

CITY OF PROVIDENCE
RHODE ISLAND



CITY COUNCIL

JOURNAL OF PROCEEDINGS

No. 8 City Council Regular Meeting, Thursday, April 18, 1991, 7:30 o'clock P.M. (E.D.T.)

IN CITY COUNCIL

MAY 2 1991

PRESIDING

APPROVED:

James A. Petrosinelli CLERK

COUNCIL PRESIDENT

JAMES A. PETROSINELLI

ROLL CALL

Present: Council President Petrosinelli,
Councilmen Clarkin, DeLuca, Dillon,
Councilwomen DiRuzzo, Fagnoli,
Councilmen Fenton, Glavin, Igliozi,
Lombardi, Mancini, Councilwoman Nolan,
Councilman Rollins, and Councilwoman
Young - 14.

Absent: Councilwoman Williams - 1.

INVOCATION

The Invocation is given by COUNCILMAN
DAVID G. DILLON.

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

COUNCILMAN DAVID V. IGLIOZZI 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 RECORDS

The Journal of Proceedings No. 7 of the
Regular Meeting of the City Council held
April 4, 1991 and Posted April 12, 1991 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
LOMBARDI.

APPOINTMENTS BY HIS HONOR THE MAYOR

Communication dated April 11, 1991, Informing the Honorable City Council that pursuant to Sections 302 (b) and 1102 of the Providence Home Rule Charter of 1980, he is this day reappointing Paul McCormick of 76 Monticello Street, Providence, RI, as a Member of the Board of Licenses for a term to expire on the first Monday in January, 1994, and respectfully submits the same for approval.

Communication Received and Appointment Referred to Committee on Finance, on motion of COUNCILMAN GLAVIN, seconded by COUNCILMAN LOMBARDI.

The motion to Refer is Sustained.

SCHEDULE OF BILLS

FROM ACTING CITY CONTROLLER:

Street Lighting Bill from Narragansett Electric Company for March, 1991, in the amount of One Hundred Twenty-One Thousand Five Hundred Forty-Two Dollars and Ninety-Eight Cents (\$121,542.98).

Approved, on motion of COUNCILMAN GLAVIN, seconded by COUNCILMAN LOMBARDI, by the following Roll Call Vote:

Ayes: Council President Petrosinelli, Councilmen Clarkin, DeLuca, Dillon, Councilwomen DiRuzzo, Fagnoli, Councilmen Fenton, Glavin, Igliozi, Lombardi, Mancini, Councilwoman Nolan, Councilman Rollins, and Councilwoman Young — 14.

Noes: None.

Absent: Councilwoman Williams — 1.

The motion for Approval is Sustained.

ORDINANCES SECOND READING

The following Ordinances were in City Council April 4, 1991, Read and Passed the First Time and are Returned for Passage the Second Time:

An Ordinance in Amendment of and in Addition to Chapter 8 of the Code of Ordinances of the City of Providence, entitled: "Courts".

Be it Ordained by the City of Providence:

Section 1. Secs. 8-1, 8-2, 8-3, 8-4, 8-5, 8-6, 8-7 and 8-8 of the Code of Ordinances are hereby amended to read as follows:

Sec. 8-1. Return of warrants issued by justice of municipal court. All warrants issued by any justice of the municipal court and placed in the hands of an officer for service shall be returned, if not served, to the justice issuing the same, within three (3) months from the date thereof.

Sec. 8-2. Disposition of fines, costs, fees in municipal court. All fines, costs or fees accruing in any case in the municipal court shall be paid by any defendant or other person in his behalf to the clerk of the municipal court; and after paying to the witnesses in such case all fees due and unpaid to them, said clerk shall make return and payment of the balance, if any remains, to the city collector as provided by law.

Sec. 8-3. Certification, payment of fees due witnesses in municipal court. The clerk of municipal court shall, on application, give certificates of the amount of fees due to witnesses other than the chief of police or police constables, who may have been summoned as witnesses in cases tried before the municipal court, whenever the costs in such cases have not been paid by the defendant or other person in his behalf. The city controller, upon presentation of such certificates, shall draw upon the city collector in

payment of the amount thereof and take receipts therefor.

