

THE CITY OF PROVIDENCE
STATE OF RHODE ISLAND AND PROVIDENCE PLANTATIONS

RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL

No. 43

Approved January 22, 1979

RESOLVED, That the Traffic Engineer is hereby requested to cause Fricker Street, from Cranston Street, to Broad Street, to be closed on all school days to vehicular Traffic, between the hours of 8:00 o'clock A.M. to 3:00 o'clock P.M., for a period of one ^{month} ~~week~~ on a trial basis, said period to begin within thirty days following approval of Resolution, and

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BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That at the end of said period, the Traffic Engineer will make an evaluation to determine whether the closing of said Fricker Street should continue indefinitely or be rescinded.

APPROVED

IN CITY COUNCIL

JAN 18 1979

READ AND PASSED *as amended*

Ralph Fagnano

Rosemondou CLERK

James D. Curran, Jr.

JAN 22 1979

IN CITY COUNCIL

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REFERRED TO COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC WORKS

Jose M. Mendonca CLERK

THE COMMITTEE ON
PUBLIC WORKS

Approves Passage of
The Within Resolution, as amended

Jose M. Mendonca
Clerk Chairman

December 28, 1978

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Councilman Henries (By Request)

FRANK A. TIBALDI
TRAFFIC ENGINEER



VINCENT A. CIANCI, JR.
MAYOR

TRAFFIC ENGINEERING DEPARTMENT
60 ERNEST ST. PROVIDENCE, R. I. 02905 781 - 4044

December 28, 1978

The Honorable City Council
Committee on Public Works
City Hall
Providence, Rhode Island

Gentlemen:

Upon completing an extensive traffic study of Fricker Street, this department cannot recommend the closing of Fricker Street from Westminster Street to Broad Street. The studies that have been undertaken in the past two years have shown a significant increase in vehicular traffic in the area. Neighboring streets cannot possibly accommodate the traffic from Fricker Street since they are operating close to a capacity level.

In the interest of public safety and welfare, the present traffic circulation pattern cannot be altered.

Very truly yours,

Frank A. Tibaldi
Frank A. Tibaldi
Traffic Engineer

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P E T I T I O N

We, the undersigned registered voters of the City of Providence, do hereby request a public hearing on the merits, pro and con, of the closing of Fricker Street to traffic during the school hours of Central High School.

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| No- John J. Pans | wrong address Watog St Prov |
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| OK Roy M Jeffrey | 16-1-13-55 " " " |
| OK Jeanne Wood | 17-2-8-7 Hawthorne St Prov R.I. |
| OK Marion Spaulding | 19-2-10-6 729 Colfax St. Prov. R.I. |
| OK Michael W. Easton | 18-2-9-2 219 Lenox Ave. Prov. R.I. |
| OK Selma Jeffrey | 16-6-13-8 52 Chapin Ave. Prov. R.I. |
| OK Angelina Smith | 18-3-9-4 196 Sackett St. Prov R.I. |
| OK Richard L. Madden | 17-2-10-1 135 Norwich Ave. Providence R.I. |
| OK Jeanette Siquero | 18-3-9-4 175 SACKETT ST |
| OK Harold C. Smith | 17-4-11-5 62 Moore St |

Signatures witnessed by Michael Estone
 Dept. J. Smith notary public

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CITY OF PROVIDENCE
BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS
& RESOLUTIONS

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PROVIDENCE, R.I.

EXHIBIT NO. 10 RECEIVED BY THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS
ON THE 26th DAY OF DECEMBER 1978

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PROVIDENCE, R.I. DECEMBER 26, 1978

RESOLUTION NO. 10

WHEREAS the Board of Commissioners of the City of Providence has received from the Department of City Clerk a copy of the report of the City Auditor for the year ending December 31, 1977, and

WHEREAS the Board of Commissioners has reviewed the report and has determined that the same is correct and true and that the same should be filed for the information of the public;

BEFORE the Board of Commissioners on this 26th day of December, 1978, the following resolution was adopted:

RESOLVED, that the report of the City Auditor for the year ending December 31, 1977, be filed for the information of the public.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the Board of Commissioners has caused this resolution to be signed by its Clerk and its seal to be hereunto affixed, this 26th day of December, 1978.

