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**JOURNAL OF PROCEEDINGS**

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No. 12 City Council Regular Meeting, Thursday, June 4, 1987, 7:30 P.M. (E.D.T.)

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IN CITY COUNCIL

JUN 18 1987

PRESIDING

APPROVED:

*Rose M. Mendonca* CLERK

**COUNCIL PRESIDENT**

**NICHOLAS W. EASTON**

**ROLL CALL**

Present: Council President Easton,  
Councilman Annaldo, Councilwoman Bras-  
sil, Councilman Dillon, Councilwomen  
DiRuzzo, Fagnoli, Councilmen Farmer,  
Glavin, Lombardi, O'Connor, Petrosinelli,  
Rollins and Stravato—13.

Absent: Councilmen Cola and Lopes—2.

## INVOCATION

The Invocation is given by COUNCILMAN DAVID G. DILLON.

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

CLEVELAND

COUNCIL PRESIDENT PRO TEMPORE  
LOUIS R. STRAVATO leads the Members of  
the City Council and the Assemblage in the  
Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag of the  
United States of America.

## APPROVAL OF RECORD

The Journal of Proceedings No. 11 of the  
Regular Meeting of the City Council held  
May 21, 1987 and Posted May 29, 1987 on  
that Bulletin Board located on the Ground  
Floor Level of City Hall, is Approved as  
Printed, on motion of COUNCILMAN  
GLAVIN, seconded by COUNCILMAN  
DILLON.

## APPOINTMENTS BY HIS HONOR THE MAYOR

Communication, dated May 19, 1987, Informing the Honorable City Council that Pursuant to Sections 302(b) and 1104 of the Providence Home Rule Charter of 1980, He is this Day Reappointing Mr. Philip Addison, Jr. of 131 Camp Street, Providence, Rhode Island, as a Member of the Providence Civic Center Authority, for a Term Expiring in May of 1990.

### EXECUTIVE CHAMBER

May 19, 1987

The Honorable Members  
The City Council of the  
City of Providence  
City Hall  
Providence, Rhode Island 02903

Dear Honorable Members:

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Respectfully submitted,

JOSEPH R. PAOLINO, JR.  
*Mayor of Providence*

Received.

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The City Council of the  
City of Providence  
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Dear Honorable Members:

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Respectfully submitted,

JOSEPH R. PAOLINO, JR.  
*Mayor of Providence*

Received.

## ORDINANCES SECOND READING

The following Ordinances were in City Council May 21, 1987, Read and Passed the First Time and are Returned for Passage the Second Time:

An Ordinance Amending the Appropriation Ordinance Chapter 1986-30, Approved June 26, 1986, by Transferring Various Sums of Money within Various Departments, as Amended.

*Be it ordained by the City of Providence:*

*Section 1.* Chapter 1986-30 of the Ordinances of the City of Providence, as Approved June 26, 1986, Entitled: "An Ordinance making an Appropriation of One Hundred Eighty-Eight Million, Two Hundred Nine Thousand, Twenty-Four Dollars and Seventy-Two Cents (\$188,209,024.72), for the Fiscal Year Ending June 30, 1987, as Amended", is hereby further amended by transferring various sums of money within various Department. This transfer would be effected as follows:

### TRANSFERS:

<i>From</i>	<i>Amount</i>
1-005-08-001 (Public Works — Highway) to	
1-005-08-142 (PW — Highway)	\$4,000.00
1-005-08-001 (Public Works — Highway) to	
1-005-08-151 (PW — Highway)	7,937.50
1-005-11-001 (Sewer Construction) to	
1-005-11-273 (Sewer Construction)	1,500.00
1-005-08-001 (Public Works — Highway) to	
1-005-08-213 (PW — Highway)	8,000.00
1-005-08-001 (Public Works — Highway) to	
1-005-08-202 (PW — Highway)	3,000.00
1-005-08-001 (Public Works — Highway) to	
1-005-08-201 (PW — Highway)	500.00
1-005-08-001 (Public Works — Highway) to	
1-005-08-244 (PW — Highway)	1,000.00

*Section 2.* This Ordinance shall take effect upon its passage.