Sec. 8-4. Annual report of clerk of municipal court; required contents. The clerk of the municipal court shall make a detailed report to the city council on the first Monday in January annually of the business done by said court during the preceding year, and failure to make such report shall render such clerk ineligible for reappointment.

Sec. 8-5. Scheduling of municipal court sessions in the evenings. The justices of the municipal court are authorized, by a vote of the majority of the justices, to schedule municipal court sessions in the evening.

Section 2. The following sections shall be renumbered as follows:

Sec. 8-5, "Days for holding court for transaction of probate business" shall be Sec. 8-6;

Sec. 8-6, "Days for special sessions of probate court" shall be Sec. 8-7;

Sec. 8-7, "Place for holding probate court" shall be Sec. 8-8, and

Sec. 8-8, "Microfilming records of probate court" shall be Sec. 8-9.

Section 3. This Ordinance shall take effect upon its passage.

An Ordinance in Amendment of and in Addition to Chapter 1982-47 of the Ordinances of the City of Providence approved November 25, 1987 and entitled: "An Ordinance Approving and Adopting the Official Redevelopment Plan for the Eagle Park Renewal Project for Additional Acquisition and Project Boundary Revision.

Be it Ordained by the City of Providence:

Section 1. That Chapter 1982-47 of the Ordinances of the City of Providence, approved July 8, 1982, entitled, "An Ordinance Approving and Adopting the Official Redevelopment Plan for the Eagle Park Renewal Project" as amended by Chapter 1987-34 if the ordinances of the City of Providence, approved November 25, 1987, be and the same is hereby amended as follows:

A) The following property, Lot 138 on Assessor's Plat 99 is hereby added to the proposed acquisition list in Section E.2. entitled "Proposed Acquisition" as contained in and set forth in Page 17 of that certain booklet entitled "Eagle Park Renewal Project, 1982," which is part of the aforementioned ordinance as amended to date.

B) Exhibit A entitled, "Legal Description of the Boundaries" as contained in the Official Redevelopment Plan, 1982 of the Eagle Park Renewal Project. be and the same is hereby deleted: and insert the following Exhibit A as an attachment to this ordinance in its stead.

C) The following maps of the aforementioned Official Redevelopment Plan which is part of the aforementioned ordinance, hereinafter identified are deleted:

1) Map No. 1 "Existing Land Use and Zoning", dated February, 1982.

2) Map No. 2 "Proposed General Land Use and Zoning", dated February, 1982.

3) Map No. 3 "Proposed Zoning Changes", dated February, 1982.

4) Map No. 4 "Proposed Acquisition", dated February, 1982.

5) Map No. 5 "Disposition Map", dated February, 1982.

6) Map No. 6 "Proposed Site Improvements", dated February, 1982.

7) Map No. 7 "Right-of-Way Adjustments", dated February, 1982.

D) The following maps are inserted in their stead:

1) Map No. 1 "Existing Land Use and Zoning", sheets 1 of 2 and 2 of 2, dated December, 1990.

2) Map No. 2 "Proposed General Land Use and Zoning", sheets 1 of 2 and 2 of 2, dated December, 1990.

3) Map No. 3 "Proposed Zoning Changes", dated December, 1990.

4) Map No. 4 "Proposed Acquisition", sheets 1 of 2 and 2 of 2, dated December, 1990.

5) Map No. 5 "Disposition Map", sheets 1 of 2 and 2 of 2, dated December, 1990.

6) Map No. 6 "Proposed Site Improvements", dated December, 1990.

7) Map No. 7 "Right-of-Way Adjustments", dated December, 1990.

Section 2. That said Chapter 1982-47 of the Ordinance of the City of Providence as adopted and as heretofore amended, be and the same is hereby ratified and affirmed in all other respects.

