

Councilman
RALPH FARGNOLI
COUNCIL PRESIDENT
24 Leslie Drive 02908



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Tax Assessment Review

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CITY OF PROVIDENCE, RHODE ISLAND

August 21, 1979

Mrs. Rose M. Mendonca
City Clerk
City Hall
Providence, RI 02903

Dear Mrs. Mendonca:

This is to advise that under the provisions of an Act passed by the General Assembly, 79-S 1117 SUB A, entitled " Resolution Creating a Special Legislative Commission to study and develop the means by which Commercial and Industrial Property may be revitalized in the City of Providence", I hereby appoint the following members to serve on that Commission:

Councilman Joseph R. Paolino, Jr.,;
Councilman Philip F. Addison, Jr., and
Councilman Malcolm Farmer, III.

Sincerely,

Ralph Fagnoli
Ralph Fagnoli
Council President

IN CITY COUNCIL
SEP 8 1979

READ:
WHEREUPON IT IS ORDERED THAT
THE SAME BE RECEIVED.

Rose M. Mendonca CLERK



ALBERT C. HENRY, JR.
Executive Secretary

State of Rhode Island and Providence Plantations

Joint Committee on Legislative Affairs

ROOM 323 STATE HOUSE
PROVIDENCE, RHODE ISLAND 02903

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House Majority Leader

August 9, 1979

Mr. Ralph Fagnoli, President
Providence City Council
1241 Smith Street
Providence, RI 02908

Dear Mr. Fagnoli:

Enclosed is a copy of an Act passed at the recent session of the General Assembly establishing a special legislative commission to study and develop the means by which commercial and industrial property may be revitalized in the City of Providence.

You will note that you have three appointments to make from the Council - 2 majority members and 1 minority. If you will make them at your earliest convenience, we can then have an organizational meeting.

When you make these appointments, will you please let me know.

Thank you very much.

Very truly yours,

Albert C. Henry, Jr.
EXECUTIVE SECRETARY a

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SUB A

State of Rhode Island, &c.

IN GENERAL ASSEMBLY

JANUARY SESSION, A. D. 19 79

RESOLUTION

CREATING A SPECIAL LEGISLATIVE COMMISSION
TO STUDY AND DEVELOP THE MEANS BY WHICH
COMMERCIAL AND INDUSTRIAL PROPERTY MAY BE
REVITALIZED IN THE CITY OF PROVIDENCE.

RESOLVED, That a special legislative commission be and the same is hereby created consisting of nineteen (19) members: four (4) of whom shall be from the house of representatives, not more than three (3) from the same political party, to be appointed by the speaker; three (3) of whom shall be from the senate not more than two (2) from the same political party, to be appointed by the majority leader; two (2) of whom shall be representative of the general public to be appointed by the governor; one (1) of whom shall be a member of the Rhode Island port authority to be appointed by the governor; one (1) of whom shall be a member of the Providence chamber of commerce to be appointed by the governor; one (1) of whom shall be the governor or his designee; one (1) of whom shall be the mayor of the city of Providence or his designee; three (3) of whom shall be members of the Providence city council, not more than two (2) from the same political party to be appointed by the president of the Providence city council; one (1) of whom shall be representative of the mayor's office of community development to be appointed by the mayor; one (1) of whom shall be a member of the citizens review board of the mayor's office of community development to be appointed by the mayor; and one (1) of whom shall be a resident of the city of Providence to be appointed by the mayor; and whose purpose it shall be to:

(1) study, review, and report on various means, financial and otherwise, by which the city of Providence and the state of Rhode Island can encourage and act in such a way as to allow existing and new industries and commercial businesses to remain and where appropriate to relocate in the city of Providence;

(2) provide a means for the city of Providence and the state of Rhode Island to further and assist financially or otherwise both public and private industrial and commercial development in the city of Providence;

(3) examine, receive and review proposals related to the furtherance of industrial and commercial development in the city of Providence and the state of Rhode Island;

(4) to examine and consider among other matters as may be appropriate the founding or establishment of a Providence port authority or business or commercial development corporation, or funding authority the purpose of which would be to act as a governmental or quasi-public authority providing low interest loans to businesses, commercial and industrial in the city of Providence, issuing tax exempt bonds for the same and acting or serving in such other capacities and having such other powers on these and other matters reasonably related thereto as may be appropriate; and

(5) to formulate findings and recommendations on this study for consideration by the general assembly of the state of Rhode Island, the city of Providence and the state of Rhode Island with respect to all matters contained herein and reasonably related hereto.

Forthwith upon the passage of this resolution, the members of the commission shall meet at the call of the speaker of the house and organize and shall select from among its legislative members a chairman. Vacancies in said commission shall be filled in like manner as the original appointment.

The membership of said commission shall receive no compensation for their services.

All departments and agencies of the state shall furnish such advise and information, documentary and otherwise, to said commission and its agents as is deemed necessary or desirable by the commission to facilitate the purposes of this resolution.

The director of administration is hereby authorized and directed to provide suitable quarters for said commission; and be it further

RESOLVED, That the commission shall report its findings and recommendations to the general assembly on or before February 15, 1980.

IN SENATE *4-10-79*
THE COMMITTEE ON CORPORATIONS
RECOMMEND THE PASSAGE.....
OF THE BILL MARKED SUBSTITUTE "A"
AND THE INDEFINITE POSTPONEMENT
OF THE ORIGINAL BILL.

William C. Castro
FOR THE COMMITTEE

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DEVELOP THE MEANS BY WHICH
COMMERCIAL AND INDUSTRIAL
PROPERTY MAY BE REVITALIZED
IN THE CITY OF PROVIDENCE

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,
RECEIVED MAY 3 1979

APPROVED
MAY 4 1979

Joseph Saracy
GOVERNOR

Presented by

IN HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
MAY 2 1979
THE COMMITTEE ON CORPORATIONS
RECOMMEND THE PASSAGE IN CON-
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OF THE ORIGINAL BILL.

79-S-1117 SUB A
Alfred W. Condente
FOR THE COMMITTEE

IN HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

MAY 3 1979 19
TRANSMITTED TO THE
GOVERNOR

Salvatore A. Ceraso
Recording Clerk

City of Providence



Rhode Island

Department of City Clerk

MEMORANDUM

DATE: September 7, 1979

TO: Councilman Joseph R. Paolino, Jr., Councilman Philip F. Addison, Jr.,
and Councilman Malcolm Farmer, III

SUBJECT: APPOINTMENTS TO SERVE ON A COMMISSION

CONSIDERED BY: Rose M. Mendonca, City Clerk

DISPOSITION: In accordance with the Appointments by Council President Ralph Fargnoli for you to serve on that Commission entitled "Resolution Creating a Special Legislative Commission to study and develop the means by which Commercial and Industrial Property may be revitalized in the City of Providence", I am enclosing a copy of the communications and the Act passed by the General Assembly for your review.