent to the fourteenth day and prior to the twenty-eighth day after date of violations, said fines shall be tripled.

Section 2. Chapter 15, “Motor Vehicles and Traffic” is hereby amended to add Article XIII, “Parking, Standing, and Stopping Violations,” as follows:

ARTICLE XIII. PARKING, STANDING, AND STOPPING VIOLATIONS

Sec. 15-147. Parking-Location

It shall be unlawful to park any vehicle in any of the following places except in compliance with the directions of a police officer or parking control officer:

- (a) So as to obstruct the flow of traffic;
- (b) On a sidewalk;
- (c) Inside an intersection;
- (d) Within twenty-five feet (25') of a corner;
- (e) Inside a marked crosswalk;
- (f) Within twenty feet (20') of a marked crosswalk;
- (g) Within eight feet (8') of a fire hydrant;
- (h) In front of a public or private driveway
- (i) Within one foot (1') of the curb cut of a public or private driveway;
- (j) Inside a bicycle lane;
- (k) Inside a marked bus stop;
- (l) Inside a taxi stand;
- (m) Inside a loading zone;
- (n) Inside a tow zone; or
- (o) Inside any zone marked as “no parking” by signage or a yellow or red curb.

Sec. 15-148. Parking-Manner

- (a) It shall be unlawful to park any vehicle with left wheels adjacent to the curb, except in the case of a one-way street where the vehicle is pointed in the direction of travel, or in compliance with the directions of a police officer or parking control officer.
- (b) It shall be unlawful to park any vehicle with the wheels other than parallel to the curb, except in compliance with the directions of a police officer or parking control officer, or where specifically allowed by signs, markings, or both. If markings are present, the operator shall park any vehicle within the spaces as marked, except in compliance with the directions of a police officer or parking control officer.
- (c) It shall be unlawful to park any vehicle more than one foot from a curb. Parking more than three feet from a curb shall be a more serious offense.

Sec. 15-149. Parking-Time

- (a) It shall be unlawful to park on any street during a declared emergency, except for those portions of a street designated pursuant to § 23-171. If a violator of this subsection provides satisfactory proof of Providence residency to the Municipal Court at the time of the violation, and if said violator has not been previously cited under this subsection within one year of said violation, then the Municipal Court shall waive the penalty listed in § 15-2.

- (b) It shall be unlawful to park on any street from the hours of 2 a.m. to 5 a.m. without a valid overnight parking permit.
- (c) It shall be unlawful to park at any place in excess of the maximum time limited by signs. For the purposes of this subsection a vehicle shall be deemed to have been parked continuously if the vehicle has not been moved to a different block upon or before the expiration of the parking time limit.

Sec. 15-150. Parking-Meters

- (a) It shall be unlawful to park any vehicle in a designated parking meter zone or space:
 - (1) Without depositing United States currency of the denomination indicated on the meter or by otherwise making payment by electronic, mobile pay, or other forms of payment and putting the meter in operation or otherwise thereby obtaining authorization to park; or
 - (2) If the meter is of the type that issues a ticket or other token, or activates a display device, without displaying in a publicly visible location on the dashboard or inner windshield of the vehicle or affixing to a motorcycle or a motor scooter a ticket, token, or display device, issued or activated by the meter.
- (b) It shall be unlawful to park any vehicle in a designated parking meter zone or space for a period longer than is designated by the meter or on the ticket, token, display device or electronic receipt for the value of the currency deposited in the meter, or the value otherwise registered by the meter. For purposes of this subsection, a vehicle shall be deemed to have been parked beyond the maximum period allowed if the vehicle has not been moved to a different block (or, for multi-space meters, a different zone) upon or before the expiration of the parking time limit posted on the parking meter.
- (c) It shall be unlawful to:
 - (1) Display a stolen, altered, defaced or otherwise tampered with or counterfeited ticket, display device or electronic receipt; or
 - (2) Display a ticket bearing a different plate number from the plate number of the vehicle parked in such zone or space.
- (d) It is not a violation of this section to park a vehicle at a zone or space served by a meter that does not function properly, provided that the meter is inoperable or malfunctioning through no fault of the vehicle's operator, and provided that for multi-space meters that there are no other meters on the block at which to pay per § 15-14(e). A zone or space served by a meter that does not function properly shall have a two-hour time limit in accordance with § 15-149(c).

Sec. 15-151. Parking-Residential Zone

It shall be unlawful to park in a designated residential zone without having and displaying a valid residential zone permit.

Sec. 15-152. Standing or stopping.

It shall be unlawful to stand or stop a vehicle at any place where any official traffic sign has been placed or erected prohibiting standing or stopping.

Sec. 15-153. Residential parking/standing of certain commercial vehicles.

- (a) For the purpose of this section, a commercial vehicle shall be defined as any vehicle in excess of twenty (20) feet in length and any vehicle over six thousand five hundred (6,500) pounds gross vehicle weight.
- (b) No commercial vehicle shall park or stand, unless engaged in the loading or off-loading of materials, for more than one (1) hour between 9:00 p.m. of one (1) day and 8:00 a.m. of the following day, or at any time on Sunday, on any part of any street, way, highway, road, or parkway under the control of the city.
- (c) No vehicle shall park off-street in any front-yard area of any dwelling house unless the same shall have been approved for the parking of such vehicles by the appropriate municipal agency.
- (d) No operator of any vehicle shall, while in said vehicle, cross the sidewalk portion of the roadway except at permitted driveway openings to gain access to off-street parking.
- (e) Any person found in violation of any of these sections shall be subject to the penalties enumerated in section 1-10 herein, but in no case shall any person found in violation hereof be fined less than fifty dollars (\$50.00).
- (f)
 - (1) Any commercial vehicle otherwise in violation of this section and having an engine idling shall be deemed to be a hazard to the quality of life.
 - (3) Any commercial vehicle otherwise in violation of this section and in any way limiting, restricting or blocking the access of public safety vehicles in the course of their operation shall be deemed to be a hazard to public safety.
 - (3) Any commercial vehicle which, under this section, is deemed to be a hazard to the quality of life or a hazard to public safety shall be towed and the person violating subsection (f)(1) or (2) of this section shall be subject to the penalties enumerated in section 1-10 herein, but in no case shall any person found in violation hereof be fined less than one hundred dollars (\$100.00).

Section 3. Section 15-11, “Residential parking/standing of certain commercial vehicles,” having been transferred to Sec. 15-153, is hereby repealed and reserved for future use.

Section 4. The repeal and replacement of Sections 15-2 and 15-11 do not apply to an offense committed under that section before the effective date of this Ordinance. An offense committed before the effective date of this Ordinance is governed by that section as it existed on the date the offense was committed, and the former law is continued in effect for that purpose.

Section 5. This Ordinance shall take effect upon passage.

**COUNCIL PRESIDENT MILLER, COUNCILWOMAN HARRIS,
COUNCILMAN GONCALVES AND COUNCILWOMAN GRAVES,
(By Request):**

An Ordinance Amending Chapter 23, “Streets, Sidewalks, and Public Places,” and Chapter 25, “Water and Sewers,” to amend various permit fee amounts.

Section 1. Section 23-69 of the Code of Ordinances of the City of Providence, entitled “Curb cuts; permit required”, is hereby amended as follows:

No person, firm or corporation shall engage in the alteration of any curb without first filing an application with the director of public works in writing and obtaining a permit therefor. Said permits shall be subject to the approval of the engineer. The fee for said permit shall be fifty dollars (\$50.00) for residential property and two hundred dollars (\$200.00) for commercial or industrial property.

