

THE CITY OF PROVIDENCE
STATE OF RHODE ISLAND AND PROVIDENCE PLANTATIONS

RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL

No. 122

Approved February 25, 1977

WHEREAS, notice is taken of the recent passing of Charles N. Fortes, Sr., at the early age of 54 years, following a most distinguished career of concern for the betterment of minority groups, and

WHEREAS, a self-appointed activist who fought Organizations of National significance for benefit of some of our less fortunate brethren, "Charlie" was beloved for the causes he championed, and

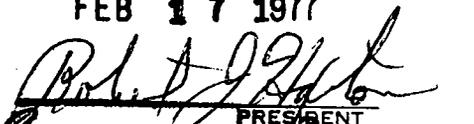
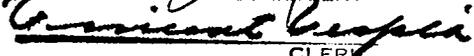
WHEREAS, in his ever present struggle for Equal Rights, he insisted upon being recognized for the importance of his quest, and

WHEREAS, most prominent amongst the proposals was the creation of the Providence Corporation which took pride in its record to improve the opportunities of the local minorities, particularly those from the South Providence Area,

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that in mourning the passing of Charles N. Fortes, a most respected citizen of our Community, the City Council, while pausing in its deliberation in respect to his memory, will not easily forget his contributions as a worker for the Rights of Human Beings in all social spheres of our Community.

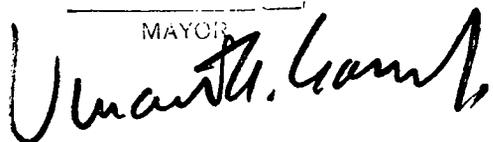
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BY A UNANIMOUS RISING VOTE

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MAYOR



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Council President Hayton,
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Councilman Ferris

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