Clerk

6 P.S.

P E T I T I O N

We, the undersigned registered voters of the City of Providence, do hereby request a public hearing on the merits, pro and con, of the closing of Fricker Street to traffic during the school hours of Central High School.

Name	Address
NO - Gregory A. Bilal Taylor	190 Pavilion Ave - NOT REGISTERED
NO - Frank Santos	108 209 St. Paul St. Wrong Address
OK - Cyrus Docherty	568 Ohio Ave Prov. 20-4-9-8
NO - Paul Robertson	71 Brigham St. Prov. R.I. Wrong Address
OK - William Smith	211 Alabama Ave. Prov. R.I. 20-3-10-5
NO - Rosemary Magilli	107 Ridge Street Registered Prop
NO - John Carter	450 Sumner St. Prov. Wrong Address
NO - John S. Amos & Parkhurst	St. Prov. R.I. Wrong Address
NO - Mary Sullivan	109 Foster St. Prov. R.I. 02905 Wrong Address
NO - John DeLeon	75 Comp. Prov. R.I. 02904 Can't READ NAME OF STREET
OK - Jandra Sery	5-2-1315 Deptford. Prov. R.I. 02907 15-1-13-3
OK - Walter Sweeney	511 Washington ST 02903 17-1-8-6
OK - Ronald W. Allen	157 Linwood Ave. 02907
NO - Barbara Deek	450 Cowdrey St. 02404 Wrong Address
OK - Shada A. Bryant	303 Potter Ave, 02905 19-2-10-1

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Name

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OK - ¹⁸⁻¹⁷⁹⁻⁵ Queen B Taylor 45 Stanwood St 02907

OK - ⁴⁻⁵⁻²⁷ Bob Ambler 45 E Elton St 02906

OK - ⁵⁻⁵⁻³⁻¹⁷ Joanna M. Moore 21 Woodbine St 02906

OK - ⁵⁻⁴⁻²⁻² Michael Van Nest 11 Belair Ave 02906

OK - ¹⁹⁻³⁻¹⁰⁻¹ Roger S. Wells 159 Reynolds Ave Providence 02905

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Name

Address

- OK - Mary H. Heary 17-2-857 Peace St
- OK - James V. Toro 8-2-51788 Academy Ave.
- OK - Donald A. Pastine 14-8-1551 Ringgold St
- NO - Thomas Perilli wrong address 94 Brayton Avenue
- OK - Robert Gonzales 18-4-975 Sumter St., Prov. R.I.
- OK - Rose DiPasquale 14-8-1351 Dean St
- OK - Dennis T. Rinaldi 14-8-1329 De Pasquale Ave.
- OK - John De Nardo 4-9-1-25 Jones Street - Prov - R.I.
- OK - Suzanne Pasentelli 4-2-2-1 330 Grotto Ave. Prov. R.I.
- OK - Willie M. Gault 10-2-28-1 88 Waller St, Prov. R.I.

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- | Name | Address |
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| OK - Debra A. Steadman | 9-3-12-6 75 Buckley St. Prov. |
| OK - Mrs. Frederick L. Steadman | 75 Buckley St. Prov. |
| OK - Priscilla J. Steadman | 9-3-12-6 75 Berkeley St. Prov. |
| OK - Cyril D. Steadman | 8-2-51 38 Hammond Ave. Prov. |
| OK - Veronica L. Hancock | 8-2-51 55 Longwood Ave. Prov. |
| OK - Gloria D'Amelio | 9-1-59 58 Farm St. Prov. |
| OK - Maureen Shulman | 4-4-2-344 Everett Ave. Prov. R.I. |
| OK - James R. Shulman | 10-4-8-3 57 Goddard St. Prov. R.I. |
| OK - Nancy V. Anderson | 5-2-3-5 219 Ivy Street, Prov. R.I. |
| OK - Beverly M. Tulino | 12-6-8-6 1 Whitcomb St., Prov. R.I. |
| OK - John R. DeCurtis | 6-4-4-356 Job St. Prov. R.I. |
| OK - William Coyle | 12-7-7-1 44 Melrose St., Providence |
| OK - Jacqueline Karch | 3-2-2-4 279 DOYLE AVE - Prov. |
| OK - John Angiolini | 10-4-6-6 118 Romana Ave - Prov. |
| OK - Mary E. Steady | 17-2-8-7 151 Peace St. Prov. |