An Ordinance Amending the Appropriation Ordinance Chapter 1986-30, Approved June 26, 1986, by Transferring Various Sums of Money within Various Departments, as Amended.

*Be it ordained by the City of Providence:*

*Section 1.* Chapter 1986-30 of the Ordinances of the City of Providence, as Approved June 26, 1986, Entitled: "An Ordinance making an Appropriation of One Hundred Eighty-Eight Million, Two Hundred Nine Thousand, Twenty-Four Dollars and Seventy-Two Cents (\$188,209,024.72), for the Fiscal Year Ending June 30, 1987, as Amended", is hereby further amended by transferring various sums of money within various Department. This transfer would be effected as follows:

### TRANSFERS:

<i>From</i>	<i>Amount</i>
1-002-12-118 (Personnel) to	
1-009-06-118 (Human Relations)	\$ 120.00
1-003-05-270 (Traffic Engineering) to	
1-003-05-144 (Traffic Engineering)	2,500.00
1-005-08-001 (Public Works — Highway) to	
1-005-08-201 (PW — Highway)	500.00
1-005-08-001 (Public Works — Highway) to	
1-005-08-204 (PW — Highway)	500.00
1-005-11-001 (P.W. — Sewer Const.) to	
1-005-11-275 (P.W.—Sw. Cont. & Mnt.)	1,500.00
1-009-10-001 (Adm. Asst. City Council) to	
1-009-10-199 (Ad. Ast. City Council)	10,000.00
1-004-02-001 (Structures & Zoning) to	
1-004-02-151 (Structures & Zoning)	12,000.00

*Section 2.* This Ordinance shall take effect upon its passage.

An Ordinance in Amendment of Chapter 23 of the Code of Ordinances of the City of Providence, Entitled: "Streets and Sidewalks and Public Places," as Amended.

*Be it ordained by the City of Providence:*

*Section 1.* Section 23-63 of the Code of Ordinances is hereby amended to read as follows:

*Sec. 23-63. Place of Business Prerequisite to Licensing.* — No license to carry on the business of building or altering sidewalks in the city shall be granted to any person unless he shall have a place of business in the State of Rhode Island.

*Section 2.* Section 23-64 of the Code of Ordinances is hereby amended to read as follows:

*Sec. 23-64. Fee for License.* — The fee for issuing a license to carry on the business of building and altering sidewalks in the city shall be One Hundred Dollars (\$100.00).

*Section 3.* Chapter 23 of the Code of Ordinances is hereby amended by adding thereto the following sections.

*Sec. 23-69. Curb Cuts — Permit Required.* — No person, firm or corporation shall engage in the alteration of any curb without first filing an application with the director of public works in writing and obtaining a permit therefore. Said permits shall be subject to the approval of the Director of Public Works and the Traffic Engineer. The fee for said permit shall be Fifty Dollars (\$50.00) for residential property and One

Hundred Fifty Dollars (\$150.00) for commercial or industrial property.

*Sec. 23-70. By Whom Application Is Made.* — Application for a permit shall be made by the licensed person, firm or corporation employed in connection with the proposed work. It shall be accompanied by a duly verified affidavit by the owner or the qualified person making the application that the proposed work is authorized. The full names and addresses of the owner, lessee, applicant, and of the responsible officers, if the owner or lessee is a corporate body, shall be stated in the application.

*Section 4.* This Ordinance shall take effect upon its passage.

**Severally Read and Collectively Passed the Second Time, on motion of COUNCILMAN GLAVIN, seconded by COUNCILMAN DILLON, by the following Roll Call Vote:**

**Ayes:** Council President Easton, Councilman Annaldo, Councilwoman Brassil, Councilman Dillon, Councilwoman DiRuzzo, Councilmen Farmer, Glavin, Petrosinelli and Stravato—9.

