

DOG OFFICER CITY OF PROVIDENCE

SUBJECT: ORDER TO CEASE AND DESIST AND ABATE AN ANIMAL NUISANCE

WHEREAS the provisions of Section 17, sub section (a) of Chapter 68-41 of the Ordinances of the City of Providence makes it unlawful for a resident of the City of Providence to keep or harbor any dog or any other animal, whether licensed or not, which by reason of habitual howling, yelping, barking or other noise disturbs three or more persons having separate residence, or three or more persons regularly employed in the neighborhood, in said City of Providence and WHEREAS the provisions of Section 17, sub section (b) of said ordinance makes it unlawful for an owner or custodian of any dog or other animal to allow or permit said dog or other animal to trespass on private or public property so as to damage or destroy any property or thing of value, or is vicious or in any manner causes undue annoyance to said residents or persons regularly employed in the neighborhood and WHEREAS three or more persons having separate residence in said City of Providence in accordance with Section 17, sub section (a) and (b) of said Ordinance have alleged in writing and do make complaint to the Dog Officer of said City of Providence that an animal Sheep MONG and

other dog, breed unknown  
owned, kept or harbored at 37 MARVIN ST  
by \_\_\_\_\_

constitutes a nuisance in that said animal Jumped fence and attacked the rear of my house and WHEREAS the Dog Officer L M Cross of said City of Providence is in receipt of this written allegation and by investigation finds such nuisance to exist, and WHEREAS in accordance with the authority granted the Dog Officer by the provisions of Section 17, sub section (b) of said ordinance, as owner or custodian of said animal \_\_\_\_\_ are hereby ordered by said dog officer to immediately cease, desist and abate said nuisance. Failure to comply with this order shall require the dog officer to impound said animal and summons the owner or custodian of said animal before the Municipal Court of the City of Providence for a hearing.

*This BLACK DOG AT 3 MARVIN ST  
BROKE HIS RETAINING ROPE AND  
BIT ME ON THE HAND  
Ted Crosby  
LETTER CARRIER*

SIGNED Lawrence M Cross  
DOG OFFICER  
City of Providence

NOTARY \_\_\_\_\_

\* Further, both said animals constitute a nuisance by habitually howling, yelping and barking which disturbs all said petitioners during the day and particularly during the night. see attached list signed by petitioners.

Mrs Mertie Bedrosian  
59 Messer St. 381-8182

Mrs N Campanile  
47 Messer St  
381-2389

Mrs + Mrs. Maria B. Moore  
47 Messer Street  
Providence, R.I.  
751-7182

Mr. + Mrs. Gloria Whitmore  
100 Oak St.  
Providence, R.I. 02909-521-7487

Alfred Altad & Morris 751-1223  
Morrison St

Christopher Conzelmann  
43 Messer St Providence, R.I.

Mrs. Flora Shurtoff  
85 Oak St Prov R.I. 351-6573

Mr. Jerry Gemma 89 Oak St 351-8554

Mr. Jerry Gemma Jr. 33 Messer St. 351-0597

Alfred Palmira  
59 Messer St Prov R.I. 272-4157

William F. McDough 48 Messer St El-1-6948

John J. McDough 48 Messer St TE-1-2575

Mr & Mrs Stephen B. Rianna

65 Messer St.

P.O. Box First Floor

272 4171

Frank Persechini 65 Messer St  
telephone 861-4479

Arnold Persechini 65 Messer St  
telephone 861-4479

Edward Ravelli 45 Messer St P.O. Box

tel TE 1-0412

Michael C. Barrow 53 Messer St  
831-5974

IN CITY COUNCIL

DEC 20 1973

READ:

WHEREUPON IT IS ORDERED THAT  
THE SAME BE RECEIVED.

*Michael C. Barrow*  
CLERK

IN CITY COUNCIL  
OCT 18 1973  
FIRST READING  
REFERRED TO COMMITTEE ON

Vincent Vecchia CLERK

**PUBLIC WELFARE**

THE COMMITTEE ON  
PUBLIC WELFARE

Recommends

to be continued  
November 29, 1973  
Clerk

*Councilman Lorenz  
and Councilman De Vito, by request*

City of Providence



Rhode Island

Department of City Clerk

**MEMORANDUM**

DATE: October 19, 1973  
TO: Commissioner Brown  
SUBJECT: Animal Nuisance  
CONSIDERED BY: Commission on Public Welfare  
DISPOSITION:

Attached is copy of petition filed by Councilmen Lorenzo and DeVito the same being self-explanatory.

Will you kindly cause an investigation of the alleged nuisance and report back to this subject committee.

*Ursula Vespa*  
City Clerk

FRANCIS B. BROWN  
COMMISSIONER



LEONARD W. REILLY  
ADMINISTRATIVE  
ASSISTANT

COMMISSIONER OF PUBLIC SAFETY  
209 FOUNTAIN ST., PROVIDENCE, RHODE ISLAND 02903

October 29, 1973

The Honorable City Council  
City Hall  
Providence, Rhode Island

Att: Commission on Public  
Works

Gentlemen:

The following is submitted in connection with  
a petition concerning an animal nuisance on Marvin  
Street:

Mr. E. Gallo, 3 Marvin Street, owner of the  
dogs in question has agreed to remove the dogs from  
the city. He was informed that he would be charged  
with violation of the proper City Ordinance if he  
returned the dogs to his property.

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Francis B. Brown".

Commissioner of  
Public Safety

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City of Providence



Rhode Island

Department of City Clerk

MEMORANDUM

DATE: December 10, 1973

TO: Chief McQueeney

SUBJECT: ACCOMPANYING PETITION-MILDRED C. BARNES

CONSIDERED BY: Committee on Public Welfare

DISPOSITION: Attached is copy of complaining Petition on the above subject.

The Committee on Public Welfare requests that you communicate with Dog Officer Lawrence M. Cross, the signator on the accompanying complaint, that he may, in turn, visit Mrs. Barnes and discuss this subject matter.

*Urrunt Uopia*

City Clerk