Section 3. That this Ordinance shall take effect on its passage and shall be filed with the City Clerk who is hereby authorized and directed to forward a certified copy thereof to the Providence Redevelopment Agency.

A true copy,
Attest:

Rose M. Mendonca
City Clerk

South Providence Redevelopment Project, dated,
September, 1990.

Map No. 4, "Disposition and Proposed Activity
Map", Upper South Providence Redevelopment
Project, dated, September, 1990.

An Ordinance in Amendment of and in
Addition to Chapter 1984-17 of the Ordinances
of the City of Providence approved March 9, 1984
and entitled: "An Ordinance Approving and
Adopting the Official Redevelopment Plan for the
Upper South Providence Redevelopment Project"
for additional acquisition.

Be it Ordained by the City of Providence:

Section 1. That Chapter 1984-17 of the
Ordinance of the City of Providence, approved
March 9, 1984, and entitled, "An Ordinance
Approving and Adopting the Official Redevelop-
ment Plan for the Upper South Providence
Revitalization Project" as amended by Chapter
1990-31 of the Ordinance of the City of Providence
approved December 26, 1990 be and the same is
hereby further amended as follows:

A. Add the following three lots to the
acquisition list in Section E.2 entitled "Proposed
Acquisition" as contained and set forth on Page
20 of the certain booklet entitled, "Upper South
Providence Official Redevelopment Project"
which is part of the aforementioned Ordinance:

A.P. 23, Lot 205

A.P. 45, Lot 549

A.P. 45, Lot 609

B. The following maps of the aforementioned
Official Redevelopment Plan which is part of the
aforementioned Ordinance, hereinafter identified
are deleted:

Map No. 3, "Proposed Acquisition", Upper

C. Insert the following maps in their stead:

Map No. 3, "Proposed Acquisition", Upper
South Providence Redevelopment Project, dated,
December, 1990.

Map No. 4, "Disposition", Upper South
Providence Redevelopment Project, dated,
December, 1990.

Section 2. That said Chapter 1984-17 of the
Ordinance of the City of Providence as adopted
and as heretofore amended, be and the same is
hereby ratified and affirmed in all other respects.

Section 3. That this Ordinance shall take
effect on its passage and shall be filed with the
City Clerk who is hereby authorized and directed
to forward a certified copy thereof to the
Providence Redevelopment Agency.

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

Ayes: Council President Petrosinelli,
Councilmen Clarkin, DeLuca, Dillon, Coun-
cilwomen DiRuzzo, Fargnoli, Councilmen
Fenton, Glavin, Igliazzi, Lombardi, Mancini,
Councilwoman Nolan, Councilman Rollins,
and Councilwoman Young — 14.

Noes: None.

Absent: Councilwoman Williams — 1.

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

PRESENTATION OF RESOLUTIONS

COUNCILMAN CLARKIN (By Request):

Resolution Requesting the Traffic Engineer to prohibit motor vehicle traffic along Traverse Street, between Wickenden Street and Sheldon Street, on Sunday, April 21, 1991, from 12:00 o'clock Noon to 5:00 o'clock P.M. to accommodate Save the Rain Forest.

Resolved, That the Traffic Engineer is requested to prohibit motor vehicle traffic along Traverse Street between Wickenden Street and Sheldon Street, on Sunday, April 21, 1991, from 12:00 o'clock Noon to 5:00 o'clock P.M. to accommodate Save the Rain Forest.

COUNCILWOMAN DiRUZZO (By Request):

Resolution Requesting the Director of Public Works to cause a guard rail to be placed along the Valley Street side of 675 Atwells Ave.

Resolved, That the Director of Public Works is requested to cause a guard rail to be placed along the Valley Street side of 675 Atwells Ave.

COUNCILWOMAN FARGNOLI:

Resolution extending the appreciation of the Members of the City Council to Elena A. and Renato E. Leonelli for the devotion and services extended to Rhode Island College for more than four decades.