**Noes:** None.

**Absent:** Councilman Cola, Councilwoman Fagnoli, Councilmen Lombardi, Lopes, O'Connor and Rollins—6.

**The motion for Passage the Second Time, is Sustained.**

## PRESENTATION OF ORDINANCES

### COUNCILWOMAN BRASSIL:

An Ordinance Amending the Appropriation Ordinance Chapter 1986-30, Approved June 26, 1986, by Transferring the Sum of Two Thousand, Five Hundred Dollars (\$2,500.00) from City Council (1-001-02-399) to the Operations Division, Water Supply Board (8-016-03-299).

**Read and Passed the First Time, and Referred to the Committee on Finance, on motion of COUNCILMAN GLAVIN, seconded by COUNCILMAN DILLON, by the following Roll Call Vote:**

**Ayes:** Council President Easton, Councilman Annaldo, Councilwoman Brassil, Councilman Dillon, Councilwoman Diruzzo, Councilmen Farmer, Glavin, Petrosinelli and Stravato—9.

**Noes:** None.

**Not Voting:** Councilman O'Connor—1.

**Absent:** Councilman Cola, Councilwoman

Fagnoli, Councilmen Lombardi, Lopes and Rollins—5.

**The motion for Passage the First Time, and Referral to the Committee on Finance, is Sustained.**

### COUNCILMAN PETROSINELLI (By Request):

An Ordinance in Amendment of Section 2(a)(5) of Chapter 1987-2 of the Ordinances of the City of Providence, Approved February 23, 1987, Entitled: "An Ordinance in Amendment of and in Addition to Article III of Chapter 12 of the Code of Ordinances of the City of Providence, Entitled: 'Garbage, Trash and Refuse,' as Amended."

**Referred to the Committee on Ordinances, on motion of COUNCILMAN GLAVIN, seconded by COUNCILMAN DILLON.**

**The motion to Refer, is Sustained.**

## PRESENTATION OF RESOLUTIONS

### COUNCIL PRESIDENT EASTON and COUNCILWOMAN DIRUZZO:

Resolution requesting the Committee on Ordinances to Meet with the City Solicitor and the Chief of the Providence Police Department, or Designee, to Review and Amend the City's Noise Ordinance.

*Resolved*, That the Committee on Ordinances is requested to Meet with the City Solicitor and the Chief of the Providence Police Department, or Designee, to Review and Amend the City's Noise Ordinance.

**Read and Passed, on motion of COUNCILMAN GLAVIN, seconded by COUNCILMAN DILLON.**

The motion for Passage, is Sustained.

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**COUNCIL PRESIDENT PRO TEMPORE  
STRAVATO (By Request):**

Resolution Approving Admiral Terrace Roads as  
Public Highways.

Referred to the Committee on Public  
Works, on motion of COUNCILMAN  
GLAVIN, seconded by COUNCILMAN  
DILLON.

The motion to Refer, is Sustained.

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**COUNCILMAN COLA (By Request):**

Resolution requesting the Traffic Engineer to  
cause the Installation of "Deaf Child"  
Signs along 68 Parnell Street.

*Resolved*, That the Traffic Engineer is  
requested to cause the Installation of "Deaf  
Child" Signs along 68 Parnell Street.

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Resolution requesting the Traffic Engineer to  
Prohibit Motor Vehicle Traffic along Manton  
Avenue, between Sisson Street and Unit Street,  
on Saturday, June 20, 1987 from 5:00  
o'clock P.M. to 11:00 o'clock P.M. to  
Accommodate the First Church of God Annual  
Festival.

*Resolved*, That the Traffic Engineer is  
requested to Prohibit Motor Vehicle Traffic along  
Manton Avenue, between Sisson Street and Unit  
Street, on Saturday, June 20, 1987 from 5:00  
o'clock P.M. to 11:00 o'clock P.M. to Accommo-  
date the First Church of God Annual Festival.

Severally Read and Collectively Passed,  
on motion of COUNCILMAN GLAVIN,  
seconded by COUNCILMAN DILLON.

The motion for Passage, is Sustained.

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**COUNCILWOMAN DiRUZZO:**

Resolution requesting His Honor the Mayor to  
Appropriate Money for the Re-Opening of the  
Olneyville Branch of the Providence Public  
Library.

