

CITY OF PROVIDENCE RHODE ISLAND



CITY COUNCIL

JOURNAL OF PROCEEDINGS

No. 1 City Council Regular Meeting, Thursday, January 3, 2013, 7:00 o'clock P.M. (E.S.T.)

PRESIDING

COUNCIL PRESIDENT
MICHAEL A. SOLOMON

ROLL CALL

PRESENT: COUNCIL PRESIDENT SOLOMON,
COUNCILMEN APONTE, COUNCILWOMAN CASTILLO,
COUNCILMEN CORREIA, HASSETT, IGLIOZZI, JACKSON,
JENNINGS, COUNCILWOMAN MATOS, COUNCILMEN
NARDUCCI, PRINCIPE, SALVATORE, SANCHEZ, YURDIN
and ZURIER – 15.

ABSENT: NONE.

ALSO PRESENT: Anna M. Stetson, City Clerk, Lori L. Hagen,
Second Deputy City Clerk, Sheri A. Petronio, Assistant Clerk and
Jeffrey Padwa, City Solicitor.

IN CITY COUNCIL
MAY 02 2013
APPROVED: *Michael A. Solomon*
CLERK

INVOCATION

The Invocation will be given by COUNCILMAN JOHN J. IGLIOZZI.

"Happy New Year to everybody. Hopefully everybody had a nice holiday religious or otherwise. The other day a young woman I wanted to mention went sledding in my neighborhood on Neutaconkanut Hill. A young lady, vibrant, a great future ahead of her. She just turned seventeen last October. It's a really sad story. She went with her family and they just simply went sledding. She went down the hill and went off the side of the track and she hit a tree. Four and a half hours later, about 10:00 o'clock last night she passed away. The young woman's name was Alexandra Alvarez. During the holidays we look upon to be with our friends and families, our loved ones that are alive and to reflect to ones that have passed away. I was hoping this evening of course that the Council could in their prayers and thoughts put this young woman in them and her family and friends. It's just a sad tragedy. So, could we all do a moment of silence for her. God Bless her and her family. Amen"

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

COUNCILMAN LUIS A. APONTE Leads the Members of the City Council and the Assemblage in the Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag of the United States of America.

ORDINANCES SECOND READING

The Following Ordinance was in City Council December 6, 2012, Read and Passed the First Time and is Returned for Passage the Second Time:

An Ordinance of the City of Providence Approving the financing of improvements to the Providence Water Supply System including, but not limited to, distribution improvements, replacement and rehabilitation of distribution mains, water services and valves, engineering costs and all attendant expenses and approving the issuance of water revenue bonds and notes therefore in an amount not to exceed \$33,000,000.

SECTION 1. The sum of Thirty-Three Million Dollars (\$33,000,000) is appropriated for the purpose of financing improvements to the Providence water supply system including, but not limited to, distribution improvements, replacement and rehabilitation of distribution mains, water services and valves, engineering costs and all attendant expenses (the "Project"). The period of usefulness of the improvements financed as part of the Project is expected to be not less than forty (40) years.

SECTION 2. In accordance with Chapter 46-12.8 of the Rhode Island General Laws, the City Treasurer and the Mayor are hereby authorized to borrow an amount not exceeding Thirty-Three Million Dollars (\$33,000,000) from the Rhode Island Clean Water Finance Agency, and to evidence such loan, such officers are hereby authorized to issue and refund on behalf of the City, in an amount not exceeding Thirty-Three Million Dollars (\$33,000,000) water revenue bonds (the "Bonds") of the City, at one time, or from time to time in order to meet the foregoing appropriation.

SECTION 3. The said officers from time to time may issue and refund not exceeding \$33,000,000 interest bearing or discounted water revenue notes (the "Notes") in anticipation of the issue of said Bonds.