Section 2. Subsections (c) and (d) of section 25-73 of the Code of Ordinances of the City of Providence, entitled “Building sewers and connections”, is hereby amended as follows:

(c) Types of permits established. There shall be three (3) classes of building sewer permits: class A permits, which shall authorize the connection of establishments generating essentially sanitary waste water, as defined in section 25-72, to the public sewer; class B permits, which shall authorize the connection of establishments producing industrial waste water, as defined in section 25-72, to the public sewer; and class C permits, which shall authorize the connection of establishments handling only stormwater, to the extent permitted by section 25-75.

(d) Application requirements. Application for a building sewer permit shall be made by a licensed plumber or licensed drain layer for the building to be connected and shall be made on an application form provided by the director. Each application shall be supplemented with the plans and specifications for the sewer connection and such other information relating to the building and the wastes to be discharged as may be considered pertinent by the director. At his discretion, the director may also require that all plans, specifications and data so submitted shall bear the seal and signature of a professional engineer registered in the State of Rhode Island. A permit and inspection fee of one hundred dollars (\$100.00) for a class A permit, of two hundred dollars (\$200.00) for a Class B permit, and of one hundred fifty dollars (\$150.00) for a Class C permit shall be paid to the city at the time the application is filed.

Section 3. This Ordinance shall take effect upon passage.

**COUNCIL PRESIDENT MILLER, COUNCILWOMAN HARRIS,
COUNCILMAN GONCALVES AND COUNCILWOMAN GRAVES,
(By Request):**

An Ordinance Amending Chapter 10, "Food and Food Products", and Chapter 14, "Licenses," to amend various permit fee amounts.

Section 1. Section 14-173 of the Code of Ordinances of the City of Providence, entitled "License application and fees", is hereby amended as follows:

All vendors shall obtain a license and badge from the board of licenses. Licenses issued by the board of licenses shall be valid from the date of issuance until the first date of May of the next calendar year. The board of licenses shall develop license application forms, and procedures, and shall ensure that the applications meet the requirements of this article. The annual vendor license fees are as follows:

- (1) Mobile vendor license and badge one hundred dollars (\$100.00).
 - a. An additional license fee is required for each of the following:
 - i. Food sales-one hundred dollars (\$100.00).
 - ii. Frozen food sales only-twenty dollars (\$20.00).
 - iii. Vending on state holidays-one hundred dollars (\$100.00).
 - b. Vendor market license-ten dollars (\$10.00); and
 - c. Each additional vendor in a vendor market-ten dollars (\$10.00) (unless the vendor is already a licensed mobile vendor)

Fees shall be waived for one (1) mobile establishment owned and operated by a licensed restaurant.

Section 2. Section 14-288 of the Code of Ordinances of the City of Providence, entitled “Annual renewal”, is hereby amended as follows:

The permit created herein, if granted, shall be valid for one (1) year from the date of its issuance, but may be renewed annually at a fee of five hundred dollars (\$500.00).

Section 3. Section 14-156 of the Code of Ordinances of the City of Providence, entitled “License fee”, is hereby amended as follows:

The sum of two hundred dollars (\$200.00) shall be the annual charge for each pawnbroker's license.

Section 4. Subsection (b) of section 14-262 of the Code of Ordinances of the City of Providence, entitled “License application; fee”, is hereby amended as follows:

(b) All applications shall be accompanied by an application fee of two hundred fifty dollars (\$250.00), plus the costs of advertising, posting and mailing as determined by the board of licenses.

Section 5. Subsection (c) of section 14-1 of the Code of Ordinances of the City of Providence, entitled “Closing hours; license fees, regulations for commercial establishments”, is hereby amended as follows:

(c) *Fee for license.* The fee for permission to operate any one (1) of the aforesaid businesses between the aforesaid hours shall be five hundred dollars (\$500.00) per annum payable to the bureau of licenses on or before the issuance thereof and annually thereafter.

Section 6. Section 10-24 of the Code of Ordinances of the City of Providence, entitled “Same-Issuance, fee, posting”, is hereby amended as follows:

(a) The ~~bureau~~ board of licenses shall issue licenses for all restaurants and shall collect the fees therefor.

(b) The annual fee for Class A Restaurants shall be two hundred fifty dollars (\$250.00); for Class B Restaurants, fifty dollars (\$50.00); for lunch carts, one hundred dollars (\$100.00); for delicatessens, twenty dollars (\$20.00); for caterers, one hundred dollars (\$100.00). Restaurants operated by nonprofit organizations in public parochial or nonprofit private schools or hospitals not operated for profit shall be required to obtain a license but shall be exempt from the payment of the fees therefor. It shall be unlawful for any person to operate any victualling house or restaurant in the city without first having obtained a license for the conduct and operation of the same from the bureau of licenses and any such place which is operated without a license shall be closed forthwith by order of the bureau of licenses. Such licenses shall be posted in a conspicuous place on the premises.

Section 7. This Ordinance shall take effect upon passage.

**COUNCIL PRESIDENT MILLER AND COUNCILMAN GONCALVES,
(By Request):**

An Ordinance Amending Chapter 4, "Animals and Fowl".

Section 1. Subsection (f) of section 4-12 of the Code of Ordinances of the City of Providence, entitled "Confinement of animals in motor vehicles prohibited", is hereby amended as follows:

(f) Penalties. Any person convicted of violating any provision of this section shall be punished by the payment of a fine consisting of two hundred dollars (\$200.00) for a first offense, three hundred dollars (\$300.00) for a second offense, and four hundred dollars (\$400.00) and seizure of the animal for a third (and any succeeding) violation, said fines to be recovered for the use of the city. If such violation be continued, each day's violation constitutes a separate offense.

Section 2. Section 4-36 of the Code of Ordinances of the City of Providence, entitled "Impoundment fees", is hereby amended as follows:

Any animal impounded hereunder may be reclaimed, as herein provided, upon payment by the owner to the dog officer of twenty-five dollars (\$25.00) and the additional sum of five dollars (\$5.00) per day for each day such dog is retained. Said owner, prior to reclaiming of the animal, must sign an affidavit that he or she is the owner of the animal which he or she is attempting to reclaim. Said owner must also provide proof that the animal is licensed in conformity with R.I.G.L. (1956) § 4-13-4, as amended, to the dog officer. Such fees shall be collected by the dog officer and deposited with the city collector, with a monthly report concerning the number of dogs retained, an accounting of the fees collected, and a copy of the paid receipt given to each owner upon the reclaiming of the animal.

Section 3. Section 4-19 of the Code of Ordinances of the City of Providence, entitled “Licensure and proof of vaccinations:

Every dog shall be licensed. At the time of application for a license, the owner or keeper of any dog shall produce evidence that the animal has received vaccination against rabies and distemper-hepatitis-parvovirus-parainfluenza. The license fee shall be ten dollars (\$10.00).

Section 4. Section 4-52 of the Code of Ordinances of the City of Providence, entitled “Penalty for violation of article”, is hereby amended as follows:

Unless the penalty is otherwise specified, any person convicted of violating any provision of this article shall be punished by the payment of a fine consisting of twenty-five dollars (\$25.00) for a first offense, thirty-five dollars (\$35.00) for a second offense, and fifty-five dollars (\$55.00) for a third (and any succeeding) violation, said fines to be recovered for the use of the city. If such violation be continued, each day's violation may constitute a separate offense.