Whereas, Elena and Renato E. Leonelli, have devoted their time, talents and services to Rhode Island College for more than forty years, and

Whereas, Mr. and Mrs. Leonelli were selected to be honored guests of the Rhode Island College Foundation at the second annual gala which was held Sunday, April 7, 1991, and

Whereas, They are the most active and supportive members of College community, and

Whereas, Dr. Leonelli, Professor Emeritus of Elementary Education, served as a member of the faculty for thirty-nine years and was President of the Foundation from 1983 to 1985; his wife Elena was a teacher in the Providence School Department, has been a loyal alumna and former President of the Alumni Association, as well as serving as President of the Foundation for the past two years,

Now, Therefore, Be It Resolved, That the Members of the City Council hereby express their appreciation for the services rendered to Rhode Island College in helping to achieve their goals and to the community for their dedication.

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

The motion for Passage is Sustained.

COUNCILWOMAN FARGNOLI (By Request):

Resolution of the City Council approving the proposal of the Mayor dated March 21, 1991, requesting the Providence Public Building Authority to use its best efforts to acquire and operate certain real property and any improvements thereon at Roger Williams Park, known as the "African Plains Exhibit".

Referred to Committee on Finance, on motion of COUNCILMAN GLAVIN, seconded by COUNCILMAN LOMBARDI.

The motion to Refer is Sustained.

COUNCILMAN FENTON:

Resolution celebrating Arbor Day on Friday, April 26, 1991:

Whereas, Trees, which are one of nature's most important creatures of the plant kingdom, shades our lawns and streets from hot rays from the summer sun, enhance the bleakest landscapes, gives protection from winter wind and snow, provide us with food to eat, yield paper for the books from which we obtain knowledge, produce the material from which we build out homes, and provide us with multitudes of other products, and

Whereas, Trees provide an environment for many types of wildlife, from small birds to squirrels and deer, and

Whereas, Our forests are the origin of our pure drinking water, and

Whereas, Forest cover 55% of the land in Rhode Island, support a commercial forest industry, handling \$50,000,000 worth of lumber each year and provide Rhode Islanders with a renewable energy resource worth nearly \$5,000,000 in fuel each year, and

Whereas, April, 1991, marks the 119th anniversary of the adoption of Arbor Day, and

Whereas, Trees are God's gift to earth and we are grateful for this gift,

Now, Therefore, Be It Resolved, That April 26, 1991 be commemorated as Arbor Day in the City of Providence.

Resolution Requesting the Traffic Engineer to cause street name signs to be placed on "Chace Avenue", at its intersections with Hope Street and North Main Street.

Resolved, That the Traffic Engineer is requested to cause street name signs to be placed on "Chace Avenue", at its intersections with Hope Street and North Main Street.

COUNCILMAN GLAVIN:

Resolution Requesting the Traffic Engineer to cause the installation of "No Parking Anytime" signs along the southerly side of Regent Avenue, from the dead end portion of Bergen Street to Harold Street.

Resolved, That the Traffic Engineer is requested to cause the installation of "No Parking Anytime" signs along the southerly side of Regent Avenue, from the dead end portion of Bergen Street to Harold Street.

Resolution Requesting the Traffic Engineer to cause the installation of a "No Parking to Corner" sign in front of 96 Harold Street.

Resolved, That the Traffic Engineer is requested to cause the installation of a "No Parking to Corner" sign in front of 96 Harold Street.

COUNCILMAN GLAVIN (By Request):

Resolution Requesting the Traffic Engineer to prohibit motor vehicle traffic along Benefit Street, between College Street and Waterman Street, on Sunday, April 21, 1991 from 9:00 o'clock A.M. to 4:00 o'clock P.M. to

accommodate the Rhode Island School of Design's Student Sale.

Resolved, That the Traffic Engineer is requested to prohibit motor vehicle traffic along Benefit Street, between College Street and Waterman Street, on Sunday, April 21, 1991 from 9:00 o'clock A.M. to 4:00 o'clock P.M. to accommodate the Rhode Island School of Design's Student Sale.