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Name

Address

OK - Robert E Johnson ¹⁹⁻²⁻¹⁰⁻ 138 Colfax St

NO Robert Sullivan 143 Colfax St ^{wrong} street number

NO Francisco Arias 179 Colfax St ^{Not Registered}

* Catherine De Luca ¹⁹⁻²⁻¹⁰⁻ 193 Colfax St.

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IN CITY COUNCIL
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Richard M. [Signature]

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CITY OF PROVIDENCE
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City of Providence



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Department of City Clerk

MEMORANDUM

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DATE: December 26, 1978

TO: Chairman Leo P. Baronian-Board of Canvassers and Registration

SUBJECT: ATTACHED PETITION

CONSIDERED BY: Rose M. Mendonca, City Clerk

DISPOSITION: Accompanying is petition requesting a Public Hearing be held relative to the closing of Fricker Street to Traffic, during School Hours of Central High School.

Board of Canvassers and Registration
Received of Department of City Clerk.

Rose M. Mendonca
City Clerk

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CITY OF PROVIDENCE

BOARD OF CANVASSERS AND REGISTRATION

CITY HALL

PROVIDENCE, RHODE ISLAND

BOARD

LEO P. BARONIAN

CHAIRMAN

Roland A. Dumont

SECRETARY

FRANCIS J. DEAN, JR.

December 26, 1978

Rose M. Mendonca
City Clerk
City Hall
Providence, R.I.

Dear Ms. Mendonca:

The Providence Board of Canvassers certifies that forty-seven (47) of the signatures on the accompanying petition are qualified voters of the City of Providence.

Yours truly,



Roland A. Dumont, Sec.
Board of Canvassers

P E T I T I O N

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Name

Address

John Pano	202 Saratoga St. Prov
Ruth Jeffrey	54 Hudson St Prov
Ray M Jeffrey	" " " "
Jeanine P. New	22 Hawthorne St Prov Rtd
Marion Spaulding	129 Calfax St. Prov. Rtd.
Nicholas W. Easton	219 Lenox Ave. Prov. Rtd.
Edith Jeffrey	52 Chippin Ave. Prov. R.T.
Angelina W. Smith	196 Sackett St. Prov. R.D.
Richard L. Madden	15 Norwich Ave. Providence R.T.
Joseph T. Smith	9 196 SACKETT
Harold C. Smith	62 Moore St

Signatures witnessed by Michael E. Stone
Joseph T. Smith notary public

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Rosemary Mancilla	107 Ridge Street, Prov
Ann Carter	45 Hamilton St. Prov.
John S. Amos	2 Parkview St. Prov. R.I.
Mary Sullivan	162 Potter St., Prov. R.I. 02905
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Delia A. Steadman	75 Buckley St. Prov.
Mr. Frederick L. Steadman	75 Buckley St. Prov.
Ernest L. Steadman	75 Buckley St. Prov.
Joseph W. Steadman	381 Weymouth Ave. Prov.
Veronica L. Hancock	55 Longwood Ave. Prov.
Maria A. Amelia	58 Farm St. Prov.
Myra S. Shulton	144 Everett Ave. Prov. R.I.
James A. Shulton	57 Goddard St. Prov. R.I.
Nancy V. Anderson	219 Ivy Street, Prov. R.I.
Beverly M. Tubino	76 Whitehall St., Prov. R.I.
Abbi A. O'Connell	56 Job St. Prov. R.I.
William Coyle	44 Melissa St., Providence
Jacqueline Karch	279 DOYLE AVE - Prov.
John Guglielmo	118 Fenwick Ave - Prov.
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Department of City Clerk

MEMORANDUM

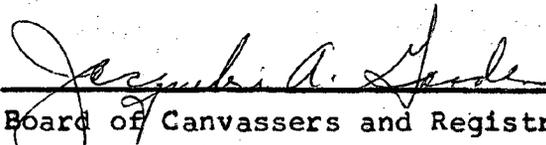
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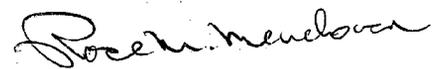
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Board of Canvassers and Registration
Received of Department of City Clerk.