Section 5. Subsection (a) of section 4-47 of the Code of Ordinances of the City of Providence, entitled “Conditions declared nuisance; abatement required”, is hereby amended as follows:

(a) The keeping or harboring of any dog, whether licensed or not, which by unreasonable and habitual howling, barking, or any other noise, disturbs a surrounding or adjacent neighbor or neighbors, is hereby declared to be a public nuisance. The said neighbor complaining about the dog nuisance must be willing to sign a complaint and testify in court as to the offending animal. The person or owner of the dog must be warned at least once by the dog officer or a representative of the police department or animal shelter. The dog officer shall investigate the complaint to such an extent so as to hear the animal in question barking and to show that the animal is a public nuisance and/or a bother to the peaceful inhabitants of the city, or the neighborhood. The dog officer, if he finds a nuisance exists shall serve written notice upon the owner or custodian of said animal to show that the animal is a public nuisance.

If after said offense has been noted and said offense, howling, barking, or any other noise which disturbs a neighbor is not abated, the owner shall be brought to municipal court and fined twenty-five dollars (\$25.00) for the first offense and fifty dollars (\$50.00) for the second offense and if a third offense exists, fined seventy-five dollars (\$75.00) and said dog shall be impounded.

Section 6. Section 4-1 of the Code of Ordinances of the City of Providence, entitled “Establishment of public pound”, is hereby amended as follows:

There shall be a public pound of the city.

Section 7. This Ordinance shall take effect upon passage.

COUNCILMAN ESPINAL Moves to Waive the Reading of items 12 through 15 and Pass for the Second Time on a Roll Call Vote , Seconded by COUNCILOR ANDERBOIS.

RESULT:	READ/PASSED SECOND TIME [UNANIMOUS]
MOVER:	Councilman Espinal
SECONDER:	Councilor AnderBois
AYES:	Council President Miller, Councilor AnderBois, Councilwoman Anthony, Councilmen Espinal, Goncalves, Councilwomen Graves, Peterson, Councilors Pichardo, Sanchez, Councilmen Taylor and Vargas – 11.
ABSENT:	Councilwoman Harris, Councilor Roias, Councilwomen Ryan and Vargas – 4.

The Motion for Passage the Second Time is Sustained.

PRESENTATION OF ORDINANCES

COUNCILMAN GONCALVES, COUNCILORS SANCHEZ, ROIAS AND COUNCILWOMAN GRAVES

An Ordinance Amending Chapter 13 “Housing”, of the Code of Ordinances of the City of Providence, to add the next appropriate Article, “The Providence Rental Brokerage Fee Act”.

RESULT:	REFERRED
TO:	Special Committee on Health, Opportunity, Prosperity and Education (HOPE)

COUNCILOR PICHARDO AND COUNCILMAN VARGAS, (By Request):

An Ordinance making an Appropriation of Ninety-Nine Million Eight Hundred Eighty-Seven Thousand Three Hundred Sixty-Two Dollars (\$99,887,362) for the support of the Providence Water Supply Board for the Fiscal Year Ending June 30, 2026.

An Ordinance making an Appropriation of Three Million Two Hundred Thirty-Nine Thousand Nine Hundred Eighty-Six Dollars (\$3,239,986) for the Water Supply Board Water Quality Protection Fund for the Fiscal Year Ending June 30, 2026.

An Ordinance making an Appropriation of Three Million Nine Hundred Sixty-Two Thousand Two Hundred Seventy-Four Dollars (\$3,962,274) for the Water Supply Board Capital Fund for the Fiscal Year Ending June 30, 2026.

An Ordinance making an Appropriation of One Hundred Nine Million Four Hundred Thirty Thousand Six Hundred Seventy-One Dollars (\$109,430,671) for the Water Supply Board Infrastructure Replacement Program Fund for the Fiscal Year Ending June 30, 2026.

An Ordinance making an Appropriation of One Million Nine Hundred Ninety-Six Thousand Seven Hundred Sixty-Two Dollars (\$1,996,762) for the Water Supply Board Meter Replacement Fund for the Fiscal Year Ending June 30, 2026.

An Ordinance making an Appropriation of Four Million One Hundred Fifty-Eight Thousand Five Hundred Two Dollars (\$4,158,502) for the Water Supply Board Insurance Fund for the Fiscal Year Ending June 30, 2026.

An Ordinance making an Appropriation of One Million Nine Hundred Fifty-Five Thousand Two Hundred Ten Dollars (\$1,955,210) for the Water Supply Board Revenue Reserve Fund for Fiscal Year Ending June 30, 2026.

An Ordinance making an Appropriation of Three Million Nineteen Thousand Five Hundred Ninety-Six Dollars (\$3,019,596) for the Water Supply Board Equipment Replacement Fund for the Fiscal Year Ending June 30, 2026.

An Ordinance making an Appropriation of Five Hundred Fifteen Thousand Five Hundred Thirty Dollars (\$515,530) for the Water Supply Board Property Tax Refund Fund for the Fiscal Year Ending June 30, 2026.

An Ordinance making an Appropriation of Five Hundred Thirty-Five Thousand Eight Dollars (\$535,008) for the Water Supply Board Western Cranston Fund for the Fiscal Year Ending June 30, 2026.

An Ordinance making an Appropriation of Four Million Seven Hundred Thirty-Seven Thousand Nine Hundred Seven Dollars (\$4,737,907) for the Water Supply Board Chemical and Sludge Fund for the Fiscal Year Ending June 30, 2026.

An Ordinance making an Appropriation of Eleven Million Four Hundred Twenty-Four Thousand Four Hundred Ninety-Four Dollars (\$11,424,494) for the Water Supply Board Lead Service Replacement Fund for Fiscal Year Ending June 30, 2026.

An Ordinance Establishing the Classes of Position, the Maximum Number of Employees and the Number of Employees in Certain Classes in the Water Supply Board and Repealing Ordinance Chapter 2024-60, Effective October 24, 2024.

An Ordinance Establishing a Compensation Plan for the Water Supply Board and Repealing Ordinance Chapter 2024-59 Effective October 24, 2024.

COUNCILMAN TAYLOR AND COUNCILWOMAN GRAVES, (By Request):

An Ordinance Relating to Article IV, Chapter 17, Section 17-189(f) of the Code of Ordinances. (Disability Waiver Request) (Lisa Scott).

PRESENTATION OF RESOLUTIONS

COUNCIL PRESIDENT MILLER, (By Request):

Resolution Authorizing Approval of the following Contract Award by the Board of Contract and Supply, in accordance with Section 21-26(b)(1) of the Code of Ordinances.

USI Insurance Services, LLC \$590,000.00
(Department of Total Rewards)

Resolution Authorizing Approval of the following Contract Award by the Board of Contract and Supply, in accordance with Section 21-26(b)(1) of the Code of Ordinances.

Rehrig Pacific Company \$7,689,450.00
(Department of Sustainability)

Resolution Authorizing Approval of the following Contract Award by the Board of Contract and Supply, in accordance with Section 21-26(b)(1) of the Code of Ordinances.

Martone Service Company \$1,326,836.00
(Department of Public Property)

RESULT:	REFERRED
TO:	Committee on Finance

COUNCILMAN ESPINAL Moves to Waive the Reading of items 16 through 34, Seconded by COUNCILOR ANDERBOIS.

COUNCIL PRESIDENT MILLER Refers item 16 to the Special Committee on Health Opportunity Prosperity and Education (HOPE) and Refers items 17 through 34 to the Committee on Finance.

COUNCILMEN GONCALVES, ESPINAL, COUNCILWOMAN GRAVES AND COUNCILOR SANCHEZ

Resolution Extending Gratitude to the Downtown Improvement District.