COUNCILMAN IGLIOZZI (By Request):

Resolution Requesting the Chief Electrical Inspector to order the installation of a flood light on Pole No. 2, located along Hillhurst Avenue.

Resolved, That the Chief Electrical Inspector is requested to order the installation of a flood light on Pole No. 2, located along Hillhurst Avenue.

COUNCILMAN MANCINI (By Request):

Resolution Requesting the State Traffic Commission to cause the installation of a traffic signal light at the intersection of Smith Street and Tyndall Avenue.

Whereas, Numerous vehicle accidents have occurred along Smith Street and Tyndall Avenue endangering the lives of many people,

Now, Therefore, Be It Resolved, That the State Traffic Commission is hereby requested to cause the installation of a traffic signal light at the intersection of Smith Street and Tyndall Avenue.

Resolution Requesting the Traffic Engineer to

cause the installation of "No Parking" signs along the westerly side of Fernando Street.

Resolved, That the Traffic Engineer is requested to cause the installation of "No Parking" signs along the westerly side of Fernando Street.

COUNCILMAN ROLLINS:

Resolution Requesting the Supervisor of Environmental Control to cause various lots to be cleaned of all debris.

Resolved, That the Supervisor of Environmental Control is hereby requested to cause the vacant lots at the following locations to be cleaned of all debris:

1-3 Baxter Street,

79, 91, 93, 97, and 121 Byfield Street,

179-181 Potters Avenue,

496 Public Street, and

16-18 Gladstone Street.

Resolution Requesting the Director of Public Works to cause the abandoned vehicles to be removed at certain locations.

Resolved, That the Director of Public Works is requested to cause the abandoned vehicles to be removed at certain locations:

522-524 and 512 Public Street,

40 Gladstone Street, and

79 Thurbers Avenue.

Resolution Requesting the Director of Public Works to cause the tree stump located along 225 Montgomery Avenue to be removed.

Resolved, That the Director of Public Works is requested to cause the tree stump located along 225 Montgomery Avenue to be removed.

COUNCILMAN ROLLINS (By Request):

Resolution Requesting the Traffic Engineer to prohibit motor vehicle traffic along Croyland Road between Sayles and Oxford Streets, on Saturday, May 18, 1991 from 10:00 o'clock A.M. to 3:00 o'clock P.M. to accommodate Friends of South Providence Library Fair.

Resolved, That the Traffic Engineer is requested to prohibit motor vehicle traffic along Croyland Road between Sayles and Oxford Streets, on Saturday, May 18, 1991 from 10:00 o'clock A.M.

to 3:00 o'clock P.M. to accommodate Friends of South Providence Library Fair.

COUNCILWOMAN WILLIAMS (By Request):

Resolution Requesting the Traffic Engineer to cause Traffic Lines to be Painted along River Road, from Angell Street to Irving Avenue.

Resolved, That the Traffic Engineer is requested to cause Traffic Lines to be Painted along River Road, from Angell Street to Irving Avenue.

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

The motion for Passage is Sustained.

AT EASE

COUNCIL PRESIDENT PETROSINELLI
declares the City Council Stand at ease at
8:00 o'clock P.M.

RECONVENTION

COUNCIL PRESIDENT PETROSINELLI
Reconvenes the City Council at 8:05 o'clock
P.M. and Directs the Clerk to Record that
there is a Quorum Present.

REPORTS FROM COMMITTEES

COUNCILMAN ROBERT M. CLARKIN, Chairman COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC WORKS

Transmits the following with Recommendation the same be Severally Adopted:

Resolution Requesting the Traffic Engineer to prohibit motor vehicle traffic along Gulf Avenue and River Road.

Referred Back to Committee on Public Works, on motion of COUNCILMAN GLAVIN, seconded by COUNCILMAN LOMBARDI.

The motion to Refer Back to Committee is Sustained.

Resolution Requesting the Traffic Engineer to invoke 15 miles per hour speed zone along River Road, from Irving Avenue to Angell Street.