SECTION 4. The Bonds and Notes shall be payable solely from revenues of the Providence water supply system. The City may issue bonds, notes, or other obligations ana parity with these Bonds. The manner of sale, amount, denominations, maturities, conversion at registration privileges, interest rates, medium of payment, and other terms, conditions and details of the Bonds or Notes may be fixed by the officers authorized to sign the Bonds or Notes. The net debt of the City is not affected by the issuance of the Bonds or Notes and the Bonds and Notes authorized hereby will be within all debt and other limitations prescribed by the Constitution and the laws of Rhode Island.

SECTION 5. Pending the issuance of the Bonds under Section 2 hereof or pending or in lieu of the issue of Notes under Section 3 hereof, the General Manager of the Providence Water Supply Board may expend funds from the Water Fund of the City far the purposes specified in Section 1 hereof. Any advances made under this section shall be repaid without interest from the proceeds of the Bonds or Notes issued hereunder or from the proceeds of applicable federal or state assistance or from other available funds.

SECTION 6. The City Treasurer, the Mayor and the General Manager of the Providence Water Supply Board are also authorized, empowered and directed, on behalf of the City, to: (i) execute, acknowledge and deliver a Supplemental Indenture (the "Supplemental Indenture") by and between the City and U. S. Bank, National Association, as trustee (the "Trustee") amending and supplementing the Trust Indenture dated June 5, 2008 by and between the City and the Trustee (as supplemented, the "Indenture") relating to the Bonds and any andall other loan agreements, documents, certificates or instruments necessary to effectuate such borrowing; (ii) amend, modify or supplement the Indenture, the Bonds or Notes and any and all other loan agreements, documents, certificates or instruments at any time and from time to time, in such manner and for such purposes as such officers shall deem necessary, desirable or advisable; (iii) direct the Trustee with regard to investments of trust funds pursuant to the Trust Indenture, and (iv) do and perform all such other acts and things deemed by such officers to be necessary, desirable or advisable with respect to any matters contemplated by this Ordinance in order to effectuate said borrowing and the intent hereof.

SECTION 7. The City Treasurer and the Mayor are hereby authorized to deliver the Bonds or Notes to the purchaser and said officers are hereby authorized and instructed to take all actions, on behalf of the City, necessary to ensure that interest on the Bonds or Notes will be excludable from gross income for federal income tax purposes and to refrain from all actions which would cause interest on the Bonds or Notes to become subject to federal income taxes.

SECTION 8. The Director of Finance, the Mayor and the General Manager of the Providence Water Supply Board are authorized to take all actions necessary to comply with federal tax and securities laws including Rule 15c2-12 of the Securities and Exchange Commission (the "SEC Rule") and to execute and deliver one or more Disclosure Certificates in connection with the Bonds or Notes in the form as shall be deemed advisable by the Director of Finance, the Mayor and the General Manager of the Providence Water Supply Board in order to comply with the SEC Rule. The City hereby covenants and agrees that it will comply with and carry out all of the provisions of the Disclosure Certificates, as they may be amended from time to time. Notwithstanding any other provision of this Ordinance or the Bonds or Notes, failure of the City or the Providence Water Supply Board to comply with a Disclosure Certificates shallnot be considered an event of default; however, any Bondholder or Noteholder may take such actions as may be necessary and appropriate, including seeking mandate or specific performance by court order, to cause the City or the Providence Water Supply Board to comply with its obligations under this Section and under the Disclosure Certificate.

SECTION 9. This Ordinance shall take effect upon passage.

Read and Passed the Second Time, on Motion of COUNCILMAN YURDIN, seconded by COUNCILMAN NARDUCCI, by the Following Roll Call Vote:

AYES: COUNCIL PRESIDENT SOLOMON, COUNCILMAN APONTE, COUNCILWOMAN CASTILLO, COUNCILMEN CORREIA, HASSETT, IGLIOZZI, JACKSON, JENNINGS, COUNCILWOMAN MATOS, COUNCILMEN NARDUCCI, PRINCIPE, SALVATORE, SANCHEZ, YURDIN and ZURIER – 15.

NAYES: NONE.

ABSENT: NONE.