WHEREAS, Since its founding in 2005, the Downtown Improvement District (DID) has committed to strengthening the vibrancy and livability of downtown Providence; and

WHEREAS, For two decades, Downtown Providence’s physical, economic, and social atmosphere has been enhanced and maintained by the numerous services provided by the Downtown Improvement District; and

WHEREAS, Whether it be sidewalk cleaning, landscaping and beautification, public safety efforts, marketing and promotional activities, or community events, it is hard to miss the hard work that our DID employees put in every day; and

WHEREAS, DID’s presence contributes significantly to the quality of life for residents, supports local businesses, and ensures that Downtown remains a welcoming destination for visitors and a hub of activity for all; and

WHEREAS, The Providence City Council deeply appreciates the dedication and positive impact that the Downtown Improvement District continues to make in our community.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, That the Providence City Council hereby recognizes and commends the Downtown Improvement District for its steadfast commitment to enhancing Downtown Providence, and extends its gratitude to the leadership and staff for their ongoing service to the City and its residents.

COUNCILMAN ESPINAL Moves to Waive the Reading of item 35 and Pass on a Voice Vote, Seconded by COUNCILOR ANDERBOIS.

RESULT:	PASSED [UNANIMOUS]
MOVER:	Councilman Espinal
SECONDER:	Councilor AnderBois
AYES:	Council President Miller, Councilor AnderBois, Councilwoman Anthony, Councilmen Espinal, Goncalves, Councilwomen Graves, Peterson, Councilors Pichardo, Sanchez, Councilmen Taylor and Vargas – 11.
ABSENT:	Councilwoman Harris, Councilor Roias, Councilwomen Ryan and Vargas – 4.

The Motion for Passage is Sustained.

PERSONAL EXPRESSION

COUNCILWOMAN GRAVES Requests the privilege of the floor to speak on a Point of Personal Expression and states:

"I just want to add that it covers more than just Ward 1. Ward 12 still has a little piece of you all to, and we also welcome you because I'm going to be truthful with you, I was one of the ones that said no, we didn't need you, but we did. So, I welcome you, we appreciate you and you get all the kudos, but I always thought that you guys in the yellow jackets were fine. "I wasn't sure about the board, but now that I'm a board member we are doing okay".

COUNCIL PRESIDENT MILLER Requests the privilege of the floor to speak on a Point of Personal Expression and states:

"I would just like to add a point of personal expression, especially after a very successful and safe pride weekend. I know that creates a lot downtown. I want to thank you for everything and Councilman Salvatore, it's very nice to see you here in the Chamber. Thank you to the Providence Foundation".

COUNCILWOMAN HARRIS, COUNCILMAN ESPINAL AND COUNCILWOMAN GRAVES

Resolution Establishing a Ceremonial Designation of "Dodge Street" in Providence as "Barbara Thurman Way".

RESULT:	REFERRED
TO:	Committee on Urban Redevelopment, Renewal and Planning

COUNCILMEN VARGAS AND ESPINAL

Resolution Instructing the City’s Traffic Engineering Division and the Office of Curbside Management to Inspect all City-Owned Traffic and Parking Signage.

RESULT: REFERRED
TO: Committee on Public Works

COUNCILMAN ESPINAL Moves to Waive the Reading of items 36 and 37, Seconded by COUNCILOR ANDERBOIS.

COUNCIL PRESIDENT MILLER Refers items 36 to the Committee on Urban Redevelopment, Renewal and Planning (URRP) and Refers item 37 to the Committee on Public Works.

REPORT(S) FROM COMMITTEE(S)

**COMMITTEE ON FINANCE
COUNCILWOMAN HELEN D. ANTHONY, Chairwoman**

Transmits the Following with Recommendation the Same be Adopted:

COUNCILOR PICHARDO, COUNCILMAN VARGAS, COUNCIL PRESIDENT MILLER AND COUNCILWOMAN GRAVES, (By Request):

An Ordinance of the City of Providence Approving Improvements to the Providence Water Supply Board Distribution System, including but not limited to the Replacement of Public and Private Side Lead Services and all Attendant Expenses and Approving the financing thereof by the Issuance of Water Revenue Bonds and Notes therefor in an amount not to exceed \$26,200,000.00.

COUNCILMAN ESPINAL Moves to Waive the Reading of item 38 and Pass for the First Time on a Roll Call Vote, Seconded by COUNCILOR ANDERBOIS.

RESULT: READ/PASSED FOR THE FIRST TIME [UNANIMOUS]
MOVER: Councilman Espinal
SECONDER: Councilor AnderBois
AYES: Council President Miller, Councilor AnderBois, Councilwoman Anthony, Councilmen Espinal, Goncalves, Councilwomen Graves, Peterson, Councilors Pichardo, Sanchez, Councilmen Taylor and Vargas – 11.
ABSENT: Councilwoman Harris, Councilor Roias, Councilwomen Ryan and Vargas – 4.

The Motion for Passage the First Time is Sustained.

Resolution Approving and Ratifying the Tentative Agreement by and between the City of Providence, Rhode Island and the Rhode Island Laborers' District Council on behalf of Public Service Employees' Local Union 1033 of the Laborers' International Union of North America, AFL-CIO for the period of July 1, 2025 through June 30, 2028.

RESOLVED, That the accompanying copy of the Collective Bargaining Agreement by and between the City of Providence, Rhode Island and the Rhode Island Laborers' District Council on behalf of Public Service Employees' Local Union 1033 of the Laborers' International Union of North America, AFL-CIO for the period of July 1, 2025 through June 30, 2028, is hereby approved and ratified by the Providence City Council.

COUNCILMAN ESPINAL Moves to Waive the Reading of item 39 and Pass on a Roll Call Vote , Seconded by COUNCILOR ANDERBOIS.

RESULT:	PASSED [UNANIMOUS]
MOVER:	Councilman Espinal
SECONDER:	Councilor AnderBois
AYES:	Council President Miller, Councilor AnderBois, Councilwoman Anthony, Councilmen Espinal, Goncalves, Councilwomen Graves, Peterson, Councilors Pichardo, Sanchez, Councilmen Taylor and Vargas – 11.
ABSENT:	Councilwoman Harris, Councilor Roias, Councilwomen Ryan and Vargas – 4.

The Motion for Passage is Sustained.

COUNCILOR ROIAS, (By Request):

Resolution Endorsing and Urging Passage by the General Assembly of House Bill 2025 H-6135 and Senate Bill S-1018, An Act Relating to Alcoholic Beverages - Retail Licenses.

WHEREAS, The Rhode Island General Assembly is considering House Bill H-6135 and Senate Bill S-1018, which seeks to amend Section 3-7-19 of the Rhode Island General Laws to permit the issuance of a Class B liquor license for the property located at 1039 Douglas Avenue in the City of Providence.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, That the Providence City Council hereby supports and urges passage of House Bill H-6135 and Senate Bill S-1018 - An Act Relating to Alcoholic Beverages - Retail Licenses; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That, upon passage, copies of this resolution be transmitted to the Speaker of the Rhode Island House of Representatives, President of the Rhode Island Senate, and the Providence delegation.

COUNCILMAN ESPINAL Moves to Waive the Reading of item 40 and Pass on a Voice Vote, Seconded by COUNCILOR ANDERBOIS.

RESULT:	PASSED [UNANIMOUS]
MOVER:	Councilman Espinal
SECONDER:	Councilor AnderBois
AYES:	Council President Miller, Councilor AnderBois, Councilwoman Anthony, Councilmen Espinal, Goncalves, Councilwomen Graves, Peterson, Councilors Pichardo, Sanchez, Councilmen Taylor and Vargas – 11.
ABSENT:	Councilwoman Harris, Councilor Roias, Councilwomen Ryan and Vargas – 4.