Referred to the Committee on Finance, on  
motion of COUNCILMAN GLAVIN, sec-  
onded by COUNCILMAN DILLON.

The motion to Refer, is Sustained.

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**COUNCILWOMAN FARGNOLI (By Re-  
quest):**

Resolution requesting the Director of Grounds  
Maintenance Services to cause that Tree  
located along 729 Academy Avenue, to be  
Removed.

*Resolved*, That the Director of Grounds  
Maintenance Services is requested to cause that  
Tree located along 729 Academy Avenue, to be  
Removed due to the roots causing a problem with  
plumbing at said property.

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Resolution requesting the Director of Grounds  
Maintenance Services to cause that Tree which  
was Removed by the City to be Replaced along  
28 Jastram Street.

*Resolved*, That the Director of Grounds

Maintenance Services is requested to cause that Tree which was Removed by the City to be Replaced along 28 Jastram Street.

**Severally Referred to the Committee on Public Works, on motion of COUNCILMAN GLAVIN, seconded by COUNCILMAN DILLON.**

**The motion to Refer, is Sustained.**

**COUNCILMAN FARMER (By Request):**

Resolution requesting the Director of Public Works to cause the Storm Drain at the Northeast Corner of the Intersection of Boylston Avenue and Olney Street, to be Cleaned.

*Whereas, The Storm Drain at the northeast corner of the intersection of Boylston Avenue and Olney Street, is seriously clogged,*

*Now, therefore, be it Resolved, That the Director of Public Works is hereby requested to cause the Storm Drain at the Northeast Corner of the Intersection of Boylston Avenue and Olney Street, to be Cleaned.*

**Severally Read and Collectively Passed, on motion of COUNCILMAN GLAVIN, seconded by COUNCILMAN DILLON.**

**The motion for Passage, is Sustained.**

**COUNCILMAN LOMBARDI (By Request):**

Resolution requesting the Traffic Engineer to cause the Overhead Traffic Signal Light located at the Corner of DePasquale Avenue and Broadway, to be Relocated to the Corner of Battey Street and Broadway.

Resolution requesting the Traffic Engineer to cause the Traffic Signal Light located at the Corner of Broadway and Battey Street, (South to North) to be Removed.

**COUNCILMAN LOPES (By Request):**

Resolution requesting the Supervisor of Environmental Control to cause that Lot located along Pole 11, at Grand View Street and Peach Avenue, to be Cleaned.

*Resolved, That the Supervisor of Environmental Control is requested to cause that Lot located along Pole 11, at Grand View Street and Peach Avenue, to be Cleaned.*

**Read and Passed, on motion of COUNCILMAN GLAVIN, seconded by COUNCILMAN DILLON.**

**The motion for Passage, is Sustained.**

Resolution authorizing the City Collector to cause the Taxes to be Abated for the Years 1980 (Supplemental Tax), 1981, 1982 and 1983 for the Mt. Hope Neighborhood Association, located along 199 Camp Street.

**Referred to the Committee on Finance, on motion of COUNCILMAN GLAVIN, seconded by COUNCILMAN DILLON.**

**The motion to Refer, is Sustained.**

**COUNCILMAN PETROSINELLI (By Request):**



Resolution requesting the Chief Electrical Inspector to Order the Installation of a Street Light on that Pole located in front of 40 Touro Street.

*Resolved*, That the Chief Electrical Inspector is requested to Order the Installation of a Street Light on that Pole located in front of 40 Touro Street.

Resolution requesting the Director of Public Works to cause that Sidewalk along 14 Greeley Street, to be Repaired.

*Resolved*, That the Director of Public Works is requested to cause that Sidewalk along 14 Greeley Street, to be Repaired, the Same having been Damaged by a Snow Plow.

Resolution requesting the Superintendent of the Parks Department to cause the Grass to be Cut

on the Northerly Side of Cornwall Street, along Route 146.

*Resolved*, That the Superintendent of the Parks Department is requested to cause the Grass to be Cut on the Northerly Side of Cornwall Street, along Route 146.