The Motion for Passage the Second Time is Sustained.

PRESENTATION OF ORDINANCE

COUNCILMAN IGLIOZZI, COUNCILMEN APONTE, HASSETT, JACKSON, JENNINGS AND NARDUCCI, COUNCILWOMAN CASTILLO, COUNCILMEN CORREIA, COUNCILWOMAN MATOS, COUNCILMEN PRINCE and SANCHEZ:

An Ordinance Amending Ordinance No. 337 of Chapter 2012-31, Adopted June 12, 2012, Providing for the Assessment and Collection of 2012 taxes in a sum not less than Three Hundred Seventeen Million One Hundred Sixteen Thousand One Hundred Seventy Five (\$317,116,175) Dollars and not more than Three Hundred Thirty Five Million Four Hundred Ninety Two Thousand Five Hundred Eighty Four (\$35,492,584) Dollars, being based on a One Hundred Percent (100%) of the 2012-2013 Fiscal Year Tax Collections, Amending Section 21-182 of the Code of Ordinances to reflect the Tax Classification Plan Approved by the Rhode Island General Assembly, Amending Section 21-126 of the Code of Ordinances to raise the Personal Exemptions and setting the Homestead rates for Fiscal Year 2013.

COUNCIL PRESIDENT SOLOMON Refers the Ordinance to the Committee on Ways and Means.

PRESENTATION OF RESOLUTIONS

COUNCIL PRESIDENT SOLOMON (By Request):

Resolution Authorizing Approval of the following sole source contract award by the Board of Contract and Supply, in accordance with Section 21-26 of the Code of Ordinances.

Susan L. Hawksley \$133,120.00

COUNCIL PRESIDENT SOLOMON Refers the Ordinance to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Resolution Requesting that "One Cookson Place" be re-named to "One Weybosset Hill."

COUNCIL PRESIDENT SOLOMON Refers the Resolution to the Committee on Urban Redevelopment, Renewal and Planning.

COUNCILMAN CORREIA, COUNCILWOMAN MATOS and COUNCILMAN PRINCIPLE:

Resolution Requesting the Acting Director of Public Works to amend the contract with Waste Management requiring the removal of all bulk items from city streets without requiring city residents to phone them in, excluding mattresses.

RESOLVED. That the Acting Director of Public Works is requested to amend the contract with Waste Management requiring the removal of all bulk items from city streets without requiring city residents to phone them in, excluding mattresses.

COUNCILMAN CORREIA and COUNCILMAN PRINCIPE:

Resolution Requesting the Acting Director of Public Works to open a drop off site two days per month so city residents may drop off any unwanted items.

RESOLVED, That the Acting Director of Public Works is requested to open a drop off site two days per month so city residents may drop off any unwanted items.

Resolution Requesting the Acting Director of Public Works to cause the repair of the sidewalk located at 63 Andem Street (Canton Street Side).

RESOLVED, That the Acting Director of Public Works is requested to cause the repair of the sidewalk located at 63 Andem Street (Canton Street Side).

Resolution Requesting the Acting Director of Public Works to cause the repair of the sidewalk located at 57 Hendrick Street.

RESOLVED, That the Acting Director of Public Works is requested to cause the repair of the sidewalk located at 57 Hendrick Street.

Resolution Requesting the Acting Director of Public Works to cause the repair of the sidewalk located at 1052 Chalkstone Avenue.

RESOLVED, That the Acting Director of Public Works is requested to cause the repair of the sidewalk located at 1052 Chalkstone Avenue.

Resolution Requesting the Acting Director of Public Works to cause the repair of the sidewalk located at 1066 Chalkstone Avenue.

RESOLVED, That the Acting Director of Public Works is requested to cause the repair of the sidewalk located at 1066 Chalkstone Avenue.

Resolution Requesting the Acting Director of Public Works to cause the repair of the sidewalk located at 1092 Chalkstone Avenue.

RESOLVED, That the Acting Director of Public Works is requested to cause the repair of the sidewalk located at 1092 Chalkstone Avenue.