The Motion for Passage is Sustained.

COUNCIL PRESIDENT MILLER, (By Request):

Resolution Authorizing Approval of the following Amended Contract Award by the Board of Contract and Supply, in accordance with Section 21-26(b)(5) of the Code of Ordinances.

Downes Construction Company (Department of Public Property)	\$7,370,986.00
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RESOLVED, That the Members of the Providence City Council hereby Authorize Approval of the following Amended Contract Award by the Board of Contract and Supply, in accordance with Section 21-26(b)(5) of the Code of Ordinances.

Downes Construction Company (Department of Public Property)	\$7,370,986.00
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Resolution Authorizing Approval of the following Contract Extension Award by the Board of Contract and Supply, in accordance with Section 21-26(b)(1), (2), (4) and (5) of the Code of Ordinances.

Downes Construction Company
(Department of Public Property)

\$18,914,190.00

RESOLVED, That the Members of the Providence City Council hereby Authorize Approval of the following Contract Extension Award by the Board of Contract and Supply, in accordance with Section 21-26(b)(1), (2), (4) and (5) of the Code of Ordinances.

Downes Construction Company
(Department of Public Property)

\$18,914,190.00

COUNCILMAN ESPINAL Moves to Waive the Reading of item 41 and 42, Pass on a Voice Vote and Refer Back to the Board of Contract and Supply, Seconded by COUNCILOR ANDERBOIS.

RESULT:	PASSED [UNANIMOUS]
MOVER:	Councilman Espinal
SECONDER:	Councilor AnderBois
AYES:	Council President Miller, Councilor AnderBois, Councilwoman Anthony, Councilmen Espinal, Goncalves, Councilwomen Graves, Peterson, Councilors Pichardo, Sanchez, Councilmen Taylor and Vargas – 11.
ABSENT:	Councilwoman Harris, Councilor Roias, Councilwomen Ryan and Vargas – 4.

The Motion for Passage is Sustained.

Communication from His Honor the Mayor, dated May 20, 2025, Informing the Honorable Members of the City Council that pursuant to Sections 302(b) and 203 of the Providence Home Rule Charter of 1980, as amended, he is this day appointing **David Leach** of 100 Swift Street, Providence, Rhode Island 02904 to the **Board of Canvassers** for a term to expire on the first Monday in March 2031, and respectfully submits the same for your approval. (Mr. Leach replaces Ms. Bernal whose term expired).

COUNCILMAN ESPINAL Moves to Waive the Reading of item 43 and Receive and Approve, Seconded by COUNCILOR ANDERBOIS.

RESULT:	RECEIVED AND APPROVED [UNANIMOUS]
MOVER:	Councilman Espinal
SECONDER:	Councilor AnderBois
AYES:	Council President Miller, Councilor AnderBois, Councilwoman Anthony, Councilmen Espinal, Goncalves, Councilwomen Graves, Peterson, Councilors Pichardo, Sanchez, Councilmen Taylor and Vargas – 11.
ABSENT:	Councilwoman Harris, Councilor Roias, Councilwomen Ryan and Vargas – 4.

COMMITTEE ON ORDINANCES
COUNCILMAN PEDRO J. ESPINAL, Chairman

Transmits the Following with Recommendation the Same be Severally Adopted, As Amended:

An Ordinance in Amendment of Chapter 27 of the Code of Ordinances of the City of Providence, Entitled: "The City of Providence Zoning Ordinance," Approved November 24, 2014, As Amended, to change the Zoning District on the Official Zoning Map for the Property located on Assessor's Plat 6, Lot 8, (14-16 Braman Street), from R-3 to C-2.

An Ordinance in Amendment of Chapter 27 of the Code of Ordinances of the City of Providence, Entitled: "The City of Providence Zoning Ordinance," Approved November 24, 2014, As Amended, to further amend Section 604(G)(4)(h), regarding certain parking variances in the D-1 District.

Transmits the Following with Recommendation the Same be Severally Adopted:

COUNCILWOMAN VARGAS, COUNCILMAN VARGAS AND COUNCILWOMAN GRAVES

An Ordinance in Amendment of Chapter 27 of The Code of Ordinances, Entitled: "The City of Providence Zoning Ordinance," Approved November 24, 2014, As Amended, to change the Zoning District on the Official Zoning Map for the Property Located on Assessor's Plat 110, Lot 249 (83 Ethan Street) from R3 to C2.

COUNCILMAN ESPINAL AND COUNCILWOMAN HARRIS, (By Request):

An Ordinance in Amendment of Chapter 27 of the Code of Ordinances of the City of Providence Entitled "The City of Providence Zoning Ordinance," Approved November 24, 2014, As Amended, to Change Certain Text in Article 19 Regarding Adjustments of Dimensional Regulations for Land Development Projects.

COUNCILMAN ESPINAL Moves to Waive the Reading of items 44 through 47 and Pass for the First Time on a Roll Call Vote , Seconded by COUNCILOR ANDERBOIS.

RESULT:	READ/PASSED FOR THE FIRST TIME [UNANIMOUS]
MOVER:	Councilman Espinal
SECONDER:	Councilor AnderBois
AYES:	Council President Miller, Councilor AnderBois, Councilwoman Anthony, Councilmen Espinal, Goncalves, Councilwomen Graves, Peterson, Councilors Pichardo, Sanchez, Councilmen Taylor and Vargas – 11.
ABSENT:	Councilwoman Harris, Councilor Roias, Councilwomen Ryan and Vargas – 4.

The Motion for Passage the First Time is Sustained.

CLAIMS AND PENDING SUITS

Certificates from City Assessor (No. 74X), recommending the same be cancelled pursuant to the provisions of Sections 14 and 15 of Title 44, Chapter 7 of the General Laws of the State of Rhode Island, 1956, As Amended.

COUNCILMAN ESPINAL Moves to Waive the Reading of item 48 and Pass on a Roll Call Vote , Seconded by COUNCILOR ANDERBOIS.

RESULT:	PASSED [UNANIMOUS]
MOVER:	Councilman Espinal
SECONDER:	Councilor AnderBois
AYES:	Council President Miller, Councilor AnderBois, Councilwoman Anthony, Councilmen Espinal, Goncalves, Councilwomen Graves, Peterson, Councilors Pichardo, Sanchez, Councilmen Taylor and Vargas – 11.
ABSENT:	Councilwoman Harris, Councilor Roias, Councilwomen Ryan and Vargas – 4.

The Motion for Passage is Sustained.

COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC WORKS COUNCILMAN OSCAR VARGAS, Chairman

Transmits the Following with Recommendation the Same be Severally Approved:

**COUNCILOR ANDERBOIS, COUNCILMAN GONCALVES,
COUNCILWOMEN HARRIS, PETERSON AND VARGAS**

Resolution Requesting an easement on behalf of The Narragansett Electric Company, a domestic utility currently doing business as Rhode Island Energy, located at 280 Melrose Avenue in Providence, has requested an easement over, under, and across a portion of land at 438 Hope Street (Assessor's Plat 8 Lot 464), near the Vincent Brown Recreation Center.