City Clerk

January 4, 1979

Ms. Ruth C. Jeffrey
54 Hudson Street
Providence, RI

Dear Ms. Jeffrey,

I am writing to you relative to that petition you signed requesting a Public Hearing to be held relative to the closing of Fricker Street.

My reason for corresponding with you is that the first name on said petition was not properly addressed.

In order for a public hearing to be held, that petition must contain fifty signatures of qualified voters of the City of Providence.

The petition submitted, upon certification with the Board of Canvassers and Registration, contains forty-seven signatures of qualified voters.

Very truly yours,

Rose M. Mendonca,
City Clerk.

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No, the undersigned, citizens, merchants, and residents of the area of Fricker Street, would like to express our opposition to the closing of Fricker Street to vehioular traffic during school hours when there are other alternative methods available at minimum cost and inconvenience to the taxpayers and citizens of the city who use this artery in the daily performance of their duties, whether it be business or personal.

In view of the fact that a pedestrian over-head crossing and also traffic lights to control street traffic have been previously installed at great expense to the taxpayers, are already in place and are not used, could rightfully be considered a great waste of taxpayers money. Also, students with proper identifying accouterments could act as crossing guards every 45 minutes, which would reduce the time of the street closing to approximately five to ten minutes every hour and allow the citizens the use of this vital connective artery while they continue to pay the taxes to provide these children, who are approaching adulthood, with the education so necessary in today's world.

NAME

ADDRESS

R. J. Mc Dermott	326 Broad St x 312 Broad St
R. J. Connors	6 Hayward St. Prov. R.I.
J. Zinno	74 D. Abell St Prov R.I.
Julia Butke	24 Brigham St. Prov. R.I.
Ken White	44 Front Ave. Cent. R.I.
Joseph W. Clifford	LAB 441 56 Wash. St
Alma M. Frycker	77 Labell Street. Prov. R.I.
Albi Crossman	192 Stanwood St. Prov. R.I.
Harry Bell	160 Broad St
William O'Brien	47 Badell Ave. Prov
Louise Marchetti	30 Sumner Ave. Prov
Richard K. Pappas	11 Providence St. D.C.

Ernest Craddock 220 Pearl St
 Paul M. Snalos 399 Pine Street. Prov.
 Edwin D. Outland 74 Lexter St. Prov.
 Warren Fortmeyer 377. PINE ST. PROV.
 Maibeth Juring 372 Tanner St.
 Raymond Waite 75 Elmwood AVE.
 Janet Wallace 31 Sukell St. Brae.
 Ronald Grandy 369 Sayles St.
 Davis Hoag 22 Arch
 Clarence Mc Donald 39 Arch St
~~Bruce a Lopez 574 PARSONS ST. PROV. R.F.~~
 James Jacobs 23 Arch Street
 Goose Price 2 conduit St Prov, R.F.
 Robert Williams 41 Somerset St
 Chas. May 421 Pine St Prov.
 Donna Wilson 421 Pine St. Prov.
 Tony De Agostino 20 UNION AV.
 J. Phillips 390 Washington St
 Vally Kenyon 130 Stewart
 Alexander Alexander 35 Elmwood Dr.
 Tom Tadd 315 Washington St.
 Louis Martin P.O. Box 835 Prov R-1
 Elizabeth Joyce 485 Pine St Prov R-1
 R. A. Dickson P.O. Box 1291 Prov R-1
 Helen J. Foley 39 Adelaide St Prov R-1

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Eda. Dunlop	6 Sumner Ave Worcester P.R.
Arthur Tubout	
825 West Winter St. Prov. R. (
Nishan Azayaman	224 Pearl Street Prov. R.D.
J. Howard Duffly	Reynolds Ave 700
Mrs. June M. Thomas Pattersonville R.D.	N. Lemin St.
Little Compton R.F.	309 Cranston St.
Ray Wood Jr. 57 W Friendship St.	Carson Pluse 305 Ohio Ave Prov. R.F.
apt 2nd floor apt Prov R.F. 02907	Jones Norman 27 Seabury St