Resolution Requesting the Acting Director of Public Works to cause the repair of the sidewalk located at 958 Chalkstone Avenue.

RESOLVED, That the Acting Director of Public Works is requested to cause the repair of the sidewalk located at 958 Chalkstone Avenue.

Resolution Requesting the Acting Director of Public Works to cause the repair of the sidewalk located at 952 Chalkstone Avenue.

RESOLVED, That the Acting Director of Public Works is requested to cause the repair of the sidewalk located at 952 Chalkstone Avenue.

Resolution Requesting the Acting Director of Public Works to cause the repair of the catch basins located at 169 Hendrick Street.

RESOLVED, That the Acting Director of Public Works is requested to cause the repair of the catch basins located at 169 Hendrick Street.

Resolution Requesting the Forestry Division of the Parks Department to cause the removal of the tree stump located at 67 Canton Street.

RESOLVED, That the Forestry Division of the Parks Department is requested to cause the removal of the tree stump located at 67 Canton Street.

Resolution Requesting the Forestry Division of the Parks Department to cause the removal of the tree stump located at 67 Bergen Street.

RESOLVED, That the Forestry Division of the Parks Department is requested to cause the removal of the tree stump located at 67 Bergen Street.

Resolution Requesting the Forestry Division of the Parks Department to cause the removal of the tree stump located at 22 Montrose Street.

RESOLVED, That the Forestry Division of the Parks Department is requested to cause the removal of the tree stump located at 22 Montrose Street.

COUNCILMAN YURDIN Moves to Dispense with the Reading of the foregoing matters and Moves Passage of the Several Resolutions, seconded by COUNCILMAN NARDUCCI.

The Motion for Passage of the Several Resolutions is Sustained.

COUNCILWOMAN MATOS (By Request):

Resolution Requesting the Traffic Engineer to cause the installation of a "Do Not Park" or "Do Not Block Driveway" Sign in front of 33 Pocasset Avenue.

COUNCIL PRESIDENT SOLOMON Refers the Resolution to the Committee on Public Works.

COUNCILWOMAN MATOS and COUNCILMAN CORREIA:

Resolution Requesting that "Chafee Street" be re-named "Youth Build Way."

COUNCIL PRESIDENT SOLOMON Refers the Resolution to the Committee on Urban Redevelopment, Renewal and Planning.

COUNCILMAN YURDIN, COUNCILWOMAN CASTILLO, COUNCILMAN JENNINGS, COUNCILWOMAN MATOS, COUNCILMEN SALVATORE and ZURIER:

Resolution Requesting the Ban on all Semi-Automatic Firearms in Providence, and urging reintroduction and passage by the General Assembly of Senate Bill 2573.

WHEREAS, A semi-automatic, or self-loading, firearm is a weapon that fires, extracts, ejects and reloads once for each pull and release of the trigger; and

WHEREAS, Semi-automatic weapons, whether pistol or rifle, were designed for use by the military on the battlefield; and

WHEREAS, Using a semi-automatic weapon, whether a pistol or rifle, allows the shooter to carry and fire more rounds more easily and in less time than is possible with a conventional single-action, single-shot firearm; and

WHEREAS, According to the Brady Campaign to Prevent Gun Violence, "Police across America report that semi-automatic assault weapons [have] become the weapon of choice for drug traffickers, gangs and paramilitary extremist groups"; and

WHEREAS, Semi-automatic firearms, both pistol and rifle, have been used repeatedly in our nation's worst mass shootings, including the recent tragedies in Newtown, Connecticut, and Aurora, Colorado; and

WHEREAS, Previous attempts to ban so-called "assault weapons", while positive, have been undermined by loopholes and efforts by weapons manufacturers to redesign certain weapons to evade the ban; and

WHEREAS, The federal ban on fully automatic firearms is not enough to protect innocents from mass shootings, as the difference in capacity and firing speed between automatic and semi-automatic weapons is often negligible; and