RESOLVED, DECREED AND ORDERED:

Petitioner THE NARRAGANSETT ELECTRIC COMPANY, a domestic utility currently doing business as Rhode Island Energy, located at 280 Melrose Avenue in Providence, has requested an easement over, under, and across a portion of land at 438 Hope Street (Assessor's Plat 8 Lot 464), near the Vincent Brown Recreation Center. The City is part of a condominium that owns title to said land. The City Council hereby authorizes the City to cast its votes within the condominium association in favor of granting the easement attached as Exhibit A.

COUNCILWOMAN VARGAS, (By Request):

Resolution Requesting an easement on behalf of The Narragansett Electric Company, a domestic utility currently doing business as Rhode Island Energy, located at 280 Melrose Avenue in Providence, has requested an easement over, under, and across a portion of land at 675 Plainfield Street (Assessor’s Plat 111, Lot 92). The City Council hereby authorizes the Mayor to enter into the easement attached as Exhibit A.

RESOLVED, DECREED AND ORDERED

Petitioner THE NARRAGANSETT ELECTRIC COMPANY, a domestic utility currently doing business as Rhode Island Energy, located at 280 Melrose Avenue in Providence, has requested an easement over, under, and across City-owned land at 675 Plainfield Street (Assessor’s Plat 111, Lot 92). The City Council hereby authorizes the Mayor to enter into the easement attached as

Exhibit A.

COUNCILMAN ESPINAL Moves to Waive the Reading of items 49 and 50 and Pass on a Voice Vote, Seconded by COUNCILOR ANDERBOIS.

RESULT:	PASSED [UNANIMOUS]
MOVER:	Councilman Espinal
SECONDER:	Councilor AnderBois
AYES:	Council President Miller, Councilor AnderBois, Councilwoman Anthony, Councilmen Espinal, Goncalves, Councilwomen Graves, Peterson, Councilors Pichardo, Sanchez, Councilmen Taylor and Vargas – 11.
ABSENT:	Councilwoman Harris, Councilor Roias, Councilwomen Ryan and Vargas – 4.

The Motion for Passage is Sustained.

FROM THE CLERK'S DESK

Petitions for Compensation for Injuries and Damages, viz:

Brian Chu

Neil Beranbaum

Adolfo R. Castellar

(Robert V. Russo Law Offices, LLC)

Carlos Alberto Munoz Ayala

Lily Traves

Sheldon Schwartz

Kendra Bailey

(Fay Law Associates, Inc.)

Robin Anne Giacomini

Wendy R. Morris

Erika Rita Ramirez

Devan Peter Solina

Stephen R. DiChiara

Bryan Osorio

Progressive Direct Insurance Company a/s/o Aracelis Bello De Nunez

Brittany Palmer

Clarke Lowery

Laura Luongo

Verizon/CMR Claims Department

RESULT:	REFERRED
TO:	Committee on Claims and Pending Suits

COMMUNICATIONS AND REPORTS

Communication from David Radcliffe, Director of Telecommunications, informing the City Clerk of those employees approved and authorized to take City vehicles home, pursuant to Section 2-13 "Personal Use of City Vehicles" of the Providence Code of Ordinances.

Report from Daniel M. Murphy, Director of Security, Providence Housing Authority, submitting the Providence Housing Authority Security Plan June 2025.

RESULT: RECEIVED

COUNCILMAN ESPINAL Moves to Waive the Reading of items 51 through 53, Seconded by COUNCILOR ANDERBOIS.

COUNCIL PRESIDENT MILLER Refers item 51 to the Committee on Claims and Pending Suits and Receives items 52 and 53.

**PRESENTATION OF RESOLUTIONS
"IN CONGRATULATIONS"**

COUNCIL PRESIDENT MILLER AND MEMBERS OF THE CITY COUNCIL

Resolution Extending Congratulations.

RESOLVED, that the Members of the City Council hereby extend their Sincere Congratulations to the following:

Robinson Berroa, in recognition of your vibrant contributions to our nightlife and cultural scene. Your leadership, vision and dedication have created a space that uplifts community, celebrates diversity, and inspires connection. Thank you for your lasting impact on our city.

Cassflowent, in recognition of your contributions to the Providence music scene. Your voice and dynamic presence have inspired countless fans and elevated the music scene. Thank you for using your platform to empower others and for bringing your talent to the city!

Bhad Bhabie, in recognition of performing in our city and for your groundbreaking contributions to the music industry. Your dedication, powerful music, and bold presence have left an undeniable impact. Through your artistry, you inspire countless others to embrace their voice and unapologetically be themselves. Thank you for bringing your extraordinary talent to the city!

Ahna Mac, in recognition of performing in our city and for your groundbreaking contributions to the music industry. Your dedication, powerful music, and bold presence have left an undeniable impact. Through your artistry, you inspire countless others to embrace their voice and unapologetically be themselves. Thank you for bringing your extraordinary talent to the city!

Daniel Richardson, in recognition of being honored as a graduating senior and scholarship winner at the Providence Student Union's (PSA) 15th Anniversary-The Art of Student Power: Quinceañera Edition Celebration.

Juan Angel Del Castillo Vargas, in recognition of being honored as a graduating senior and scholarship winner at the Providence Student Union's (PSA) 15th Anniversary-The Art of Student Power: Quinceañera Edition Celebration.

Miro Meek, in recognition of being honored as a graduating senior and scholarship winner at the Providence Student Union's (PSA) 15th Anniversary-The Art of Student Power: Quinceañera Edition Celebration.

Maya Hiwasaki-Ohira, in recognition of being honored as a graduating senior and scholarship winner at the Providence Student Union's (PSA) 15th Anniversary-The Art of Student Power: Quinceañera Edition Celebration.

Savannah Debrito, in recognition of being honored as a graduating senior and scholarship winner at the Providence Student Union's (PSA) 15th Anniversary-The Art of Student Power: Quinceañera Edition Celebration.

Michael Pujols Cleto, in recognition of being honored as a graduating senior and scholarship winner at the Providence Student Union's (PSA) 15th Anniversary-The Art of Student Power: Quinceañera Edition Celebration.

Jack Rusley, in recognition of being honored at the Providence Student Union's (PSA) 15th Anniversary-The Art of Student Power: Quinceañera Edition Celebration.

Jaya Sarkar, in recognition of being honored at the Providence Student Union's (PSA) 15th Anniversary-The Art of Student Power: Quinceañera Edition Celebration.

Delsy Nieto, Custodian, Frank D. Spaziano Elementary School, in recognition of your hard work, commitment and dedication in helping with the Rhode Island School Recycling Project.

Maria Thillet, Head Custodian, Frank D. Spaziano Elementary School, in recognition of your hard work, commitment and dedication in helping with the Rhode Island School Recycling Project.

Yoanis Garcia, Food Service Worker, Frank D. Spaziano Elementary School, in recognition of your hard work, commitment and dedication in helping with the Rhode Island School Recycling Project.

Naomi Medina, Food Service Worker, Frank D. Spaziano Elementary School, in recognition of your hard work, commitment and dedication in helping with the Rhode Island School Recycling Project.

Adina Parenteau, Food Service Worker, Frank D. Spaziano Elementary School, in recognition of your hard work, commitment and dedication in helping with the Rhode Island School Recycling Project.

Grecia Gonzalez, Food Service Worker, Frank D. Spaziano Elementary School, in recognition of your hard work, commitment and dedication in helping with the Rhode Island School Recycling Project.

Yisset Cabrera, Food Service Lead, Frank D. Spaziano Elementary School, in recognition of your hard work, commitment and dedication in helping with the Rhode Island School Recycling Project.

Sylvana Coello, Food Service Worker, Frank D. Spaziano Elementary School, in recognition of your hard work, commitment and dedication in helping with the Rhode Island School Recycling Project.

