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APPROVED:

Robert J. Haxton
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CITY COUNCIL

JOURNAL OF PROCEEDINGS

 No. 31 City Council Regular Meeting, Thursday, February 5, 1976 8:00 P.M. (E.S.T.)

PRESIDING

COUNCIL PRESIDENT

ROBERT J. HAXTON

ROLL CALL

Present: Council President Haxton and Councilmen Addison, Almagno, Bradshaw, Councilwoman Brassil, Councilmen Cirelli, Cola, Fagnoli, Flynn, Garan, Gorodetsky, Henries, Johnson, Mansolillo, Merola, Petrosinelli, Salvatore, Stravato, Tomasso, Turchetta and Xavier—21.

Absent: Councilmen Ahern, Crowley, Lynch, McKiernan and Pearlman—5.

INVOCATION

The Invocation is given by Rabbi Yitzchok Dubovick of the Providence Hebrew Day School.

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

COUNCILMAN PHILIP A. ALMAGNO leads the Members of the City Council and the Assemblage in the Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag of the United States of America.

CONTINUED BUSINESS APPROVAL OF RECORD

The following was in City Council on January 15, 1976, Layed on the Table.

The Journal of Proceedings No. 29 of the Regular Meeting of the City Council held January 8, 1976.

On motion of COUNCILMAN ADDISON, seconded by COUNCILMAN STRAVATO the Journal of Proceedings No. 29 of the Regular Meeting

of the City Council held on January 8, 1976 is taken from the Table.

The Journal of Proceedings No. 29 of the Regular Meeting of the City Council held Thursday, January 8, 1976 and Posted January 15, 1976 on that Bulletin Board located on the Ground Floor of the City Hall, is Approved as Printed on motion of COUNCILMAN ADDISON, seconded by COUNCILMAN FLYNN.

APPROVAL OF RECORD

The Journal of Proceedings No. 30 of the Regular Meeting of the City Council held Thursday, January 15, 1976, and Posted January 26, 1976 on that Bulletin Board located on the Ground Floor of the City Hall, is Approved as Printed, on motion of COUNCILMAN ADDISON, seconded by COUNCILMEN FLYNN and STRAVATO.

SCHEDULE OF BILLS

FROM ACTING PUBLIC SERVICE ENGINEER

Street Lighting Bills for the Month of November, 1975 in the Amount of \$80,338.29 and for December, 1975 in the Amount of \$80,597.44.

Severally Approved, on motion of COUNCILMAN ADDISON, seconded by COUNCILMAN FLYNN, by the following Roll Call Vote:

Ayes: Council President Haxton and Councilmen Addison, Almagno, Councilwoman Brassil,

Councilmen Cirelli, Cola, Fagnoli, Flynn, Garan, Henries, Johnson, Mansolillo, Petrosinelli, Stravato and Xavier—15.

Noes: Councilmen Bradshaw, Merola, Salvatore, Tomasso and Turchetta—5.

Not Voting: Councilman Gorodetsky—1.

Absent: Councilmen Ahern, Crowley, Lynch, McKiernan and Pearlman—5.

PRESENTATION OF ORDINANCE

COUNCILMAN ADDISON and COUNCILMAN GARAN for Themselves and COUNCILMAN LYNCH In Absentia (By Request):

An Ordinance in Amendment of and in Addition to Chapter 1971-24 of the Ordinances of the City of Providence, Entitled "An Ordinance Ap-

proving and Adopting the Official Redevelopment Plan for West Broadway NDP Urban Renewal Area (1)."

Referred to the Committee on Urban Redevelopment, Renewal and Planning, on motion of **COUNCILMAN ADDISON**, seconded by **COUNCILMEN FLYNN and GARAN**.

PRESENTATION OF RESOLUTIONS

COUNCIL PRESIDENT PRO TEMPORE FARGNOLI for Himself and COUNCILMAN LYNCH In Absentia (By Request):

Resolution Requesting the Traffic Engineer to Cause the Replacement of Missing Stop Sign Along Molloy Street, at Its Intersection with Home Avenue.

Resolved, That the Traffic Engineer is requested to cause the replacement of missing Stop Sign along Molloy Street, at its intersection with Home Avenue.

Read and Passed, on motion of COUNCILMAN ADDISON, seconded by COUNCILMEN GARAN and STRAVATO.

COUNCILMAN ADDISON:

Resolution Expressing Most Sincere Best Wishes for the Speedy and Complete Recovery of Our Distinguished Associate, Councilman Francis Crowley, from His Current Illness.

Resolved, That to our well-regarded and distinguished colleague, Councilman Francis Crowley, are hereby extended the sincere best wishes of the Members of the City Council for his speedy and complete recovery from his current illness.

Read and Passed, on motion of COUNCILMAN ADDISON, seconded by COUNCILMAN GARAN.

Resolution Requesting the Director of Public Works to Cause the Repair of Damaged Traffic Barrier along Grandview Street.

Referred to the Committee on Public Works, on motion of COUNCILMAN ADDISON, seconded by COUNCILMEN FLYNN and GARAN.

COUNCILWOMAN BRASSIL and COUNCILMAN XAVIER:

Resolution Requesting His Honor the Mayor to Institute Foreclosure Proceedings Against Edward Paul, 8520 Fort Hamilton Parkway, Brooklyn, New York, to Whom the Former Biltmore Hotel, Providence is Assessed; for Currently Delinquent Taxes and Interest Owed to the City of Providence in the Total Amount of \$264,502.62.

Referred to the Committee on Finance, on motion of COUNCILMAN ADDISON, seconded by COUNCILWOMAN BRASSIL, and COUNCILMEN GARAN, MEROLA and XAVIER.

COUNCILWOMAN BRASSIL and COUNCILMAN XAVIER (By Request):

Resolution Requesting the Director of the Department of Public Property to Cause a Current Directory of All City of Providence Agencies to be Erected on the First Floor Level of City Hall.