Resolution requesting the Director of Public Works to cause the Sidewalk along 25 Hall Street, to be Repaired.

*Resolved*, That the Director of Public Works is requested to cause the Sidewalk along 25 Hall Street, to be Repaired.

**Severally Read and Collectively Passed, on motion of COUNCILMAN GLAVIN, seconded by COUNCILMAN DILLON.**

**The motion for Passage, is Sustained.**

## REPORTS FROM COMMITTEE

### COUNCILMAN ANDREW J. ANNALDO, Chairman COMMITTEE ON CITY PROPERTY

**Transmits the following with Recommendation the Same be Severally Adopted:**

Resolution Authorizing His Honor the Mayor to Execute a Deed of Conveyance to David L. Deneault of 21 Marshall Street, Providence, R.I. 02909 of Lot 113, on City Assessor's Plat 123, located along Sunbury Street, for the Sum of \$20,000.00

*Resolved*, That His Honor the Mayor, is hereby authorized to execute a deed of conveyance to David L. Deneault of 21 Marshall Street, Providence, RI, 02909, of that certain tract or parcel of land situated on Lot 113, as set out and delineated on City Assessor's Plat 123, located

along Sunbury Street, containing approximately 3,200 square feet of land, more or less, more particularly described on accompanying plan entitled: "Providence, RI, Public Works Department, Engineering Office, City Property Section, Plan No. 064379, dated March 19, 1987", a copy of which is attached hereto, the said conveyance shall be for the price of Twenty Thousand Dollars (\$20,000.00), the total of which shall be paid to the City of Providence upon the adoption of this Resolution, approval by His Honor the Mayor, and the issuance of a deed of conveyance by the City Solicitor.

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Resolution Authorizing His Honor the Mayor to Execute a Deed of Conveyance to Mr. and Mrs. George Maguire of 214 Messer Street, Providence, R.I. 02909 of Lot 2, on City Assessor's Plat 36, located along 220 Messer Street, for the Sum of \$1,300.00

*Resolved*, That His Honor the Mayor, is hereby authorized to execute a deed of conveyance to Mr. and Mrs. George Maguire of 214 Messer Street, Providence, RI, 02909, of that certain tract or parcel of land situated on Lot 2, as set out and delineated on City Assessor's Plat 36, located along 220 Messer Street, containing approximately 1,920 square feet of land, more or less, more particularly described on accompanying plan entitled: "Providence, RI, Public Works Department, Engineering Office, City Property Section, Plan No. 064382, dated May 20, 1987", a copy of which is attached hereto, the said conveyance shall be for the price of One Thousand Three Hundred Dollars (\$1,300.00), the total of which shall be paid to the City of Providence upon the adoption of this Resolution, approval by His Honor the Mayor, and the issuance of a deed of conveyance by the City Solicitor.

Resolution Authorizing His Honor the Mayor to Execute a Deed of Conveyance to William J. Pare of 235 Whitford Avenue, Providence, R.I. 02908 of Lot 255, on City Assessor's Plat 116, located along Whitford Avenue, for the Sum of \$3,240.00.

*Resolved*, That His Honor the Mayor, is hereby authorized to execute a deed of conveyance to William J. Pare of 235 Whitford Avenue, Providence, RI, 02908, of that certain tract or parcel of land situated on Lot 255, as set out and delineated on City Assessor's Plat 116, located along Whitford Avenue, containing approximately 2,500 square feet of land, more or less, more particularly described on accompanying plan entitled: "Providence, RI, Public Works Department, Engineering Office, City Property Section, Plan No. 064381, dated May 19, 1987", a copy of which is attached hereto, the said conveyance shall be for the price of Three Thousand Two Hundred and Forty Dollars (\$3,240.00), the total of which shall be paid to the City of Providence upon the adoption of this Resolution, approval by His Honor the Mayor, and the issuance of a deed of conveyance by the City Solicitor.

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Resolution Authorizing His Honor the Mayor to Execute a Deed of Conveyance to Cynthia Lopes of 35 Colfax Street, Providence, R.I. 02905 of Lot 242, on City Assessor's Plat 54, located along 205 Ocean Street, for the Sum of \$1,260.00.