WHEREAS, Between 2006 and 2010, 561 children age 12 and under were killed by firearms, according to the FBI's most recent Uniform Crime Reports; and

WHEREAS, Since 1979, America has lost nearly three times as many children and teens to gunfire as the number of U.S. military deaths during the Vietnam War and over 23 times the number of U.S. military deaths in Iraq and Afghanistan; and

WHEREAS, In 2012, there were 17 homicides in the Providence, 14 involved a firearm; and

WHEREAS, A ban on semi-automatic weapons would not restrict the ownership or use of conventional single-action, single-shot firearms, which are considered by many to be the most effective firearms for hunting, personal and home defense and sport shooting; and

WHEREAS, Rhode Island General Law 11-47-58 grants the State of Rhode Island, rather than the local municipality, sole jurisdiction over the control of firearms; and

WHEREAS, As public servants and the elected representatives of the people of Providence, the City Council has a moral obligation to keep dangerous weapons, such as semi-automatics, out of the hands of criminals and off of our streets.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, That the Providence City Council does hereby urge the Rhode Island General Assembly to introduce legislation that permits the enactment of this resolution.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That the Providence City Council does hereby express its support for a ban on the sale, use, and possession of all semi-automatic firearms within Providence.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That upon passage, copies of this resolution be sent to the sponsors of Senate Bill 2573 and the entire Providence General Assembly delegation.

Read and Passed, on Motion of **COUNCILMAN YURDIN**

COUNCILMAN YURDIN Moves to Withdraw his motion.

COUNCILMAN YURDIN Moves to Amend the Ordinance to strike the paragraph that refers to Senate Bill 2573 and the first Now, Therefore, Be it Resolved shall be rewritten and the amendment is as follows: "That the Providence City Council does hereby urge the Rhode Island General Assembly to introduce legislation that permits the enactment of this resolution", seconded by **COUNCILMAN IGLIOZZI**.

COUNCILMAN YURDIN Moves Passage of the Resolution, As Amended, seconded by **COUNCILWOMAN MATOS**, by the Following Roll Call Vote:

AYES: **COUNCILWOMAN CASTILLO**, **COUNCILMEN HASSETT**, **IGLIOZZI**, **JENNINGS**, **COUNCILWOMAN MATOS**, **COUNCILMEN SALVATORE**, **YURDIN** and **ZURIER** - 8.

NAYES: **COUNCILMEN APONTE**, **CORREIA**, **JACKSON**, **NARDUCCI**, **PRINCIPE** and **SANCHEZ** - 6.

ABSTAIN: **COUNCIL PRESIDENT SOLOMON** - 1.

ABSENT: NONE.

The Motion for Passage is Sustained.

REPORTS FROM COMMITTEES
COMMITTEE ON URBAN REDEVELOPMENT,
RENEWAL AND PLANNING
COUNCILMAN NICHOLAS J. NARDUCCI, JR., Chairman

Transmits the Following with Recommendation the Same be Severally Approved:

Resolution Requesting to re-name Nolan Street Extension to "Francis Smith Way."

RESOLVED, That the Nolan Street Extension be re-named to "Francis Smith Way."

Resolution Requesting that Service Road 7 be renamed "John J. Partington Way."

RESOLVED, That that Service Road 7 be renamed "John J. Partington Way."

Resolution Renaming the Sackett Street Park in Honor of Councilman Miguel C. Luna.