Whereas, In the interest of dissemination of information relative to names and locations of all City of Providence Agencies would be most helpful, and

Whereas, Many City Governmental Agencies are located other than in City Hall, so that a conspicuously posted current directory would assist persons to locate the same more readily,

Now, Therefore, be it Resolved, That the Director of the Department of Public Property is requested to cause a current Directory of all City of Providence Agencies, to include those Agencies not located within City Hall, to be posted in a conspicuous location along the first floor level of City Hall, identifying the said Agencies and the locations thereof.

Read and Passed, on motion of **COUNCILMAN ADDISON**, seconded by **COUNCILWOMAN BRASSIL** and **COUNCILMEN MEROLA** and **XAVIER**.

COUNCILMAN CIRELLI and COUNCILMAN GARAN:

Resolution of Appreciation for Services Rendered to Ralph J. Hartman, Former Superintendent of Parks, Upon the Occasion of His Voluntary Retirement.

Whereas, Ralph J. Hartman, Former Superintendent of Parks, recently retired voluntarily in that capacity following a career which started in January of 1961 and saw improvements, promulgated by his training and zeal, to make the Park

System within the City of Providence under his supervision, one of the finest in the entire nation, and

Whereas, Ralph's innovations, which stem from his background as a Landscape Architect, reflect in the result of his top level management, to that encouraged further development of the Roger Williams Park Zoo, which supported by more than 1,000 Members, as Friends of the Zoo and by the Rhode Island Zoological Society, which numbers over 400 Members, and

Now, Therefore, be it Resolved, That in appreciation of his services rendered to the City of Providence, its citizens and of the appreciation of the many visitors from the local area and national and foreign countries, His Honor Mayor Vincent A. Cianci, Jr., the Members of the City Council and the legions of friends that he made for the Park System of the City, are hereby extended their respective sincere best wishes that he enjoy his voluntary retirement and that he give attention to his personal desire to temper his otherwise busy public life, and

Be it Further Resolved, That a duly engrossed copy of this Resolution be transmitted to Ralph J. Hartman, L.A., that he may include it in his memorabilia during his public life.

Read and Passed, on motion of **COUNCILMAN ADDISON**, seconded by **COUNCILMEN CIRELLI**, **GARAN** and **MANSOLILLO**.

COUNCILMAN FLYNN and COUNCILMAN XAVIER (By Request):

Resolution Requesting the Providence Civic Center Authority to Cause the Cessation of a Reported Practice, by the Concessionaire of the Royal Roost Restaurant, Concerning Sale of Tickets for Events held in the Civic Center.

Referred to the Committee on Public Welfare, on motion of **COUNCILMAN ADDISON**, seconded by **COUNCILMAN FLYNN**.

COUNCILMAN GORODETSKY (By Request):

Resolution Authorizing His Honor the Mayor to Execute a Lease with the Fox Point Senior Citizens for City Owned Premises Located at 511 Wickenden Street, for Its Use as a Senior Citizens Center.

Referred to the Committee on City Property, on motion of COUNCILMAN ADDISON, seconded by COUNCILMEN GARAN and MEROLA.

COUNCIL PRESIDENT PRO TEMPORE FARGNOLI for COUNCILMAN LYNCH in Absentia:

Resolution Expressing Sincere Best Wishes for the Speedy and Complete Recovery of Our Distinguished Associate, Councilman Timothy J. Ahern, from His Current Illness.

Resolved, That to our distinguished associate, Councilman Timothy J. Ahern, are hereby expressed the most sincere best wishes for his speedy and complete recovery from his current illness.

Read and Passed, on motion of COUNCILMAN ADDISON, seconded by COUNCILMEN FARGNOLI, GARAN and MEROLA.

COUNCILMAN ADDISON and COUNCILMAN GARAN for Themselves and COUNCILMAN LYNCH In Absentia (By Request):

Resolution Approving the Accompanying Plat Entitled, Dedication of Woodbine Park, Mount Hope Urban Renewal Project R. I. R-18, Providence Redevelopment Agency and Thereafter Declaring the Same a Public Park.

Resolution Approving the Accompanying Plat Entitled, Dedication of Pleasant Park, Mount Hope Urban Renewal Project R. I., R-18, Providence Redevelopment Agency, Thereafter Declaring the Same a Public Park.

Resolution Approving the Accompanying Plat, Entitled, Dedication of York Street, Mount Hope Renewal Project R. I., R-18, Providence Redevelopment Agency, and Thereafter Declaring the Same a Public Highway.

Resolution Approving the Accompanying Plat, Entitled, Dedication of Knowles Walkway, Mount Hope Renewal Project R.I., R-18, Providence Redevelopment Agency, and Thereafter Declaring the Same a Public Walkway.

Severally Referred to the Committee on Urban Redevelopment, Renewal and Planning, on motion of COUNCILMAN ADDISON, seconded by COUNCILMAN GARAN.

Resolution Refunding to Certain Taxpayers Sums of Monies Representing Overpayment of Taxes to the City Collector for the Years 1974 and 1975.

Referred to the Committee on Finance, on motion of COUNCILMAN ADDISON, seconded by COUNCILMEN GARAN and MEROLA.

COUNCILMAN MANSOLILLO and COUNCILMAN FLYNN (By Request):

Resolution Requesting His Honor the Mayor and the Honorable City Council to Refrain from Conveying Corporal Thomas P. Conlon Memorial Park to the Providence School Department, for the Proposed Construction of the West Broadway Elementary School and that the Same be Continued in Use, as a Recreation Area.

Referred to the Committee on City Property, on motion of COUNCILMAN ADDISON, seconded by COUNCILMEN FLYNN and MANSOLILLO.

COUNCILMAN PETROSINELLI and COUNCILMAN SALVATORE:

Resolution Requesting the Traffic Engineer to Cause a "Stop" Sign to be Installed along Bismark Street, at Its Intersection with Job Street.