*Resolved*, That His Honor the Mayor, is hereby authorized to execute a deed of conveyance to Cynthia Lopes of 35 Colfax Street, Providence, RI, 02905, of that certain tract or parcel of land situated on Lot 242, as set out and delineated on City Assessor's Plat 54, located along 205 Ocean Street, containing approximately 4,144 square feet of land, more or less, more particularly described on accompanying plan entitled: "Providence, RI, Public Works Department, Engineering

Office, City Property Section, Plan No. 064383, dated March 20, 1987", a copy of which is attached hereto, the said conveyance shall be for the price of One Thousand Two Hundred Sixty Dollars (\$1,260.00), the total of which shall be paid to the City of Providence upon the adoption of this Resolution, approval by His Honor the Mayor, and the issuance of a deed of conveyance by the City Solicitor, and

*Be it further Resolved*, That said conveyance is subject to the conditions set forth by the City Plan Commission that the Property be developed in six months, the proposed parking to be used exclusively for tenants of 35 Colfax Street; and proper fencing and screening be installed.

**Severally Read and Collectively Passed,**

**on motion of COUNCILMAN GLAVIN, seconded by COUNCILMAN DILLON, by the following Roll Call Vote:**

**Ayes: Council President Easton, Councilman Annaldo, Councilwoman Brassil, Councilman Dillon, Councilwomen DiRuzzo, Fagnoli, Councilmen Farmer, Glavin, Lombardi, O'Connor, Petrosinelli, Rollins and Stravato—13.**

**Noes: None.**

**Absent: Councilmen Cola and Lopes—2.**

**The motion for Passage, is Sustained.**

## REPORTS

**FROM EXECUTIVE PORT DIRECTOR:**

**Received.**

Report for the Month of April, 1987.

**Received.**

**FROM NORTH BURIAL GROUND:**

Annual Report for the Year, 1986.

**FROM CITY CLERK:**

**Received.**

Report for the Fiscal Quarter Ended March 31, 1987.

## FROM THE CLERK'S DESK

Petition of Department of Plant Operations, Brown University, requesting Permission to Construct Two Retaining Walls and Their Foundations, said Work to take place partially within the Public Way (Fones Alley) immediately behind Robinson Hall.

**Referred to the Committee on Public Works, on motion of COUNCILMAN GLAVIN, seconded by COUNCILMAN DILLON.**

**The motion to Refer, is Sustained.**

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Petition of Johnson and Wales College, requesting a change from an R-4 Multiple Dwelling Zone, to a C-4 Heavy Commercial Zone, Lot 303, on City Assessor's Plat 24, situated along 262-264 Pine Street.

**Referred to the Committee on Ordinances, on motion of COUNCILMAN GLAVIN, seconded by COUNCILMAN DILLON.**

**The motion to Refer, is Sustained.**

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**Petitions for Compensation for Injuries and Damages, viz:**

Maria Checrallah

Doris A. Dionne

Claire Donahue and Robin Fitzgerald

General Accident Group of Insurance Co's. as subrogee of Highway Leasing Co.

George Holt

Paula V. Holt

Jessee Cardell Jones

William J. Leonard, Jr.

Mary E. Meehan

Alberto C. Moronta

Vincent Anthony Perito

Pamela E. Plamondon

Marguerite Rupkey

Lloyd G. Rustigan

Harriet Simoneau

United Steel Workers of America Lease Vehicle Insurance Account c/o Crawford & Co.

**Severally Referred to the Committee on Claims and Pending Suits, on motion of COUNCILMAN GLAVIN, seconded by COUNCILMAN DILLON.**

**The motion to Refer, is Sustained.**

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## PRESENTATION OF RESOLUTIONS

### "In Congratulations"

**COUNCIL PRESIDENT EASTON and the  
MEMBERS of the CITY COUNCIL:**

Erin Dalton

Kai Fletcher

Resolutions extending Congratulations.