Pastor Gerald White, in recognition of the celebration of your Birthday, we appreciate all you do for your church and the community.

Bryan Byrnes, in recognition of your many years of service, hard work and dedication to the City of Providence.

Josue Andrades, Mt. Pleasant High School, in recognition of the celebration of being the 2025 Unified Basketball State Champions.

Raiden Argueta, Mt. Pleasant High School, in recognition of the celebration of being the 2025 Unified Basketball State Champions.

Elijah Chery, Mt. Pleasant High School, in recognition of the celebration of being the 2025 Unified Basketball State Champions.

Ashley Guzman, Mt. Pleasant High School, in recognition of the celebration of being the 2025 Unified Basketball State Champions.

Nylaysha Hazard, Mt. Pleasant High School, in recognition of the celebration of being the 2025 Unified Basketball State Champions.

Malique Jones, Mt. Pleasant High School, in recognition of the celebration of being the 2025 Unified Basketball State Champions.

Tianna Messinger, Mt. Pleasant High School, in recognition of the celebration of being the 2025 Unified Basketball State Champions.

Jennie Mosca, Mt. Pleasant High School, in recognition of the celebration of being the 2025 Unified Basketball State Champions.

Mateomilagro Oliver, Mt. Pleasant High School, in recognition of the celebration of being the 2025 Unified Basketball State Champions.

Jace Rodriguez, Mt. Pleasant High School In recognition of the celebration of being the 2025 Unified Basketball State Champions.

Gabriella Sluter, Mt. Pleasant High School, in recognition of the celebration of being the 2025 Unified Basketball State Champions.

Jescell Stevens, Mt. Pleasant High School, in recognition of the celebration of being the 2025 Unified Basketball State Champions.

Rob-naziah Stewart, Mt. Pleasant High School, in recognition of the celebration of being the 2025 Unified Basketball State Champions.

Jordan Torres, Mt. Pleasant High School, in recognition of the celebration of being the 2025 Unified Basketball State Champions.

Elizabeth Gilleau, in recognition of the celebration of being the 2025 Unified Basketball State Champions.

Zachary Pinto, Head Coach, Mt. Pleasant High School, in recognition of the celebration of your dedication and hard work leading the Kilties to the 2025 Unified Basketball State Champions.

Duke Suthers, Assistant Coach, Mt. Pleasant High School, in recognition of the celebration of your dedication and hard work leading the Kilties to the 2025 Unified Basketball State Champions.

Anne Kelly, Food Service, Sackett Street Elementary School, in recognition of your hard work, commitment and dedication in helping with the Rhode Island School Recycling Project.

Idowu O. Kuti, Senior Manager, Providence Water Finance Department, in recognition of the celebration of your retirement after 27 dedicated years to the City of Providence.

Victor Mendoza, in recognition of your retirement after 38 years of dedicated service to the State of Rhode Island, serving in various roles throughout your career.

Aryaliz Marie Caminero, your unwavering dedication, your positive impact on the Charette High School community, and the inspiration you provide to others. Your hard work, perseverance, and commitment to excellence are a testament to your bright future. Congratulations on your graduation!

Yerilsa Michelle Abreu Batista, your unwavering dedication, your positive impact on the Charette High School community, and the inspiration you provide to others. Your hard work, perseverance, and commitment to excellence are a testament to your bright future. Congratulations on your graduation!

Miguel Angel Jose Guzman, your unwavering dedication, your positive impact on the Charette High School community, and the inspiration you provide to others. Your hard work, perseverance, and commitment to excellence are a testament to your bright future. Congratulations on your graduation!

Justin Gilkes, your unwavering dedication, your positive impact on the Charette High School community, and the inspiration you provide to others. Your hard work, perseverance, and commitment to excellence are a testament to your bright future. Congratulations on your graduation!

Janet Isabel Batista, your unwavering dedication, your positive impact on the Charette High School community, and the inspiration you provide to others. Your hard work, perseverance, and commitment to excellence are a testament to your bright future. Congratulations on your graduation!

Jaime Galan, your unwavering dedication, your positive impact on the Charette High School community, and the inspiration you provide to others. Your hard work, perseverance, and commitment to excellence are a testament to your bright future. Congratulations on your graduation!

Josué Rafael Reynoso Florentino, your unwavering dedication, your positive impact on the Charette High School community, and the inspiration you provide to others. Your hard work, perseverance, and commitment to excellence are a testament to your bright future. Congratulations on your graduation!

Eden Miguel Diaz, your unwavering dedication, your positive impact on the Charette High School community, and the inspiration you provide to others. Your hard work, perseverance, and commitment to excellence are a testament to your bright future. Congratulations on your graduation!

Jada Guzman, your unwavering dedication, your positive impact on the Charette High School community, and the inspiration you provide to others. Your hard work, perseverance, and commitment to excellence are a testament to your bright future. Congratulations on your graduation!

Giansly Luna, your unwavering dedication, your positive impact on the Charette High School community, and the inspiration you provide to others. Your hard work, perseverance, and commitment to excellence are a testament to your bright future. Congratulations on your graduation!

Margarita Lisbeth Reynoso Gonzalez, your unwavering dedication, your positive impact on the Charette High School community, and the inspiration you provide to others. Your hard work, perseverance, and commitment to excellence are a testament to your bright future. Congratulations on your graduation!

Jurney Renae Bell, your unwavering dedication, your positive impact on the Charette High School community, and the inspiration you provide to others. Your hard work, perseverance, and commitment to excellence are a testament to your bright future. Congratulations on your graduation!

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Storm Woods, Toddler Teacher, Roger Williams Day Care Center, in recognition of your hard work, dedication and determination to career advancement, skill development and personal growth, you are commended for being part of the most improved teaching team for the 2024-2025 school year.

Patrick Sosa, Toddler Teacher, Roger Williams Day Care Center, in recognition of your hard work, dedication and determination to career advancement, skill development and personal growth, you are commended for being part of the most improved teaching team for the 2024-2025 school year.

Akintola Fayanjuola, Jr., in recognition of the celebration of your graduation from the Roger Williams Day Care Center Pre-Kindergarten Class.

K'Dence A. Hackney-Rosario, in recognition of the celebration of your graduation from the Roger Williams Day Care Center Pre-Kindergarten Class.

Arimas Hamil, in recognition of the celebration of your graduation from the Roger Williams Day Care Center Pre-Kindergarten Class.

Kiara G. Jordan, in recognition of the celebration of your graduation from the Roger Williams Day Care Center Pre-Kindergarten Class.

Asher Mushaweh, in recognition of the celebration of your graduation from the Roger Williams Day Care Center Pre-Kindergarten Class.

Keion Rose, in recognition of the celebration of your graduation from the Roger Williams Day Care Center Pre-Kindergarten Class.

Ezekiel Santana-Franco, in recognition of the celebration of your graduation from the Roger Williams Day Care Center Pre-Kindergarten Class.

Donna O'Connor/Treasurer 2008-2025, Roger Williams Day Care Center, in recognition of your dedicated service to the Roger Williams Day Care Center (RWDC), we extend our most sincere appreciation for providing voluntary Health Care Consulting Services and serving as a board member in many capacities. Your stewardship as Treasurer provided valuable foresight, oversight and insight to ensure that RWDC continues to thrive.

Barbara Krank, Vice-President, Roger Williams Day Care Center, in recognition of our sincere appreciation for your dedication over the last 45 years. Your unwavering devotion and commitment, valuable foresight, oversight and insight to ensure that RWDC fulfills its mission of providing high quality, developmentally appropriate early childhood education programs for children ages six weeks through 12 years of age.