Referred to the Committee on Public Works, on motion of COUNCILMAN ADDISON, seconded by COUNCILMAN FLYNN.

COUNCILMAN PETROSINELLI, COUNCILMAN SALVATORE and COUNCILMAN ADDISON:

Resolution Requesting the Committee on Public Welfare to Study and Recommend a Plan of Providing Emergency Ambulance Service.

Resolved, That the Committee on Public Welfare is requested to undertake a study for the purpose of recommending a feasible plan of providing emergency public ambulance service by the Providence Police Department and the Providence Fire Department.

Read and Passed, on motion of COUNCILMAN ADDISON, seconded by COUNCILMEN FLYNN, PETROSINELLI and SALVATORE.

REPORTS FROM COMMITTEES

COUNCILMAN PHILIP F. ADDISON, JR., Chairman**COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC WELFARE**

Transmits the Following with Recommendation
the Same be Severally Adopted:

An Ordinance Controlling and Regulating Massage Parlors and Health Clubs.

Read and Passed the First Time, on motion of COUNCILMAN ADDISON, seconded by COUNCILMAN FLYNN.

Resolution Granting Accompanying Petition of Council President Pro Tempore Fagnoli, et als, to take the necessary and proper actions needed to end the situation of public nuisance which is caused by the connection with said property Located at 64 Eaton Street.

Resolved, That the accompanying Petition of Council President Pro Tempore Ralph Fargnoli, et als, to take the necessary and proper actions needed to end the situation of public nuisance which is caused by and in connection with said property located at 64 Eaton Street, Providence, is hereby granted.

Resolution Granting Accompanying Petition of Louis A. Squillante, 55 Crary Street, Providence, et als, for a Crossing Guard or Policeman at the Intersection of Sayles Street and Gordon Avenue.

Resolved, That the accompanying Petition of Louis A. Squillante, 55 Crary Street, Providence, et als, for a Crossing Guard or Policeman at the Intersection of Sayles Street and Gordon Avenue, is hereby granted.

Resolution Requesting the Committee on Public Welfare to Obtain from the Chief of Police, a Report as to the Departments Compliance with the Provisions of Section 23-23-12, of the General Laws of Rhode Island, 1956, as Amended, Relative to Life Saving Buoys Required in Police Vehicles.

Resolved, That the Committee on Public Welfare is requested to obtain from the Chief of Police, a report as to the Departments compliance with the Provisions of Section 23-23-12, of the General Laws of Rhode Island, 1956, as amended, relative to life saving buoys required in Police vehicles.

Resolution Requesting the Committee on Public Welfare to Recommend to the Department of

Public Property It Undertake a Program of Causing the Flooding of All Outdoor Basketball Courts for the Purpose of Utilizing the Same for Ice Skating Rinks During the Winter Season.

Resolved, That the Committee on Public Welfare is requested to recommend to the Department of Public Property it undertake a program of causing the flooding of all outdoor basketball courts for the purpose of utilizing the same for ice skating rinks during the winter season.

Resolution Requesting the Director of the Department of Recreation to Promulgate Rules and Regulations for the Purpose of Informing the Public as to the Safety of Ice Skating on City Owned Bodies of Water Located in the City of Providence.

Resolved, That the Director of the Department of Recreation is requested to promulgate rules and regulations for the purpose of informing the public as to the safety of ice skating on City owned bodies of water in the City of Providence.

Resolution Requesting the State Department of Transportation to Consider the Advisability, and if Deemed Practical, to Create a Seasonal Ice Skating Rink Upon Its Land Located at the Corner of Dean Street with Spruce Street.

Resolved, That the State Department of Transportation is requested to consider the advisability and if deemed practical to create a seasonal ice skating rink upon its area of land located at the corner of Dean Street with Spruce Street.

Resolution Requesting the Director of the Department of Recreation to Cause the Erection of a Fence Around the Little League Field at the Ascham Street Playground.

Resolved, That the Director of the Department of Recreation is requested to cause the erection

of a fence around the Little League Field, at the Ascham Street Playground.

Severally Read and Collectively Passed, on motion of **COUNCILMAN ADDISON**, seconded by **COUNCILMEN FLYNN** and **MEROLA**.

COUNCILMAN LOUIS R. STRAVATO, Vice-Chairman for
COUNCILMAN TIMOTHY A. AHERN, Chairman, In Absentia
COMMITTEE ON NAMING OF BUILDINGS, EXPRESSWAYS, BRIDGES,
EDIFICES AND OTHER CITY CONSTRUCTIONS

Transmits the following with Recommendation
the Same be Severally Adopted:

Resolution Changing the Name of Cavallatti Street to "Rosario Drive."

Referred Back to the Committee on Naming of Buildings, Expressways, Bridges, Edifices, and Other City Constructions, on motion of COUNCILMAN STRAVATO, seconded by COUNCILMAN FLYNN.

Resolution Changing the Name of Lloyd Avenue, between Prospect Street and Congdon Street to "Lloyd Lane."

Resolved, That the name of Lloyd Street, between Prospect Street and Congdon Street is changed to "Lloyd Lane."

Read and Passed, on motion of **COUNCILMAN ADDISON**, seconded by **COUNCILMAN BRADSHAW** and **FLYNN**.

Resolution Renaming That Portion of Winter Street, from Westminster Street to Broad Street as "Fricker Street."

Whereas, Raymond F. Fricker, late State Representative from the 18th Assembly District of the State of Rhode Island and formerly Chairman of the Providence School Committee, the latter for more than a decade, had devoted much of his adult life to Public Service, and

Whereas, Mr. Fricker continued his profession as a pharmacist, serving the needs of the people of the District he represented,

Now, Therefore, be it Resolved, That in respect to the memory of Raymond F. Fricker, Winter Street, from Westminster Street to Broad Street, is hereby designated as "Fricker Street."

Read and Passed, on motion of **COUNCILMAN ADDISON**, seconded by **COUNCILMEN FLYNN** and **MANSOLILLO**.

