

RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL

No. 191

Approved May 16, 2016

WHEREAS, Having vibrant attractions and amenities in downtown Providence is beneficial to the economic development and quality of life in our city; and

WHEREAS, "Food truck nights" in which groups of food trucks gather at one location on a set schedule have proven to be effective means of drawing patrons, tourists, and other visitors to many cities around the country, including; and

WHEREAS, Providence is known throughout the country and the region for its great restaurants and fine dining, but is not as well known for its growing food truck scene; and

WHEREAS, The success of past events, such as the Food Truck Market at Kennedy Plaza and Food Truck Friday at Roger Williams Park, proves the viability of future events featuring food trucks; and


WHEREAS, Holding a monthly Food Truck Night at Providence's City Hall during the summer months would increase the vibrancy of Providence's downtown, would showcase the many wonderful local food truck businesses, and would bolster Providence's reputation as a great destination to live, work and visit.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, That the Providence City Council does hereby establish Food Truck Night at City Hall, to be held once per month from June to October of each calendar year.

IN CITY COUNCIL

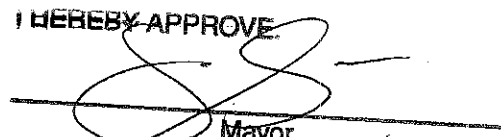
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I HEREBY APPROVE


Mayor

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