*Resolved*, That the Congratulations of the  
Members of the City Council are hereby extended  
to the following:

**Severally Read and Collectively Passed,  
on motion of COUNCILMAN GLAVIN,  
seconded by COUNCILMAN DILLON.**

**The motion for Passage, is Sustained.**

Antoinette F. Downing

## PRESENTATION OF RESOLUTIONS

### "In Memoriam"

**COUNCIL PRESIDENT EASTON and the  
MEMBERS of the CITY COUNCIL:**

Antonio J. Gomes

Arthur Peters

Resolutions extending Sympathy.

Augusto Martins

*Resolved*, That the Sympathy of the Members  
of the City Council is hereby expressed to the  
families of the following:

Michael D'Antuono

Jacob Licht

Gerard A. Denomme

Mary A. Cafferty

Raymond H. Hawksley

Alice C. Zidack

Louis Fuoco

Lavinia T. Mainelli

Mary A. Augusta

Kevin Pittman

Orrie Louella Morse

John Ferri

Rodney Stutts

Michelina DeRotto

Mary C. McKenna

Gloria J. Pesare

Andrew J. Broderick

Robert DiVozzi

Joseph F. Celletti, Sr.

Sabastian B. Pina

Anna Biccari

Philip Chernov

Helen Natale

Vincenza Boscia

**Severally Read and Collectively Passed,  
by a Unanimous Rising Vote, on motion of  
COUNCILMAN GLAVIN, seconded by  
COUNCILMAN DILLON.**

**The motion for Passage, is Sustained.**

## **MATTERS NOT APPEARING ON THE PRINTED DOCKET**

**On motion of COUNCILMAN GLAVIN,  
seconded by COUNCILMAN DILLON, it is  
Voted to Suspend Rule 16 of the Rules of the  
City Council, in Order to Allow the  
Introduction of the following Matters Not  
Appearing on the Printed Docket.**

## **PRESENTATION OF RESOLUTION**

### **COUNCIL PRESIDENT EASTON:**

**Resolution requesting and Urging the Board of  
Park Commissioners to consider Continuing  
the Contract for the Paddle Boat Ride Conces-  
sion and Dock Area with George J. Williams.**

***Resolved, That the Board of Park Commission-  
ers is hereby requested and urged to consider  
Continuing the Contract for the five year  
lease of the Paddle Boat Ride Concession  
and Dock Area located in Roger Williams  
Park, with George J. Williams.***

Read and Passed, on motion of COUNCILMAN GLAVIN, seconded by COUNCILMAN DILLON.

COUNCILWOMAN BRASSIL desires to be recorded as "Not Voting".

COUNCILMAN FARMER desires to be recorded as Voting "No".

The motion for Passage, is Sustained.

## REPORTS FROM COMMITTEE

### COUNCILMAN JAMES A. PETROSINELLI, Chairman COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC WORKS

Transmits the following with Recommendation the Same be Severally Adopted:

Resolution Ordering the Abandonment of a Portion of Benefit Street (to the Extent said Street Exists) Lying Southerly of India Street.

*Resolved, Decreed and Ordered,* That the following named street shown as cross-hatched area on the accompanying plan entitled "Providence, Rhode Island, Department of Public Works — Engineering Office, City Property Section Plan No. 064386, dated April 29, 1987", viz:

A portion of Benefit Street (to the extent said street exists) lying southerly of India Street, shown as cross-hatched area on the accompanying plan and designated by the letters (A-B-C-D-A), having ceased to be useful to the public and the same is proposed to be abandoned as a Public Highway, provided that the New England Telephone be conveyed an easement acceptable which will permit retention of its facilities in existing locations with the right to inspect, maintain, operate and replace same and with twenty-four hour access to said facilities, and the damage to the abutters is appraised at nothing and so awarded, and it is further

*Ordered,* That the Director of Public Works be and he is hereby directed to cause a sign to be placed on the above-named highway abandoned as aforesaid, having thereon the words, "Not a Public Highway", and it is further

*Ordered,* That after the entry of this order or decree the City Clerk shall cause a notice thereof to be published in a newspaper, published in the County of Providence at least once a week for three successive weeks and a further and personal notice shall be served by the City Sergeant upon every owner of land abutting the above-named highway which has been abandoned, who is known to reside within the State.