The following is Returned with Recommendation the Same be Not Passed:

Resolution Designating the Intersection of Potters Avenue with Broad Street, as "Robert Bishop Memorial Square."

Referred Back to the Committee on Naming of Buildings, Expressways, Bridges, Edifices, and Other City Constructions, on motion of COUNCILMAN ADDISON, seconded by COUNCILMAN FLYNN.

The following is Returned with Recommendation the Same be Not Granted:

Petition of Louis Dashoff, et ux, 45 North Avenue, et als, to Change the Street Name of "North Avenue" to North Parkview.

Referred Back to the Committee on Naming of Buildings, Expressways, Bridges, Edifices and Other City Constructions, on motion of COUNCILMAN ADDISON, seconded by COUNCILMAN FLYNN.

COUNCILMAN RALPH FARGNOLI, Chairman

COMMITTEE ON URBAN REDEVELOPMENT, RENEWAL AND PLANNING

Transmits the following with Recommendation the Same be Adopted:

An Ordinance in Amendment of and in Addition to Chapter 1797 of the Ordinances of the City of Providence, Approved November 7, 1966, and Entitled "An Ordinance Approving and Adopting the Official Redevelopment Plan for the East Side Project No. R.I. R-4."

Read and Passed the First Time, on motion of COUNCILMAN ADDISON, seconded by COUNCILMEN BRADSHAW, FLYNN and MANSOLILLO, by the following Roll Call Vote:

Ayes: Council President Haxton and Councilmen Addison, Almagno, Bradshaw, Councilwoman Brassil, Councilmen Cirelli, Cola, Fargnoli, Flynn, Gorodetsky, Henries, Johnson, Mansolillo, Merola, Petrosinelli, Salvatore, Stravato, Turchetta and Xavier—19.

Absent: Councilmen Ahern, Crowley, Garan, Lynch, McKiernan, Pearlman and Tomasso—7.

The following are Returned with Recommendation the Same be Severally Adopted:

Report of the Providence Redevelopment Agency, Dated January 9, 1976, Informing the Hon-

orable City Council of Its Proposed Sale of Parcel 13B Consisting of 500 Square Feet of Land

and Designated as a Portion of Lot 17 on City Assessor's Plat 33; and Further Delineated on the Attached Map within the West Broadway Project A2-1 Year II, for the Disposition Price of \$75.00 to Martin Gold, Inc., Said Parcel is Proposed for Development for Residential Reuse.

Received.

the Honorable City Council of Its Proposed Sale of Real Property within the Comstock Redevelopment Project of Disposition Parcel 23, for the Disposition Price of Five Hundred Sixty Dollars (\$560.00) to Donald and Lucy Bradley, 120 Robinson Street, Providence, Rhode Island, for Residential Construction.

Received.

Report of the Providence Redevelopment Agency, Dated December 12, 1975, Informing

COUNCILMAN HARRY A. JOHNSON, Chairman

COMMITTEE ON CITY PROPERTY

**Transmits the following with Recommendation
the Same be Severally Adopted:**

Resolution Authorizing His Honor the Mayor to Convey to Robert L. Jeffrey, et ux, Gilda Jeffrey, of Providence, Lot 177 as Set Out and Delineated on City Assessor's Plat 36, Located along Chapin Avenue, Providence, for the Sum of Eight Hundred Eighty Nine Dollars (\$889.00).

Resolved, That His Honor the Mayor is authorized to convey to Robert L. Jeffrey, et ux, Gilda Jeffrey of Providence, Lot 177, as set out and delineated on City Assessor's Plat 36; said lot being located along Chapin Avenue, Providence, for the sum of Eight Hundred Eighty-Nine Dollars (\$889.00); the said sum of Eight Hundred Eighty-Nine Dollars, (\$889.00) representing the amount of a demolition lien on the said property and further that the sum of One Thousand Five Dollars, Forty-Five Cents, (\$1,005.45),

the amount of back taxes on the said property be abated.

Resolution Authorizing His Honor the Mayor to Negotiate with People's Redevelopment Corporation for the Conveyance of Lot No. 65, as Set Out and Delineated on City Assessor's Plat 53, Located along Gallup Street, Providence.

Resolved, That His Honor the Mayor is requested to Negotiate with People's Redevelopment Corporation for the conveyance of Lot No. 65, as Set Out and Delineated on City Assessor's Plat 53, located along Gallup Street, Providence, the subject lot having been acquired by the City of Providence following the condemnation of the structure originally occupying the said lot.

Resolution Authorizing the City Treasurer to Arrange for the Redemption or Sale of Lot 143 on Plat 69, Located along Ruggles Street, an Offer Having Been Made by Frank Karolczuk, 77 Ruggles Street, Providence, R.I., of Two Hundred Fifty-One Dollars and Fifteen Cents (\$251.15), for Said Lot.

Resolved, That the City Treasurer may give notification in writing addressed to the owner of Lot No. 143 on Plat 69 located on Ruggles Street, made for the use of the City Assessor as said plat appeared in the office of the said City Assessor December 31, 1969, said lot having been sold to the City of Providence on May 18, 1972, at a tax sale, said notice in writing addressed to the owner of record at the time of the sale, his heirs, assigns or devisees at their last usual place of abode, and notifying them that said real estate will be offered for sale unless redeemed within thirty days of said notification.

The City Treasurer has received an offer made by Frank Karolczuk of 77 Ruggles Street, Providence, Rhode Island, of \$251.15 for the above mentioned lot, and as the period for the redemption of this property has expired, this offer is hereby approved in accordance to the law thereto appertaining.

If said real estate shall not be redeemed within said thirty days, the City Treasurer is hereby authorized to sell and convey to the said Frank Karolczuk, or nominees, for the price herein approved.

Resolution Authorizing the City Treasurer to Arrange for the Redemption or Sale of Lot 678 on City Assessor's Plat 23, Located at 150 Somerset Street, an Offer Having Been Made by Harold S. Moskal, Attorney for His Client Woodrow Walker of Providence, R. I. or Nominees of One Thousand Two Hundred One Dollars and Ninety-Six Cents, (\$1,201.96) for Said Lot.