Nicole R. Clement, Community Member and President of the Greater Providence (RI) Chapter The Links, Incorporated and Members, in recognition of your partnering with Roger Williams Day Care Center to provide our children the valuable opportunity to participate in the Books Alive! For Kids program. And for being committed to ensuring young children have access to a literacy program "designed to enhance creative thinking, writing, reading, art and music education". We want to express our sincere gratitude to your organization for being a significant presence and impact in the lives of our young people. We commend all the members of Greater Providence (RI) Chapter The Links, Incorporated for your community service endeavors like the yearly Colgate Van visit and most importantly the monthly classroom visits to ensure our children and families are provided the tools for continued success.

Roland Sasseville, Teacher, E-Cubed Academy, in recognition of the celebration of your retirement after 37 years of dedicated service to the City of Providence.

Elizabeth Berrios, in recognition of the celebration of your 5th Grade Graduation.

Asher Bosgraaf, in recognition of the celebration of your 5th Grade Graduation.

Julian Burgos Jackson, in recognition of the celebration of your 5th Grade Graduation.

Rosaura De La Cruz, in recognition of the celebration of your 5th Grade Graduation.

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Tyson Pinkney, in recognition of the celebration of your 5th Grade Graduation.

Stefan Porter, in recognition of the celebration of your 5th Grade Graduation.

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Gilinna Sot, in recognition of the celebration of your 5th Grade Graduation.

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Lilya Wise, in recognition of the celebration of your 5th Grade Graduation.

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Ian Arce, in recognition of the celebration of your 5th Grade Graduation.

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Lilla Suggs, in recognition of the celebration of your 5th Grade Graduation.

Alani Tolentino, in recognition of the celebration of your 5th Grade Graduation.

Amani Valle, in recognition of the celebration of your 5th Grade Graduation.

Chloemichelle Whyte, in recognition of the celebration of your 5th Grade Graduation.

Mind Your Manicure, in recognition of the celebration of your Grand Opening for your new location at 49 Westfield Street.

Robin Ramirez & Lidia Reyes, in recognition of your business in Providence, The Place Wash-Dry-Folder Center. A microbusiness helping our community grow and become a better city. Best of Wishes! Sincerely, Councilman Oscar O. Vargas.

Kenelo Laza, Veazie Street Elementary School, in recognition of the celebration of your 5th Grade Graduation.

Jaelanni Acevedo, Veazie Street Elementary School, in recognition of the celebration of your 5th Grade Graduation.

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David Ricci, Veazie Street Elementary School, in recognition of the celebration of your 5th Grade Graduation.

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Dylan Axelrod, Vartan Gregorian Elementary School, in recognition of your dedication, resilience and growth as a 5th grade graduate of Vartan Gregorian Elementary School. Your accomplishments inspire our community and your bright future reflects your hard work and heart. Congratulations on this important milestone and for being a Smart Fox!

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Maria Y. Torres, Leviton Dual Language School, in recognition of being named the 2025 Teacher of the Year!

Angie Bannerman Ankoma, in recognition of the celebration of your graduation from the Providence Pilot Cohort for the Jumpstart Rhode Island Program.

Dariel Blanco, in recognition of the celebration of your graduation from the Providence Pilot Cohort for the Jumpstart Rhode Island Program.

Sorayah Coriolan, in recognition of the celebration of your graduation from the Providence Pilot Cohort for the Jumpstart Rhode Island Program.

Julien Jonfelix, in recognition of the celebration of your graduation from the Providence Pilot Cohort for the Jumpstart Rhode Island Program.

Dwayne Keys, in recognition of the celebration of your graduation from the Providence Pilot Cohort for the Jumpstart Rhode Island Program.

Isatu Koroma, in recognition of the celebration of your graduation from the Providence Pilot Cohort for the Jumpstart Rhode Island Program.

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Raphael Williams, in recognition of the celebration of your graduation from the Providence Pilot Cohort for the Jumpstart Rhode Island Program.

COUNCILMAN ESPINAL Moves to Waive the Reading of item 54 and Pass on a Voice Vote, Seconded by COUNCILOR ANDERBOIS.

RESULT:	PASSED [UNANIMOUS]
MOVER:	Councilman Espinal
SECONDER:	Councilor AnderBois
AYES:	Council President Miller, Councilor AnderBois, Councilwoman Anthony, Councilmen Espinal, Goncalves, Councilwomen Graves, Peterson, Councilors Pichardo, Sanchez, Councilmen Taylor and Vargas – 11.
ABSENT:	Councilwoman Harris, Councilor Roias, Councilwomen Ryan and Vargas – 4.

The Motion for Passage is Sustained.

**PRESENTATION OF RESOLUTIONS
"IN MEMORIAM"**

COUNCIL PRESIDENT MILLER AND MEMBERS OF THE CITY COUNCIL

Resolution Extending Sympathy.

RESOLVED, That the Members of the City Council hereby extend their Sincere

Sympathy to the families of the following:

Lucas A. Batista Delgado

COUNCILMAN ESPINAL Moves to Waive the Reading of item 55 and Pass on a Unanimous Rising Vote, Seconded by COUNCILOR ANDERBOIS.

RESULT:	PASSED [UNANIMOUS]
MOVER:	Councilman Espinal
SECONDER:	Councilor AnderBois
AYES:	Council President Miller, Councilor AnderBois, Councilwoman Anthony, Councilmen Espinal, Goncalves, Councilwomen Graves, Peterson, Councilors Pichardo, Sanchez, Councilmen Taylor and Vargas – 11.
ABSENT:	Councilwoman Harris, Councilor Roias, Councilwomen Ryan and Vargas – 4.

The Motion for Passage is Sustained.

PERSONAL EXPRESSION

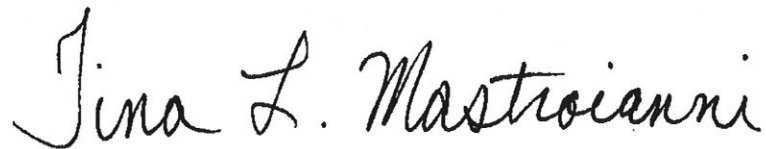
COUNCILOR PICHARDO Requests the privilege of the floor to speak on a Point of Personal Expression and states:

“Thank you, Madam President, and it is fitting that we are adjourning with the memoriam. I rise recognizing my father-in-law, who passed away on June 7th. He was a man from the Dominican Republic. He was a police officer and lived in New York City and since 1973 lived in the City of Providence. He worked and retired from Taco, the company in Cranston that for many years labored there. These months have been very difficult for our family, particularly my wife and their siblings, as we lost a mother-in-law also, Isabel Batista. So, today I rise to all of them. Lucas A. Batista Delgado and Isabel Nunez Batista, may they rest in peace, thank you”.

COUNCILMAN ESPINAL Moves to Suspend Rule 2(b) of the Rules of The City Council to reschedule the Tuesday, July 8, 2025 Regular City Council meeting to the date certain of Monday, July 7, 2025, Seconded by COUNCILOR ANDERBOIS.

CONVENTION

There being no further business, on Motion of **COUNCILMAN ESPINAL**, Seconded by **COUNCILOR ANDERBOIS**, it is voted to adjourn in memory of Luca Delgado Batista and Isabel Nunez Batista at 6:23 o'clock P.M., to meet again **MONDAY, JULY 7, 2025** at **6:00 o'clock P.M.**



TINA L. MASTROIANNI
CITY CLERK

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