WHEREAS, Born in San Pedro de Macoris, Dominican Republic, Councilman Miguel-C. Luna moved to Rhode Island in 1984; and

WHEREAS, Luna was a longtime and beloved resident of the Elmwood neighborhood who became involved with numerous local social justice efforts and community organizations, including Amos House, the International Institute, Jobs with Justice, the San Miguel School and the Center for Minority Advancement in Building Trades; and

WHEREAS, In 1986, Luna was part of a group of Providence residents who founded Direct Action for Rights and Equality (DARE), a non-profit organization dedicated to promoting justice and creating lasting positive change in our community; and

WHEREAS, In 2002, Luna was elected to the Providence City Council representing Ward Nine, becoming just the second Latino to be elected in the Council's history; and

WHEREAS, In more than eight years as a member of the City Council, Luna earned a reputation as a consummate public servant and a strong advocate for the people of Providence's South Side; and

WHEREAS, Luna was instrumental in the creation of the Providence External Review Authority (PERA), the first ever civilian police review board in Providence; and

WHEREAS, Councilman Luna was outspoken on numerous issues, including affordable housing, government transparency, economic development, and racial discrimination; and

WHEREAS, Luna cared deeply about Providence's public parks, serving on the Board of Parks Commissioners, leading efforts to build new playgrounds in Elmwood and Washington Park, and directing resources to make major improvements at several neighborhood parks, including Sackett Street; and

WHEREAS, On August 18, 2011, Councilman Miguel Luna tragically passed away at the age of 53 from a heart attack; and

WHEREAS, Renaming and rededicating the Sackett Street Park in Councilman Luna's memory is a fitting tribute that will ensure his many contributions to the city he loved will not be forgotten.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, That the City Council of the City of Providence does hereby honor and thank Councilman Miguel C. Luna for his years of service and countless contributions to the City of Providence.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That the Sackett Street Park, located at 110 Sackett Street, shall be known as the "Councilman Miguel C. Luna Memorial Park."

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That upon passage, copies of this resolution be sent to the family of Councilman Luna.

COUNCILMAN YURDIN Moves to Dispense with the Reading of the foregoing matters and Moves Passage of the Several Resolutions, seconded by COUNCILMAN NARDUCCI.

The Motion for Passage of the Several Resolutions is Sustained.

COMMITTEE ON ORDINANCES
COUNCILMAN SETH YURDIN, Chairman

Transmits the Following with Recommendation the Same be Adopted, As Amended:

An Ordinance Amending Article VII, "Junk and Secondhand Dealers," of Chapter 14, "Licenses."

Read and Passed the First Time, on Motion of COUNCILMAN YURDIN, seconded by COUNCILMAN NARDUCCI, by the Following Roll Call Vote:

AYES: COUNCIL PRESIDENT SOLOMON, COUNCILMAN APONTE, COUNCILWOMAN CASTILLO, COUNCILMEN CORREIA, IGLIOZZI, JACKSON, JENNINGS, COUNCILWOMAN MATOS, COUNCILMEN NARDUCCI, PRINCIPE, SALVATORE, SANCHEZ, YURDIN and ZURIER - 14.

NAYES: NONE.

ABSENT: COUNCILMAN HASSETT - 1.

The Motion for Passage the First Time, is Sustained.

Report and Recommendations of the City of Providence, relative to Entertainment Licensing and Nightclub Safety.

COUNCIL PRESIDENT SOLOMON Receives the foregoing Report.

SPECIAL COMMITTEE ON EDUCATION
COUNCILMAN SAMUEL D. ZURIER, Chairman

Transmits the Following with Recommendation the Same be Severally Approved:

Communication from His Honor the Mayor, dated December 14, 2012, Informing the Honorable members of the City Council that pursuant to Sections 302 (b) and 701 of the Providence Home Rule Charter of 1980, as amended, and Public Law, Chapter 45-50, Sections 1 through 31 passed in 1987, he is this day appointing Phanida Phivilay, of 84 Maynard Street, Providence, RI 02909, as a member of the Providence School Board, for a term to expire on December 31, 2015, and respectfully submits the same for your approval.

COUNCILMAN YURDIN Moves to Receive and Approve the foregoing Communication, seconded by COUNCILMAN CORREIA.

Communication from His Honor the Mayor, dated December 14, 2012, informing the Honorable members of the City Council that pursuant to Sections 302 (b) and 701 of the Providence Home Rule Charter of 1980, as amended, and Public Law, Chapter 45-50, Sections 1 through 31 passed in 1987, he is this day re-appointing Nicholas Hemond, of 21 Naples Avenue, Providence, RI 02908, as a member of the Providence School Board, for a term to expire on December 31, 2015, and respectfully submits the same for your approval.