Name

Address

Name	Address	City
Florence Fuller	10 Hayward St	Prov. R.I.
Andrew A. Agajanian	224 Pearl St	" "
James A. Jones	25 Ave 25	Prov. R.I.
John V. Bares	38 Bridgman St	Prov. R.I.
Carlo Ferraris	30 KELLEY ST	PROV. R.I.
Elaine Elson	305 Ohio Ave	PROV. R.I.
William Starr	429 Pine St.	Prov. R.I.
John Perry	16 Broad St	Prov. R.I.
Joseph H. Carter	39 Elmwood Ave	PROV. R.I.
John Perry	15 A ST APT 3A	Prov. R.I.
Theodore H. Johnston	74 Lester St-3A	Prov. R.I.
Coal Field	21 DESOTO ST	PROV. R.I.
Samuel Merrill	2 Hayward St	Prov. R.I.
Barbara Almeida	286 Prospect Hgt	Prov. R.I.
Elsie Almeida	276 Prospect Hgt	Prov. R.I.
Loris Vanity	328 Broad St	Prov. R.I.
Jeanette Bueh	9 Parkis Ave	Prov. R.I.
Francis X. Gray	233 Pearl St	Prov. R.I.
Catherine M. Mendes	490 Public St.	Prov. R.I.
Jerry Jackson	421 Pine St.	Prov. R.I.
Paula M. Amico	Cranston St	Prov. R.I.
Robert D. Amico	53-54th St	Prov. R.I.
Arthur Burdick	397 POTTERS AVE	PROV. R.I.
Theresa Burdick	377 POTTERS AVE	PROV. R.I.
Anna Tencardson	96 WEDLAYAN AVE	PROV. R.I.
Francis White	377 Potters Ave	Prov. R.I.
Elizabeth Below	25 Arch Street	Providence, R.I.
Evelyn Desjardins	28 Elbow St.	Prov. R.I.
Frank Sauter	69 Tenon St.	Prov. R.I.

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on 10/20/2008

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Alice DeBritto

4 Jones St Prov, R.I.

William E. Gray

179 Bayfield St Prov R.I.

William M. Gregor

339 Washington St Prov R.I.

William Witt

270 Pearl St Prov R.I.

Carlo Ferris

166 Bloss St

W. Calvin H. Brown

270 Pearl St

William J. Fuld

26 Barbara St

Arthur Harris Jr

155 Cranston St

John J. ...

276 Pearl St Prov

John G. ...

1257 Congdon St

George R. ...

150 Bay St Prov

Joseph ...

56 Tell St Prov

Matthew ...

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Name

Address

Alvin I. Christie *770 Pearl St. Rm. 101*

Other alternative methods available at this time are and convenience

to the taxpayer and citizens of the city who use said street in the

daily performance of their duties, whether it be business or personal.

In view of the fact that a pedestrian over-head crossing and also

traffic lights to control street traffic have been previously installed

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needed, could rightfully be considered a great waste of taxpayers money.

Also, studies with proper lighting arrangements could not be

made to a point where a highway which would reduce the

approximately five to ten minutes every hour and

the use of this vital commodity, thereby, while the

city is to provide these facilities, who are also

should be the question of necessity in the city.

TRAFFIC ENGINEERING DEPARTMENT

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60 ERNEST STREET

ADDRESS

MAIL

Alvin I. Christie
770 Pearl St. Rm. 101
St. Paul, Minn.

CITY OF PROVIDENCE
TRAFFIC ENGINEERING DEPARTMENT
60 ERNEST, PROVIDENCE, R. I. 02905

City Clerk's Office

City Hall

ATTENTION: Mike Clement

We, the undersigned, citizens, merchants, and residents of the area of Fricker Street, would like to express our opposition to the closing of Fricker Street to vehicular traffic during school hours when there are other alternative methods available at minimum cost and inconvenience to the taxpayers and citizens of the city who use this artery in the daily performance of their duties, whether it be business or personal.