Resolved, That the Traffic Engineer is requested to invoke 15 miles per hour speed zone along River Road, from Irving Avenue to Angell Street (Henderson Bridge).

cause the installation of Traffic Signal Lights at the corner of Babcock and Broad Streets.

Resolved, That the Traffic Engineer is requested to cause the installation of Traffic Signal Lights at the corner of Babcock and Broad Streets.

Resolution Requesting the Traffic Engineer to cause the installation of Four-Way "Stop" Signs at the intersection of Congress Avenue and Melrose Street.

Resolved, That the Traffic Engineer is requested to cause the installation of Four-Way "Stop" Signs at the intersection of Congress Avenue and Melrose Street.

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

The motion for Passage is Sustained.

Resolution Requesting the Traffic Engineer to

The following is transmitted with Recommendation the Same be Adopted as Amended:

Resolution in Amendment of Resolution No. 344, approved July 17, 1989, Relating to the

Abandonment of that unnamed street, between Burns Street and Lubec Street.

Resolved, That Resolution No. 344, as approved July 17, 1989, is hereby amended by deleting the following in the second paragraph, line six, following the word "locations"; "and provided, however, that in the event a multiple family dwelling is constructed on Lot 663 of Assessor's Plat 79 the above-described locus together with lot improvements thereon shall revert to the City of Providence forthwith, and the abutting property owners, by their acceptance hereof, agree that the City of Providence may enter upon the realty and improvements thereon, for a condition broken, and take possession of the same, and any persons claiming thereto shall execute such conveyances and documents to effect the same.", and

Be It Further Resolved, That the following words be inserting in lieu thereof: "and subject to the following restriction: Lot 663 of Plat 79 shall be forever hereafter used for single family residence purposes. Said restriction shall specifically disallow the use of so-called 'in-law apartments.' This restriction is imposed for the benefit of the City of Providence and all abutting

property owners. And each or both may enforce the same by injunction or other legal process if necessary."

Further, such amendment and amended language shall become effective upon:

(1) Petitioner, by certified mail, return receipt requested, assenting to the imposition of said restriction.

(2) Petitioner recording in the Office of Land Records of the City of Providence a certified copy of the within and of Resolution No. 344 Approved July 17, 1989.

Read and Passed as Amended, on motion of COUNCILMAN GLAVIN, seconded by COUNCILMAN LOMBARDI.

The motion for Passage as Amended is Sustained.

COUNCILMAN DAVID G. DILLON, Chairman COMMITTEE ON FINANCE

Transmits the following with Recommendation the Same Be Severally Adopted:

Resolution authorizing the City Collector to cause taxes prior to 1981 to be abated in the amount of Two Thousand Four Hundred Ninety-Three Dollars and Eighty-Six Cents (\$2,493.86) for that building located at 150 Stanwood Street as requested by the Elmwood Neighborhood Housing Services, Inc.

Resolved, That the City Collector is hereby authorized to cause taxes to be abated prior to 1981 on that property located along 150 Stanwood

Street, Lot 156 as set out and delineated on Plat 49, in the amount of Two Thousand Four Hundred Ninety-Three Dollars and Eighty-Six Cents (\$2,493.86), as requested by the Elmwood Neighborhood Housing Service, Inc.

Resolution authorizing the City Collector to cause taxes to be abated at 80 Stanwood Street in the

amount of One Hundred Forty-Three Dollars and Twenty-Six Cents (\$143.26) and 90 Stanwood Street in the amount of Eight Hundred Ninety-Five Dollars and Ninety Cents (\$895.90) as requested by Faith and Hope Baptist Church.

Resolved, That the City Collector is hereby authorized to cause taxes to be abated on that property located along 80 Stanwood Street, Lot 264 on Plat 49 in the amount of One Hundred Forty-Three Dollars and Twenty-Six Cents (\$143.26) and 90 Stanwood Street, Lot 222 on Plat 49 in the amount of Eight Hundred Ninety-Five Dollars and Ninety Cents (\$895.90) as requested by Faith and Hope Baptist Church.