COUNCILMAN YURDIN Moves to Receive and Approve the foregoing Communication, seconded by COUNCILMAN NARDUCCI.

FROM THE CLERK'S DESK

Petition from Robin L. Main, Esquire, Hinkley Allen Snyder LLP, on behalf of The Narragansett Electric Company d/b/a National Grid, requesting to grant a permanent easement on Public Street.

COUNCIL PRESIDENT SOLOMON Refers the Petition to the Committee on Public Works.

Petitions for Compensation for Injuries and Damages, viz;

*Zhanna Benishvili
Chad J. Westleigh
Enterprise Rent A Car
Elena Y. Haroolunian
Gerard F. Durkee
Janet D. Alling
Diamante C. Santilli, Jr.
Damon Gamache
Tonya Whittman
Peggy Hall
(Christopher E. Fay, Esquire)
Savi Martinez
(Christopher E. Fay, Esquire)
Miguel Alejandro
(Christopher E. Fay, Esquire)
Giuliana Perez*

*William E. Lancellotti, Jr.
John A. Mollicone, Jr.
Naomi K. Kuzoian
Rossalyn Fontanillas
Roseann E. Anthony
James R. Cote
Leslie Tavarez
(Frank L. Orabona, Jr., Esquire)
Kathleen M. Monahan
Evelyn Hu-DeHart
Commerce Insurance
a/s/o Maria Santos
Robert J. Ferestien
Margaret E. Kane
Adeline Giuliano*

COUNCIL PRESIDENT SOLOMON Refers the Several Petitions to the Committee on Claims and Pending Suits.

PRESENTATION OF RESOLUTIONS "IN CONGRATULATIONS"

COUNCIL PRESIDENT SOLOMON and MEMBERS OF THE CITY COUNCIL:

Resolution Extending Congratulations.

RESOLVED, That the Members of the City Council hereby extend their Sincere Congratulations to the following:

Luis Lubo, in recognition of the celebration of his 50th
Birthday, born on December 7, 1962.

David M. Spinella, Jr., Troop 76, Providence,
Narragansett Council, Boy Scouts of America, in
recognition of the celebration of attaining the rank of
Eagle Scout.

Senator Rhoda Perry, in recognition of twenty-two years of dedicated service in the State Senate.

Mary Kay Harris, Former Lead Organizer, Director Action for Rights & Equality, in recognition of being honored by RI Jobs with Justice on her retirement from DARE, after many years of dedicated service and all the work she had done to help build the organization.

Juana Antonia Garcia, in recognition of the celebration of her graduation from the International Nursing for Health Academy.

Julissa Perez, in recognition of the celebration of her graduation from the International Nursing for Health Academy.

Zoila Rodriguez, in recognition of the celebration of her graduation from the International Nursing for Health Academy.

Katia Frias, in recognition of the celebration of her graduation from the International Nursing for Health Academy.

Heriberta Simet, in recognition of the celebration of her graduation from the International Nursing for Health Academy.

Dastenía Encarnación, in recognition of the celebration of her graduation from the International Nursing for Health Academy.

Nilza Marriot, in recognition of the celebration of her graduation from the International Nursing for Health Academy.

Claribel Henriquez, in recognition of the celebration of her graduation from the International Nursing for Health Academy.

Josefina Luna, in recognition of the celebration of her graduation from the International Nursing for Health Academy.

Juana Ventura, in recognition of the celebration of her graduation from the International Nursing for Health Academy.

Danely Corporan, in recognition of the celebration of her graduation from the International Nursing for Health Academy.

Yvette Lopez, in recognition of the celebration of her graduation from the International Nursing for Health Academy.

Daniel J. Hunter, in recognition of his sacrifice and service to the United States of America, courageously serving our Country in World War II to preserve the freedoms of all Americans.