In view of the fact that a pedestrian over-head crossing and also traffic lights to control street traffic have been previously installed at great expense to the taxpayers, are already in place and are not used, could rightfully be considered a great waste of taxpayers money. Also, students with proper identifying accouterments could act as crossing guards every 45 minutes, which would reduce the time of the street closing to approximately five to ten minutes every hour and allow the citizens the use of this vital connective artery while they continue to pay the taxes to provide these children, who are approaching adulthood, with the education so necessary in today's world.

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Mr. V. Guigain	308 Broad St. Prov. R.I.
Israel Dickstein	434 Pine St. Prov. R.I.
Charles Duff	33 Lyden St. Prov. R.I.
Timothy DeBrito	4 James St. Prov. R.I.
Mr. Mrs. Bates	42 Huskins St.
Mr. L. Smith	391 Elwood Ave.
Walter Chipkala	15 Arch St. PROV.
Anna Andrews	255 Pearl St. Prov.
Fletcher Lodge	26 Bridgton street
Louise M. Ryan	314 Broad St. Prov.
Charles W. Blake	155 Cranston St. Prov.
Oliver Jones	279 Pearl St. Prov.

John Mason	15 Emmett St
Charles Waters	153 Peace St Prov. Rd.
Henry Nelson	231 Blackstone St
Amelia Nelson	33 Benedict "
Laura Coimbe SR	109 BRIGGS ST PROV RI.
Mary J Osler	75 Uppike St Prov. R.I.
Michael Pipevine	85 Knight St. Prov
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Richard Carlson	22 ARCH ST. PROV. R.I.
John A. Fenulis	399 Pine Street, Prov.
Fanny Bates	48 Haskin Street Prov.
John J. Under	181 Bradford St Prov R.I.
John J. Under	244 Pearl St
Oliver Turner	376 Pine St
General Armature Serv.	270 Beach St Prov
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Council votes to close busy road between schools

By LEE DYKAS

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PROVIDENCE — By a vote of three to two, with one councilman not voting and another absent, the City Council's Committee on Public Works last night ordered a one-week trial closing of Fricker Street, formerly Winter Street, which runs between buildings in the Central-Classical High School complex.

"It's ridiculous," muttered Councilman Thomas M. Glavin, D-Ward 12, who voted against closing the block-long street. "This is against the recommendations of the professionals we pay to advise us. It's ridiculous." P.J. 12/29/78

THE COMMITTEE has been badgered in recent weeks by a group calling itself the Coalition to Close Fricker Street. The group asserts that traffic there presents a hazard to students crossing the street.

About a dozen members of the coalition attended the committee's meeting Dec. 6, at which the committee refused to deal with the issue, but none attended last night. The committee took different tacks last night: it "responded to the citizens appeal," in the words of Councilman Laurence K. Flynn, D-Ward 8, the committee chairman, or took a step "to get this off our backs," in the words of Councilman Louis R. Stravato, D-Ward 7.

AFTER FLYNN opened discussion on the issue, Stravato asked if the committee had received a recommendation from Frank Tibaldi, the city's traffic engineer.

"I have a letter from him," Flynn replied. "He says that in the interest of public safety, the traffic pattern can not be altered."

Councilman Philip F. Addison Jr., D-Ward 3, said he felt compelled to support a trial closing of the street.

Councilman-elect David Dillon, D-Ward 8, asked the committee to order the temporary closing for 30 to 45 days. "I know these students are supposed to be adults," he said, "but would it be right to

say the punishment for one not paying attention should be an injury?

"People will get used to the fact that the street is closed. They will find another route. The problem will mend itself."

"It's ridiculous," Glavin insisted. "Everyone has to give a little in a situation like this, the motorists, the students, everyone."

Councilman Philip A. Amagno, D-Ward 7, who along with Glavin voted against the closing, asked: "When we closed it before (for a week about eight years ago) didn't we get a lot of complaints? Didn't the merchants complain and didn't (Fire Chief William F. Moise) tell us that it was a very important street given the makeup of the city?"

"Absolutely," answered Glavin.

Flynn said he had a petition signed by "a couple of hundred" city employees, merchants and residents who opposed closing the street.

"THIS COMMITTEE is sympathetic," Flynn continued. "We are trying to do the right thing in a very difficult situation."