Resolved, That the City Treasurer may give notification in writing addressed to the owner of Lot No. 678 on Plat 23, located at 150 Somerset Street, Providence, Rhode Island, made for the use of the City Assessor as said plat appeared in the office of the said City Assessor on December 31, 1969, said lot having been sold to the City of Providence at tax sale held May 18, 1972, said notice in writing addressed to the owner of record at the time of the sale, his heirs, assigns or devisees at their last usual place of abode, and notifying them that said real estate will be offered for sale unless redeemed within thirty days of said notification.

The City Treasurer has received an offer by Harold S. Moskel, in behalf of his client Woodrow Walker of Providence, Rhode Island, of \$1,201.96 for the above mentioned lot, and as the period for the redemption of this property has expired, this offer is hereby approved in accordance to the law thereto appertaining.

If said real estate shall not be redeemed within said thirty days, the City Treasurer is hereby authorized to sell and convey to the said Woodrow Walker, or nominees, for the price herein approved.

Resolution Authorizing the City Treasurer to Arrange for the Redemption or Sale of Lot 397 on City Assessor's Plat 47, Located at 108 Oxford Street, an Offer Having Been Made by William S. Moody, President of Moclaby Realty Co. of 908 Eddy Street, Providence, Rhode Island or Nominees, of Two Thousand Two Hundred Fifty-Seven Dollars and Eighty Three Cents, (\$2,257.83) for Said Lot.

Resolved, That the City Treasurer may give notification in writing addressed to the owner of Lot No. 397 on Plat No. 47 located at 108 Oxford Street, made for the use of the City Assessor as said plat appeared in the office of said City Assessor on December 31, 1959, said lot having been sold to the City of Providence at tax sale

held May 17, 1962, said notice in writing addressed to the owner of record at the time of the sale, his heirs, assigns or devisees at their last usual place of abode, and notifying them that said real estate will be offered for sale unless redeemed within thirty days of said notification.

The City Treasurer has received an offer made by William S. Moody, President of Moclaby Realty Co. of 908 Eddy Street, Providence, Rhode Island of \$2,257.83 for the above mentioned lot, and as the period for the redemption of this property has expired, this offer is hereby approved in accordance to the law thereto appertaining.

If said real estate shall not be redeemed within said thirty days the City Treasurer is hereby authorized to sell and convey to the said William S. Moody, or nominees, for the price herein approved.

sale unless redeemed within thirty days of said notification.

The City Treasurer has received an offer made by Raymond Woodcock of 189 Douglas Avenue, Providence, Rhode Island, of \$1,124.49 for the above mentioned lots, and as the period for the redemption of this property has expired, this offer is hereby approved in accordance to the law thereto appertaining.

If said real estate shall not be redeemed within said thirty days, the City Treasurer is hereby authorized to sell and convey to the said Raymond Woodcock, or nominees, for the price herein approved.

Resolution Authorizing the City Treasurer to Arrange for the Redemption or Sale of Lots 157 and 110, on City Assessor's Plat 68, Located at 11 Fillmore Street and 15 Matthews Street, an Offer Having Been Made by Raymond Woodcock, 189 Douglas Avenue, Providence, or Nominees, of One Thousand One Hundred Twenty-Four Dollars and Forty-Nine Cents (\$1,124.49), for Said Lots.

Resolved, That the City Treasurer may give notification in writing addressed to the owner of Lots No.'s 157 and 110 located on Plat No. 68 at 11 Fillmore Street and 15 Matthews Street, made for the use of the City Assessor as said plat appeared in the office of the said City Assessor on September 26, 1935 for Lot No. 110 and on May 18, 1972 for Lot No. 157, said lots having been sold to the City of Providence on the above mentioned dates, said notice in writing addressed to the owner of record at the time of the sale, his heirs, assigns or devisees at their last usual place of abode, and notifying them that said real estate will be offered for

Resolution Authorizing the City Treasurer to Arrange for the Redemption or Sale of Lot 672 on City Assessor's Plat 65, Located at 70 Rill Street, an Offer Having Been Made by Thomas Campagnone, 269 Valley Street, Providence, or Nominees, of Four Hundred Thirty Dollars and Twenty Eight Cents (\$430.28) for Said Lot.

Resolved, That the City Treasurer may give notification in writing addressed to the owner of Lot No. 672 on Plat No. 65 located at 70 Rill Street, made for the use of the City Assessor as said plat appeared in the office of the said City Assessor on June 23, 1964, said lot having been sold to the City of Providence at tax sale held June 23, 1964, said notice in writing addressed to the owner of record at the time of the sale, his heirs, assigns or devisees at their last usual place of abode, and notifying them that said real estate will be offered for sale unless redeemed within thirty days of said notification.

The City Treasurer has received an offer made by Thomas Campagnone of 269 Valley Street, Providence, Rhode Island of \$430.28 for the above mentioned lot, and as the period for

redemption of this property has expired, this offer is hereby approved in accordance to the law thereto appertaining.

If said real estate shall not be redeemed within said thirty days, the City Treasurer is hereby authorized to sell and convey to the said Thomas Campagnone, or nominees, for the price herein approved.

Severally Read and Collectively Passed, on motion of **COUNCILMAN ADDISON**, seconded by **COUNCILMEN FLYNN** and **GARAN** by the following roll call vote:

Ayes: Council President Haxton and Councilmen Addison, Almagno, Bradshaw, Councilwoman Brassil, Councilmen Cirelli, Cola, Fargnoli, Flynn, Garan, Henries, Johnson, Mansolillo, Merola, Petrosinelli, Salvatore, Stravato, Turchetta, and Xavier—19.

Absent: Councilmen Ahern, Crowley, Gorodetsky, Lynch, McKiernan, Pearlman, and Tomasso—7.