Severally Read and Collectively Passed,

The following is transmitted with Recommendation the Same be Adopted, as Amended:

Resolution urging the School Committee to disassociate itself from Charles J. Cooper, Esquire.

Referred Back to Committee on Finance,

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

Ayes: Council President Petrosinelli, Councilmen Clarkin, DeLuca, Dillon, Councilwomen DiRuzzo, Fagnoli, Councilmen Fenton, Glavin, Igliazzi, Lombardi, Mancini, Councilwoman Nolan, Councilman Rollins, and Councilwoman Young — 15.

Noes: None.

Absent: Councilwoman Williams — 1.

The motion for Passage is Sustained.

COUNCILWOMAN EVELYN V. FARGNOLI, Chairwoman COMMITTEE ON CLAIMS AND PENDING SUITS

Transmits the following with Recommendation the same be Severally Approved for Cancellation:

Certificates from the City Assessor (23U, 24U, 26U, and 27U) Recommending the Same be Severally Cancelled, pursuant to the provisions of Sections 14 and 15 of Title 44, Chapter 7 of the General Laws of Rhode Island, 1956, as Amended.

on motion of COUNCILMAN FENTON, seconded by COUNCILMAN GLAVIN.

The motion to Refer Back to Committee on Finance is Sustained.

Severally Approved for Cancellation, on motion of COUNCILMAN GLAVIN, seconded by COUNCILMAN LOMBARDI, by the following Roll Call Vote:

Ayes: Council President Petrosinelli,

Councilmen Clarkin, DeLuca, Dillon, Councilwomen DiRuzzo, Fargnoli, Councilmen Fenton, Glavin, Igliazzi, Lombardi, Mancini, Councilwoman Nolan, Councilman Rollins, and Councilwoman Young — 14.

Noes: None.

Absent: Councilwoman Williams — 1.

The motion for Approval is Sustained.

COUNCILMAN DAVID V. IGLIOZZI, Chairman COMMITTEE ON ORDINANCES

Transmits the following with Recommendation the Same be Adopted:

Resolution to Grant Stop Wasting Abandoned Property, Inc., an Exception to the Moratorium for the Issuance of Building Permits for New Construction to Build a Two-Family House on Willard Avenue.

Whereas, Stop Wasting Abandoned Property, Inc., (S.W.A.P.) has contractual agreements in place to build a two-family dwelling on Willard Avenue, and

Whereas, There does exist in the Eleventh Ward a moratorium for the issuance of new building permits for new construction of such, unless said organizations can prove hardship, and

Whereas, Due to the financial obligations that

were in place prior to the passage of the moratorium, Stop Wasting Abandoned Property (S.W.A.P.) would like to be relieved of this moratorium,

Now, Therefore, Be It Resolved, That the City Council does hereby grant Stop Wasting Abandoned Property, Inc. (S.W.A.P.) an exception for the proposed construction of a two-family dwelling on Willard Avenue.

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

The motion for Passage is Sustained.

The following is transmitted with Recommendation the Same be Adopted, as Amended:

An Ordinance in Amendment of Chapter 14 of the Code of Ordinances of the City of Providence, by adding Article XIII, Sec. 14-260, ET., SEQ., entitled: "Motor Vehicle Repair Business."

Read and Passed, the First Time, as Amended, on motion of COUNCILMAN GLAVIN, seconded by COUNCILMAN

LOMBARDI and COUNCILMAN IGLIOZZI, by the following Roll Call Vote:

Ayes: Council President Petrosinelli, Councilmen Clarkin, DeLuca, Dillon, Councilwomen DiRuzzo, Fargnoli, Councilmen Fenton, Glavin, Igliazzi, Lombardi, Mancini,

Councilwoman Nolan, Councilman Rollins,
and Councilwoman Young — 14.

Noes: None.

Absent: Councilwoman Williams — 1.

The motion for Passage the First Time, as
Amended, is Sustained.