"It's ridiculous," Glavin began again. "It's unfortunate that the city does not have large secluded areas where we can build such facilities. The reality is that the city was designed a long time ago and we have to live with what we have. Everyone has to take his responsibility into account — motorists and adolescents. The city has gone far out of its way, a lot of money has been spent, basically we are talking about young adults here who are supposed to be able to cross a street, and I just don't see any need for this."

James Salem, a city deputy traffic engineer, told the committee that if the street were closed, it would be "a catastrophe" in terms of the traffic load placed on alternate routes from Cranston Street to Broad Street. He added that a traffic study shows there has only been one incident on the street in the last two years in which a pedestrian was injured. He said that incident was not serious.

"Why don't we close it temporarily to see how it works?" Flynn asked.

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been as finely tuned as their inside attack. Led by Jim Wright, who corraled a career-high 12 rebounds to go with 15 points, Rhody outrebounded the smaller Pioneers by an overwhelming 46-24.

"That was it, no question," said Ben Jebe, Denver's first-year coach. "They killed us inside. Of course, that's what we expected them to do."

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THE RAMS' domination was especially complete at spots in the first half, when the Pioneers were getting only one shot at the hoop, whereas Rhody's big men, Wright, Williams and Irv Chatman (nine rebounds each), appeared to be playing volleyball off the boards.

"We played a fair game in the first half," commented Wright, "but I thought we played a less-than-fair game in the second half. We didn't seem to be concentrating."

Williams, who sat out about 10 minutes of the second half because of a minor leg injury, led the Rams with 19 points. He also had five assists and six of the Rams' 10 steals. John Nelson added 18 points, mostly on long-range bombs.

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DENVER, WHICH had 13 steals, was paced by speedy Roy Jones, who had 19 points, and Matt Teahan, who chipped in 17. Jones shot a gaudy eight of 11 from the field.

The Titans (8-2) were in trouble for exactly 2:15 against the Wildcats in the second game. That was when Ducrod stuck in a 20-foot jumper, breaking a 6-6 tie and launching the host team into a lead that ballooned to as many as 48 points in the second half.

Detroit, which outrebounded UNH by 63-43, had four other players in double figures. Jerry Davis had 17, Earl Cureton 16 and Dave Miles 15. Brendan Van Deventer led the Wildcats (4-4) with 20 points.

URI			DENVER		
FG	FT	Pts	FG	FT	Pts
Nelson	9 0-0	18	Coffman	5 5-5	15
Williams	9 1-1	19	Teahan	8 1-2	17
Chatman	4 0-0	8	Wittebort	1 0-0	2
Wright	7 1-4	15	Jones	8 3-3	19
Johnson	2 0-0	4	Jorgensen	2 1-1	5
Bednarcik	0 1-2	1	Gallagher	2 1-2	5
Kydd	2 2-2	6	Eschler	0 0-0	0
Houston	0 0-0	0	Correll	1 0-0	2
DeJesus	0 2-4	2	Weisenberg	0 0-0	0
Bertuglio	1 1-2	3			
Hollis	0 0-0	0			
Groomes	0 0-0	0			
Whiting	0 0-0	0			
Totals	34 8-15	76	Totals	27 11-13	65

Halftime: URI, 40-28.

NEW HAMPSHIRE			DETROIT		
FG	FT	Pts	FG	FT	Pts
VanDvnr	9 2-4	20	Kopicki	3 1-2	7
Herbert	1 2-3	4	Davis	8 1-2	17
Gildea	1 1-4	3	Gareton	6 4-4	16
Dufour	3 0-0	6	McCormick	6 0-0	12
Dickson	3 3-4	9	Ducrod	13 0-0	26
Keeler	3 6-6	12	Jackson	0 2-2	2
Hicks	1 0-0	2	Whitelow	4 0-0	8
Kinzly	2 0-0	4	Niles	6 3-3	15
Grey	1 0-0	2	Fields	2 1-2	5
Chapman	4 0-0	8	McDermott	0 0-0	0
Burns	0 0-0	0			
Totals	28 14-21	70	Totals	48 12-16	108

Halftime: Detroit, 64-38

Attendance: 5,228

paces Virginia out of Friars