Resolution Authorizing the City Treasurer to Arrange for the Redemption or Sale of Lots 259 and 260 on City Assessor's Plat 99, Located at 65 Anchor Street, an Offer Having Been Made by Giuseppe Castaldi and Antonio Petrarca of Providence, or Nominees, of Five Hundred Ninety-Nine Dollars and Forty Cents (\$599.40) for Said Lots.

Referred Back to Committee on City Property, on motion of **COUNCILMAN ADDISON**, seconded by **COUNCILMEN FLYNN** and **GARAN**.

COUNCILMAN LOUIS R. STRAVATO, Acting Chairman
COUNCILMAN ROBERT F. LYNCH, Chairman, In Absentia:

COMMITTEE ON FINANCE

Transmits the Following, as Emergency Ordinances, with Recommendation the Same be Severally Adopted:

An Emergency Ordinance in Amendment of the Appropriation Ordinance Chapter 1974-19, Approved June 19, 1974, by Appropriating a Sum Not to Exceed One Hundred Nine Thousand Two Hundred Dollars (\$109,200.00) to Item 0 for Salary Adjustment for Members of the Bargaining Unit of the Fraternal Order of Police, Lodge No. 3.

Whereas, For the purpose of implementing this appropriation pursuant to Sec. 3.18 of the Charter of the City of Providence, and in order to

insure those employees who qualify for salary adjustments, that they not be unduly inconvenienced with additional delay of the said adjustment it is hereby declared that an emergency situation exists.

Be it ordained by the City of Providence:

Section 1. Chapter 1974-19 of the Ordinances of the City of Providence, as approved June 19, 1974 entitled "An Ordinance making appropriation of \$85,823,307.71 for the support of City

Government for the fiscal period beginning July 1, 1974 and ending June 30, 1975" (July 1, 1975-June 30, 1976) as amended is hereby further amended by appropriating sum not to exceed One Hundred Nine Thousand, Two Hundred (\$109,200.00) to Item 0 for salary adjustment for members of the bargaining unit of the Fraternal Order of Police, Lodge No. 3.

Sec. 2. The said sum not to exceed One Hundred Nine Thousand, Two Hundred Dollars (\$109,200.00) as thus added and appropriated shall be obtained by authorizing the City Controller and City Treasurer to transfer such amount from the Reserve for Extraordinary Expenditures Account to the Receipt Account.

Sec. 3. The estimated Receipts from the Reserve for Extraordinary Expenditures Account are hereby increased by a sum not to exceed One Hundred Nine Thousand, Two Hundred Dollars (\$109,200.00).

Sec. 4. This Emergency Ordinance shall take effect upon its adoption by the Council and its approval by the Mayor, in accordance with the provisions of Sec. 3.18 of the said Charter, and shall be retroactive to July 1, 1975.

An Emergency Ordinance Amending the Compensation Plan for the City of Providence, as Amended, Adjusting the Base Salary of Members of the Bargaining Unit of the Fraternal Order of Police, Lodge No. 3.

Whereas, For the purpose of implementing the adjusted base salary of members of the Bargaining Unit of the Fraternal Order of Police, Lodge No. 3; pursuant to Sec. 3.18 of the Charter of the City of Providence, it is hereby declared that in order to insure those members who qualify for salary adjustments that they not be unduly inconvenienced with additional delay, it is hereby declared that an emergency situation exists.

Be it ordained by the City of Providence:

Section 1. Sec. 1 of the Ordinances of the City of Providence, as Amended, is hereby further Amended as Follows:

Change	From	To
1) Captain	\$275.50	\$280.50 Weekly
2) Lieutenant	\$255.70	\$260.70 Weekly
3) Sergeant	\$240.00	\$245.00 Weekly
4) Patrolman (After 18 months service)	\$215.00	\$220.00 Weekly
Patrolman (After 12 months service)	\$198.00	\$203.00 Weekly
5) Patrolman (Upon appointment)	\$193.00	\$198.00 Weekly

Sec. 2. This Emergency Ordinance shall take effect upon its adoption by the Council and its approval by the Mayor, in accordance with the provisions of Sec. 3.18 of the said Charter, and shall be retroactive to July 1, 1975.

Severally Read and Collectively Passed as Emergency Ordinances, on motion of COUNCILMAN ADDISON, seconded by COUNCILMEN FLYNN and GARAN by the following roll call vote:

Ayes: Council President Haxton and Councilmen Addison, Almagno, Bradshaw, Councilwoman Brassil, Councilmen Cirelli, Cola, Fargnoli, Flynn, Garan, Henries, Johnson, Merola, Petrosinelli, Salvatore, Stravato, Tomasso, Turchetta, and Xavier—19.

Noes: Councilman Mansolillo—1.

Absent: Councilmen Ahern, Crowley, Gorodetsky, Lynch, McKiernan, and Pearlman—6.

The Following are Transmitted with Recommendation the Same be Severally Adopted:

An Ordinance in Amendment of the Appropriation Ordinance Chapter 1974-19, Approved June 19, 1974, by Appropriating a Sum Not to Exceed Fifty Thousand Dollars (\$50,000.00) to Law Department—Special Item 3, for Claims Against the City of Providence.

Read and Passed the First Time, on motion of COUNCILMAN ADDISON, seconded by COUNCILMAN GARAN by the following roll call vote:

Ayes: Council President Haxton and Councilmen Addison, Almagno, Bradshaw, Councilwoman Brassil, Councilmen Cirelli, Cola, Fargnoli, Flynn, Garan, Henries, Johnson, Merola, Petrosinelli, Salvatore, Stravato, Tomasso, Turchetta, and Xavier—19.

Noes: Councilman Mansolillo—1.

Absent: Councilmen Ahern, Crowley, Gorodetsky, Lynch, McKiernan, and Pearlman—6.

Resolution Refunding to Certain Taxpayers sums of Monies Representing Overpayment of Taxes to the City Collector for the Years 1968, 1970, 1973, 1974, and 1975.

