

RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL

No. 429

Approved November 10, 2016

WHEREAS, For more than three decades, Captain George Stamatakos has served admirably in the Providence Police Department; and

WHEREAS, After graduating with degrees from Providence College and Roger Williams University, Captain Stamatakos dedicated his career to protecting the people of Providence; and

WHEREAS, Captain Stamatakos served in a great many capacities for the Police Department, including as a member of the anti-corruption team, Lieutenant Commander for Districts 2 and 3, Commanding Officer of the Youth Services Bureau, and currently serves as the Second-in-Command of the Uniform Division; and

WHEREAS, During his time as a District Commander, he earned acclaim for his anti-drug initiatives in Providence's Southside and for his partnership with Greater Elmwood Neighborhood Services to enhance neighborhood ties and improve police-community relations; and

WHEREAS, Under Captain Stamatakos' leadership, the Youth Services Bureau collaborated with the Providence After School Alliance (PASA) to provide more activities for Providence's young people, and formed partnerships with social service organizations, such as Family Service Rhode Island, to ensure that children receive the services they need; and

WHEREAS, Additionally, in 2009, Captain Stamatakos worked diligently with the Providence City Council to revitalize Providence's Juvenile Hearing Board and helped recruit many of its members; and

WHEREAS, In 2012, in recognition of his many years of distinguished service, he was promoted to the rank of Captain and was named Executive Officer to the Major of the Uniform Division, the second highest position in the Uniform Division of the Police Department; and

WHEREAS, A committed public servant, he has proven his integrity, work ethic, and incredible dedication to the people of Providence time and again throughout his career; and

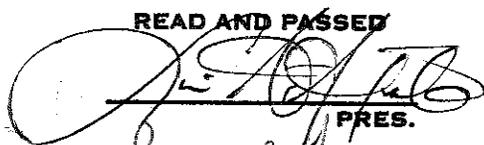
WHEREAS, Moreover, Captain Stamatakos is a dedicated member of his community, giving his time and energy to support many local non-profit organizations, and serving on the boards of Community Works Rhode Island and the Rhode Island Family Life Center (now known as OpenDoors).

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, That the City Council of the City of Providence does hereby honor Captain George Stamatakos for his longstanding support of substance abuse prevention, his leadership on improving police-community relations, his advocacy in support of youth and families, and his dedication to improving the health and safety of all Providence residents.

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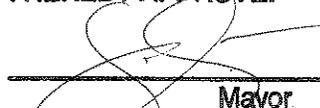


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I HEREBY APPROVE.



Mayor

Date: 11/10/16