Resolution Ordering the Abandonment of a Portion of Traverse Street (to the Extent said Street Exists) Lying Southerly of India Street.

*Resolved, Decreed and Ordered,* That the following named street shown as cross-hatched area on the accompanying plan entitled

"Providence, Rhode Island, Department of Public Works — Engineering Office, City Property Section Plan No. 064386, dated April 29, 1987", viz:

A portion of Traverse Street (to the extent that said street exists) lying southerly of India Street, shown as cross-hatched area on the accompanying plan and designated by the letters (E-F-G-H-E), having ceased to be useful to the public and the same is proposed to be abandoned as a Public Highway, provided that the New England Telephone be conveyed an easement acceptable which will permit retention of its facilities in existing locations with the right to inspect, maintain, operate and replace same and with twenty-four hour access to said facilities, and the damage to the abutters is appraised at nothing and so awarded, and it is further

*Ordered*, That the Director of Public Works be and he is hereby directed to cause a sign to be

placed on the above-named highway abandoned as aforesaid, having thereon the words, "Not a Public Highway", and it is further

*Ordered*, That after the entry of this order or decree the City Clerk shall cause a notice thereof to be published in a newspaper, published in the County of Providence at least once a week for three successive weeks and a further and personal notice shall be served by the City Sergeant upon every owner of land abutting the above-named highway which has been abandoned, who is known to reside within the State.

**Severally Read and Collectively Passed, on motion of COUNCILMAN GLAVIN, seconded by COUNCILMAN DILLON.**

**The motion for Passage, is Sustained.**

## PRESENTATION OF RESOLUTION

### "In Memoriam"

**COUNCIL PRESIDENT EASTON, COUNCIL PRESIDENT PRO TEMPORE STRAVATO, COUNCILMAN ANNALDO, COUNCILWOMAN BRASSIL, COUNCILMAN COLA, COUNCILMAN DILLON, COUNCILWOMAN DIRUZZO, COUNCILWOMAN FARNOLI, COUNCILMAN FARMER, COUNCILMAN GLAVIN, COUNCILMAN LOMBARDI, COUNCILMAN LOPES, COUNCILMAN O'CONNOR, COUNCILMAN PETROSINELLI and COUNCILMAN ROLLINS:**

**Resolution of Sympathy upon the Death of Former Governor, Frank Licht.**

*Whereas*, Former Governor Frank Licht passed away on May 30, 1987, and

*Whereas*, Governor Licht was born in Providence, the son of Jacob and Rose Licht, and

*Whereas*, He was a graduate of Classical High School, a Phi Beta Kappa graduate of Brown University, and a graduate of Harvard Law School, and was received with many Honorary Degrees,

*Whereas*, He served as a State Senator from the East Side, and a Justice of the Superior Court, and



*Whereas*, He was elected Governor in 1968, and served with distinction until 1973, and

*Whereas*, In a lifetime of service in all three branches of government, Governor Licht ever displayed the highest degree of integrity, compassion and professionalism,

*Now, therefore, be it Resolved*, That the Members of the City Council do pause in their deliberations out of respect for the memory of Frank Licht,

*Be it further Resolved*, That the City Clerk is

directed to cause a duly engrossed copy of this resolution to be transmitted to Dorothy Licht, as an expression of sympathy on behalf of the entire citizenry of Providence.

**Read and Passed, on a Unanimous Rising Vote, on motion of COUNCILMAN GLAVIN, seconded by COUNCILMAN DILLON.**

**The motion for Passage, is Sustained.**

## ADJOURNMENT

There being no further business, on motion of COUNCILMAN GLAVIN, seconded by COUNCILMAN DILLON, the City Council adjourns at 8:15 o'clock P.M. (E.D.T.) to meet again on THURSDAY, JUNE 18, 1987 at 7:30 o'clock P.M. (E.D.T.).

*Rose M. Mendonca*

*City Clerk*

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