Resolved, That the accompanying certificates numbers 3633 through 3742 (except numbers 3638 and 3719) representing overpayments of taxes for the years (1968, 1970, 1973, 1974, and 1975) are hereby refunded in the amounts overpaid.

Severally Read and Collectively Passed, on motion of COUNCILMAN ADDISON, seconded by COUNCILMAN FLYNN by the following roll call vote:

Ayes: Council President Haxton and Councilmen Addison, Almagno, Bradshaw, Councilwoman Brassil, Councilmen Cirelli, Cola, Fargnoli, Flynn, Garan, Henries, Johnson, Mansolillo, Merola, Petrosinelli, Salvatore, Stravato, Tomasso, Turchetta, and Xavier—20.

Absent: Councilmen Ahern, Crowley, Gorodetsky, Lynch, McKiernan, and Pearlman—6.

Resolution Requesting the Finance Director to Honor, from the Mary Elizabeth Sharpe Tree Fund, the Emergency Work Performed on Certain Elm Trees, Located Upon the Grounds of the Old State House, 150 Benefit Street, Providence, in the Amount of Five Hundred Thirty-Two Dollars and Fifty Cents (\$532.50).

Resolved, That the Finance Director is requested to honor, from the Mary Elizabeth Sharpe Tree Fund, the emergency work performed on certain Elm Trees located upon grounds of the Old State House, 150 Benefit Street, Providence, in the amount of Five Hundred Thirty Two Dollars and Fifty Cents (\$532.50).

COUNCILMAN MANSOLILLO requests the Chair to reconsider "An Ordinance in Amendment of the Appropriation Ordinance Chapter 1974-19, approved June 19, 1974, by appropriating a sum not to exceed Fifty Thousand Dollars (\$50,000.00) to Law Department—Special Item 3, for Claims against the City of Providence."

The Chair grants the request.

On motion of COUNCILMAN MANSOLILLO, seconded by COUNCILMAN ADDISON, the above Ordinance is amended as follows:

Section 4, in the first line, delete the word "Emergency."

Read and Passed the First Time, as Amended,

on motion of COUNCILMAN ADDISON, seconded by COUNCILMAN FLYNN, by the following roll call vote:

Ayes: Council President Haxton and Councilmen Addison, Almagno, Bradshaw, Councilwoman Brassil, Councilmen Cirelli, Cola, Fargnoli, Flynn, Garan, Henries, Johnson, Merola, Petrosinelli, Salvatore, Stravato, Tomasso, Turchetta, and Xavier—19.

Noes: Councilman Mansolillo—1.

Absent: Councilmen Ahern, Crowley, Gorodetsky, Lynch, McKiernan, and Pearlman—6.

Resolutions Accepting Gifts of Monies for 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 the following specified Burial Lots in said Ground be and the same are hereby respectively accepted. (For names and sums of Monies incorporated in subject Resolutions, see Files of the City Council.)

Severally Read and Collectively Passed, on motion of COUNCILMAN ADDISON, seconded by COUNCILMAN GARAN.

COMMUNICATIONS AND REPORTS

FROM CLERK OF PROBATE COURT:

Report Concerning the Activities of the said Court for the Fiscal Year July 1, 1974 to June 30, 1975.

Received.

FROM CITY ASSESSOR:

Certificates (35-N, 48-N-1, 69-N-1, 71-N, 72-N, 73-N and 77-N) recommending the Same be Severally Cancelled.

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

FROM CITY CONTROLLER:

Monthly Statements of Capital, General and School Funds for the Four Months ended October, 1975; Five Months ended November, 1975, and for the Six Months ended December 1975.

Severally Received.

FROM PORT DIRECTOR:

Second Quarterly Report for the Period of October, November and December, 1975.

Received.

**FROM PROVIDENCE REDEVELOPMENT
AGENCY:**

Report dated January 30, 1976, proposing the sale of land—Parcel 11-A to Cora Spolidoro and Michael Morgera, 72 Marshall Street, Providence, Rhode Island, and Parcel 11-B to Anthony Barkett, 82 Marshall Street, Providence, Rhode Island and Parcel 11-C to Dexter Realty Co., 260 Garden Hills Drive, Cranston, Rhode Island.

Referred to Committee on Urban Redevelopment, Renewal, and Planning, on motion of COUNCILMAN ADDISON, seconded by COUNCILMEN FLYNN and MEROLA.

informing the Honorable City Council that it has Reviewed Certain Taxes Incorporated in the above noted Certificates and made changes authorized by Section 13 of Chapter 1665 of the Public Laws of 1945, as amended.

Received.

**FROM RICHARD J. CASEY, MEMBER OF THE
CITY PLAN COMMISSION:**

Communications, severally, dated January 12, 1976, as executive vice-president of the International Directive Services, Inc., as vice-president of Westminster Holding Corporation and as president of the International Securities System, Inc., informing the Honorable City Council that he proposes to render now and in the future, Services to the City of Providence, on behalf of the said Rhode Island Corporations.

Severally Received.

**FROM BOARD OF TAX ASSESSMENT
REVIEW:**

Report, dated January 30, 1976, transmitting Certificates Numbered 37 through 43, inclusive,

PETITIONS

**COUNCILWOMAN BRASSIL and COUNCIL-
MAN XAVIER (By Request):**

Petition of Armand Vadeboncoeur, 66 Armstrong Avenue, Providence, for Appointment as a Weigher of Coal and Other Merchandise.

Referred to Committee on Licenses, on motion of COUNCILMAN ADDISON, seconded by COUNCILMEN FLYNN and MEROLA.

COUNCILMAN GARAN (By Request):

Petition of Al Rosenfield, Chairman, Citizens for Dog Control, Providence, et als, Requesting the Honorable City Council to Conduct a Public Hearing on Nuisances Created by Dogs Running Loose in the City of Providence.