Lucia N. Amat, in recognition of her sacrifice and service to the United States of America, courageously serving our Country in World War II to preserve the freedoms of all Americans.

Reginald C. Hazard, Jr., in recognition of his sacrifice and service to the United States of America, courageously serving our Country in World War II to preserve the freedoms of all Americans.

George A. Barber, in recognition of his sacrifice and service to the United States of America, courageously serving our Country in World War II to preserve the freedoms of all Americans.

John F. Goode, Jr., in recognition of his sacrifice and service to the United States of America, courageously serving our Country in World War II to preserve the freedoms of all Americans.

John E. Jones, in recognition of his sacrifice and service to the United States of America, courageously serving our Country in World War II to preserve the freedoms of all Americans.

Herbert Merritt, in recognition of his sacrifice and service to the United States of America, courageously serving our Country in World War II to preserve the freedoms of all Americans.

Raymond E. Cournoyer, in recognition of his sacrifice and service to the United States of America, courageously serving our Country in World War II to preserve the freedoms of all Americans.

Ernest W. Mallory, in recognition of his sacrifice and service to the United States of America, courageously serving our Country in World War II to preserve the freedoms of all Americans.

Louis A. Marciano, in recognition of his sacrifice and service to the United States of America, courageously serving our Country in World War II to preserve the freedoms of all Americans.

Joe Silva, in recognition of his generosity, helping those in need by dedicating his time and talent at the "All For One" Benefit Concert, to raise funds for patients and their families at Hasbro Children's Hospital.

Donald Iannazzi, in recognition of more than 30 years of dedication to the members of Local 1033.

Ruth Watts, in recognition of her many years of service to Bannister House.

Emilia Morais, in recognition of her many years of service to Bannister House.

Millagros Tupaz, in recognition of her many years of service to Bannister House.

Severally Read and Collectively Passed, on Motion of COUNCILMAN YURDIN, seconded by COUNCILMAN NARDUCCI.

The Motion for Passage is Sustained.

PRESENTATION OF RESOLUTIONS "IN MEMORIAM"

COUNCIL PRESIDENT SOLOMON and MEMBERS OF THE CITY COUNCIL:

Resolution Extending Sympathy.

RESOLVED, That the Members of the City Council hereby extend their Sincere Sympathy to the families of the following:

Vita A. Calamita

Claire Y. Roy

Anthony DeAngelis, Jr.

Raymond Dettore, Jr., Esquire

Thomas Sgouros

Severally Read and Collectively Passed, by a Unanimous Rising Vote, on Motion of COUNCILMAN YURDIN, seconded by COUNCILMAN NARDUCCI.

The Motion for Passage is Sustained.

MATTER NOT APPEARING ON THE PRINTED DOCKET

On motion of COUNCILMAN YURDIN seconded by COUNCILMAN NARDUCCI, it is voted to Suspend Rule 16(b) of the Rules of the City Council in order to allow the introduction of the following Matter Not Appearing on the Printed Docket.


FROM THE CLERK'S DESK

Petition to the City Council pursuant to and subject to the terms set forth in the proposed 2012 Memorandum of Agreement (MOA) between the City of Providence and Providence College for the abandonment of The Huxley Avenue Area, from Lot 229 to Lot 8 in Plat 119; The Cumberland Street Area, from Lot 189 to Lot 195 in Plat 81 and The Wardlaw Avenue Area from Lot 186 to Lot 189 in Plat 81.

COUNCIL PRESIDENT SOLOMON Refers the petition to the Committee on Public Works.

ADJOURNMENT

There being no further business, on Motion of COUNCILMAN YURDIN, seconded by COUNCILMAN NARDUCCI, it is voted to adjourn at 8:00 o'clock P.M. (E.S.T.), to meet again THURSDAY, JANUARY 17, 2013 at 7:00 o'clock P.M. (E.S.T.)


Anna M. Stetsko
City Clerk

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DEPT. OF CITY CLERK
PROVIDENCE, R.I.