REPORTS

FROM THE ACTING CITY CONTROLLER:

Monthly Financial Report for February, 1991.

Received.

FROM THE BOARD OF LICENSES:

Report for the quarter ended March 30, 1991.

Received.

FROM THE CLERK'S DESK

Petition of Jake Kaplan's Ltd., by Sherwin
Zaidman, Officer Manager and Controller, to
dedicate a portion of Lot 731, on City Assessor's
Plat 44, for highway purposes.

Referred to Committee on City Property,
on motion of COUNCILMAN GLAVIN, sec-
onded by COUNCILMAN LOMBARDI.

The motion to Refer is Sustained.

Referred to Committee on Public Works, on
motion of COUNCILMAN GLAVIN, second-
ed by COUNCILMAN LOMBARDI.

The motion to Refer is Sustained.

Petition of Ophthalmic Partners, by its
Attorney John J. Garrahy to abandon a 2,819
square foot portion of East Manning Street.

Referred to Committee on Public Works,
on motion of COUNCILMAN GLAVIN, sec-
onded by COUNCILMAN LOMBARDI.

The motion to Refer is Sustained.

Petition of Cynthia A. Simmons, owner of C.A.
Simmons & Associates, Inc., 39 Pike Street, to
abandon a portion of Pike Street, from South Main
Street to Interstate 195.

Petitions for Compensation for Injuries and Damages, viz:

Jeanne M. Birt

Pearl Blanding

John Cesario

Judy A. DeQuattro

Ford Motor Credit

General Accident Ins., a/s/o Gamwell & Ingraham

Maria Hinojosa

Bernadine A. Klein

Mara Mendez

Chhay and Sarom Ouch

Outlet Broadcasting vs. Cityplace, et. al. vs. Your Equipment Supplier, Inc.

Demetrios Petrou

Robert Santucci

Raymond and Giulia Sheridan

Robert M. Silva

Kathleen Texeira

Estate of Dina Zincone

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

The motion to Refer is Sustained.

PERSONAL PRIVILEGE

COUNCILMAN CLARKIN requests and is Granted the Privilege of the Floor to Speak on a Point of Personal Privilege:

"As reported on TV last night, recently, as we all know, a small tiny 11-hour-old baby was abducted from the Women and Infants Hospital and last night, we all saw a great police job.

"These Policemen, and I don't recall their names, Detectives of the Providence Police Department, showed excellent performance and right now, I honestly believe the Providence Police Force did a great job.

"But on this case alone, these men, on a small little beeper, went to Boston and traced this thing down and they came back and found the baby and I think this is great basic police work and these Detectives, whoever they are, deserve our thanks and I just wanted to rise and say 'Thank you very much'."

The City Council rises to a standing ovation.

PRESENTATION OF RESOLUTIONS

"In Memoriam"

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

Resolutions extending Sympathy.

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

Emma D'Ambra

Alberto Caprio

Alfredo E. Morelli

Florence M. McNabb

Anthony Protena

Americo A. Russo

Anna Ambrosino

Julia Mancini

Albertina R. Lima

Emily Macaruso

Lilliam R. Webber-Simone

Clarence Flanagan

Patricia A. Daly

John F. Lafferty

John Alves

Arthur B. Williams

Dorothea V. Addison

Joeng Hai Chin

Robert C. Mial, Jr.

Andrea R. Salvatore

Salvatore Vigliotti

Anthony F. Lisi

Anthony J. Muratore

Jessie L. McCarter

Salomi I. Thorpe

Nicholas J. Montecalvo

Kathryn A. Van Leesten

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

The motion for Passage is Sustained.

ADJOURNMENT

There being no further business, on motion of COUNCILMAN GLAVIN, seconded by COUNCILMAN LOMBARDI, it is voted to adjourn at 8:15 o'clock P.M. (E.D.T.) to meet again on THURSDAY, MAY 2, 1991 at 7:30 o'clock P.M. (E.D.T.).

Rose M. Mendonca

City Clerk



April 18]

192

[1991