Referred to Committee on Public Welfare, on motion of COUNCILMAN ADDISON, seconded by COUNCILMEN FLYNN, GARAN and MEROLA.

FROM THE CLERK'S DESK

Petition of Sulzberger-Rolfe, Inc. by James F. Reynolds, Agent, for Permission to Cause the Front Door of the Corliss House, Located on Lot 27, City Assessor's Plat 16, Along South Main Street to Swing Over the Abutting Sidewalk.

Referred to Committee on Public Works, on motion of **COUNCILMAN ADDISON**, seconded by **COUNCILMAN FLYNN**.

Petitions for Compensation for Injuries and Damages, viz:

Aetna Life & Casualty, as subrogee of Henry Rampone

Allstate Insurance Company, as subrogee of Thedford Garrett

Allstate Insurance Company, as subrogee of Ronald G. Giardino

Amica Mutual Insurance Company, as subrogee of James and Margaret Sheridan

John Borelli

John N. Campanini, Jr.

Thomas Capasso

Brenda Casino

Michael P. Conlon

Roger Corrente

Armando and Marie A. D'Iorio

Teresa DiBiasio

Nicholas DiFilippo, Jr.

Robert A. Duarte

General Accident, Fire and Life Insurance Corp., Ltd., as subrogee of Sally Lanzi.

Robert Iervolino

Stacey Kurowski

Marie Lambert

Nationwide Mutual Insurance, as subrogee of Jeffrey and Linda Josefson

New England Telephone

Alice L. H. Ostby

Arthur Pelliccia

Penn Central Transportation Company

Stephen M. Pollock

Providence Washington Insurance Company, as subrogee of Vito Coppa

Julie A. Renigoldo

Scituate Insurance Agency, Inc., as subrogee of Joseph H. Pero

Robert J. Smith

Annette Vivier

Severally Referred to Committee on Claims and Pending Suits, on motion of **COUNCILMAN ADDISON**, seconded by **COUNCILMAN FLYNN**.

PRESENTATION OF RESOLUTIONS

"In Memoriam"

COUNCIL PRESIDENT PRO TEMPORE FARGNOLI for Himself and COUNCILMAN LYNCH in Absentia:

Resolution of Sympathy Upon the Passing of Michael N. Cardarelli, Formerly a City Treasurer of the City of Providence and Civic Leader.

Whereas, It is with sadness that the passing of Michael N. Cardarelli, former Chairman of the Board of Tax Assessor's; former Revenue Administrator and former City Treasurer is noted, and

Whereas, A personable and respected gentleman, whose public life as an elected official included Membership on the Providence School Committee in 1914, and as a Member of the General Assembly in 1918, and

Whereas, "Mike" Cardarelli's reputation as a top-level amateur baseball athlete preceeded his public service,

Now, Therefore, be it Resolved, That in the passing of Michael N. Cardarelli, His Honor Mayor Vincent A. Cianci, Jr., and the Members of the City Council, while mourning his loss as one of our community's finest citizens, take consolation in his many achievements and express to his bereaved daughters and their families, sincere expressions of sympathy, and

Be it Further Resolved, That a duly engrossed copy of this Resolution be transmitted to his survivors.

Read and Passed by a Unanimous Rising Vote, on motion of COUNCILMAN ADDISON, seconded by COUNCILMEN FARGNOLI and TOMASSO.

COUNCILWOMAN BRASSIL and COUNCILMAN XAVIER:

Resolution Memorializing Hugh J. Smith, Sr., Former Executive Director of the Providence Boys' Club.

Whereas, Hugh J. Smith, Sr. has been called to his eternal reward, following a long and effective career in Boys' Clubs activities in the State of Rhode Island, the Commonwealth of Massachusetts and the State of Ohio, and

Whereas, From his inception into this service, beginning in 1912 and spanning two thirds of his life, Mr. Smith enjoyed an unenviable reputation with the Members of the many Boys' Clubs he directed, and

Whereas, Hugh's ability to win the confidence of the youngsters, who frequented Boys' Clubs, was accepted as a pattern of Director-Club Members relationship, and

Whereas, Notably amongst his landmark contributions were his long affiliation with the Wanskuck Boys' Club, where he served for more than one quarter of a century and was revered by all the youngsters who frequented that facility,

Now, Therefore, be it Resolved, That in mourning the passing of Hugh J. Smith, Sr., whose residency in the City of Providence spanned forty years of his life, the Members of this City Council pause in its deliberations and offer their prayers for his eternal repose, and

Be it Further Resolved, That a duly engrossed copy of this Resolution be transmitted to his bereaved wife, Margaret V. Smith.

Read and Passed by a Unanimous Rising Vote, on motion of COUNCILMAN ADDISON, sec-

ended by COUNCILWOMAN BRASSIL and
COUNCILMAN XAVIER.

Petit, son of Registrar of Motor Vehicles and
Mrs. Eugene F. Petit, Jr., all are saddened by
the loss of this fine young man,

Now, Therefore, be it Resolved, That the Mem-
bers of this City Council hereby express to his
bereaved parents their heartfelt sympathy in
this, their great loss.

COUNCILMAN STRAVATO:

Resolution of Sympathy Upon the Death of
Kevin Petit, Late Son of Registrar of Motor
Vehicles and Mrs. Eugene P. Petit, Jr.

Read and Passed by a Unanimous Rising Vote,
on motion of COUNCILMAN ADDISON, sec-
onded by COUNCILMEN STRAVATO and TO-
MASSO.

Resolved, That in the accidental death of Kevin

ADJOURNMENT

There being no further business, on motion
of COUNCILMAN ADDISON, seconded by
COUNCILMEN ALMAGNO, COLA, FLYNN,
MANSOLILLO, MEROLA, and TURCHETTA,
the City Council adjourns at 10:05 o'clock P.M.
(EST), to meet again on THURSDAY, FEBRU-
ARY 19, 1976, at 8:00 o'clock P.M. (EST).

Vincent Vespia

City Clerk

February 5]

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