

# RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL

No. 234

Approved April 7, 1961

**Resolved,** Decreed and Ordered

**That** Byron Street from Broad Street to Pine Street shown as shaded area and designated by the letters A-B-C-D-E-F on the accompanying plan entitled "Providence, R. I., P. W. Dept. - Engineering Office, City Property Section, Plan No. 062113, Date February 6, 1961", has ceased to be useful to the public and the same is abandoned as a public highway and the damage to the abutters is appraised at nothing and so awarded and it is further

Ordered -

That the Superintendent of Street Signs and Numbers be and he is hereby directed to cause a sign to be placed on Byron Street from Broad Street to Pine Street, 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 each week for three successive weeks and a further and personal notice shall be served by the City Sergeant upon every owner of land abutting Byron Street from Broad Street to Pine Street which has been abandoned, who is known to reside within this State.

IN CITY COUNCIL

APR 6 - 1961

READ and PASSED  
*Edward P. Chisley*  
President  
*Robert T. Whelan*  
Clerk

APPROVED

APR 7 1961

*Walter H. Reynolds*  
MAYOR

RESOLUTION  
OF THE  
CITY COUNCIL



CITY OF PROVIDENCE - RHODE ISLAND - Walter H. Reynolds, Mayor

## DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS

Charles F. McElroy  
Director  
John E. Meade  
Deputy Director

CITY HALL

March 14, 1961

Mr. Ralph Matera, Chairman  
Public Works Committee  
City Hall, Providence, R.I.

RE: Proposed abandonment  
of Byron Street, from  
Broad Street to Pine  
Street.

Dear Sir:

The entire length of Byron Street has been  
condemned by the Providence Housing Authority.

Very truly yours,

J. E. Meade  
Dep. Director of Public Works.

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CITY CLERK'S OFFICE  
PROVIDENCE, R.I.

THE CITY OF PROVIDENCE

CITY SERGEANT'S OFFICE

THIS IS TO CERTIFY, That I have caused the notice, of which a true copy is hereto annexed, to be served upon the following named persons, by handing to each of said persons, or by leaving at their last and usual place of abode in this State a true copy of said notice, to wit: BYRON STREET, from Broad Street to Pine Street:

abandonment of, as a public highway.

Plat	Lot	Name	Address
24	318)	Dropped into	
"	565)	Lot	253 Chad Brown Street, City
"	249)		

Condemnation Plats

- 1107
- 328
- 327
- 326

Date 3/13/61

*Harry Adamson*  
Signature  
*Rep. City Sergeant*

This is to certify that I have caused a true copy of the attached Resolution to be served upon the above named persons, firms and/or corporations, as the case may be, by handing to each said person, firm and/or corporation, as the case may be, or by leaving at their last and usual place of abode in this state, a true copy.

Date 4-12-61

*H. F. Crowley*  
Signature  
*City Sergeant*

The City of Providence  
PUBLIC HEARING

Relative to: as the case may be:  
Abandonment as Public Highways;  
Defining of Grades;  
Establishing and Declaring as Public Highways;  
Bringing to the Established or Defined Grades at the expense of the abutting owners;  
Setting of Curbstones at the expense of the abutting owners;  
Construction of Main Drains or Common Sewers at the expense of the abutting owners.

City Clerk's Office  
March 8, 1961.

ORDERED, that all those owners of land abutting on those portions of the following streets be notified to appear before the Committee on Public Works of the City Council on THURSDAY, MARCH 23, 1961 at 3:00 o'clock p.m. (E.S.T.) in the Council Chamber, City Hall and be heard for or against the above propositions.

ABANDONMENTS  
ALGONQUIN STREET, from Crescent Street to its westerly termination, be abandoned.

ARDOENE STREET, from Narragansett Avenue to a point 263.58 feet westerly and ROBERT STREET, from Narragansett Avenue to its westerly termination, be abandoned.

BYRON STREET, from Broad Street to Pine Street, be abandoned.

BETTERMENTS  
BERKSHIRE STREET, from Salina Street to Cornwall Street: Declare and establish as a public highway; Bring to the established or defined grade at the expense of the abutting owners; Curbing be set at the expense of the abutting owners.

CORNWALL STREET, from the southerly line of Berkshire Street to Longmont Street:

Declare and establish as a public highway; Bring to the established or defined grade at the expense of the abutting owners; Curbing be set at the expense of the abutting owners.

JOSEPH STREET, from Lubec Street northerly and westerly to a point 300 feet west of angle:

Define grade; Establish as a public highway; Bring to the established or defined grade at the expense of the abutting owners; Curbing be set at the expense of the abutting owners.

OPHELIA STREET, from Hartford Avenue to a point 120 feet south of Thornton Street:

Define grade; Declare and establish as a public highway; Bring to the established or defined grade at the expense of the abutting owners; Curbing be set at the expense of the abutting owners.

QUARRY STREET, from Charles Street to its easterly termination:

Define grade; Establish as a public highway; Bring to the established or defined grade at the expense of the abutting owners; Curbing be set at the expense of the abutting owners.

RUSHMORE AVENUE, from Ada Avenue to the northerly line of Almira Avenue:

Declare and establish as a public highway; Bring to the established or defined grade at the expense of the abutting owners; Curbing be set at the expense of the abutting owners.

SMART STREET, from a point 200 feet west of Job Street to Windmill Street:

Define grade; Declare a public highway; Bring to the established or defined grade at the expense of the abutting owners; Curbing be set at the expense of the abutting owners.

TAPPAN STREET, from Hawkins Street to a point 254.05 feet southerly:

Define grade; Establish as a public highway; Bring to the established or defined grade at the expense of the abutting owners; Curbing be set at the expense of the abutting owners.

MAIN DRAINS OR COMMON SEWERS

AVON STREET, from its termination to Anthony Avenue:

Main drain or common sewer to be constructed at the expense of the abutting owners.

EAST GEORGE STREET, from near Weyland Avenue to Butler Avenue and in BUTLER AVENUE, from East George Street to Pitman Street:

Main drain or common sewer to be constructed at the expense of the abutting owners.

LESLIE DRIVE, from near Mount Pleasant Avenue easterly and northerly to present sewer in Leslie Drive:

Main drain or common sewer to be constructed at the expense of the abutting owners.

TRINITY PARKWAY, from near Smith Street westerly to present sewer in Trinity Parkway:

Main drain or common sewer to be constructed at the expense of the abutting owners.

Information relative to the above may be obtained prior to said hearing in the Office of the City Engineer, City Hall.

By Order of the Committee on Public Works:  
RALPH MATERA, Chairman  
D. EVERETT WHELAN, City Clerk

Attached legal advertisement inserted in Providence Journal editions of March 8, 15 and 22, 1961.



**CITY OF PROVIDENCE**  
STATE OF RHODE ISLAND AND PROVIDENCE PLANTATIONS

**PETITION TO THE CITY COUNCIL**

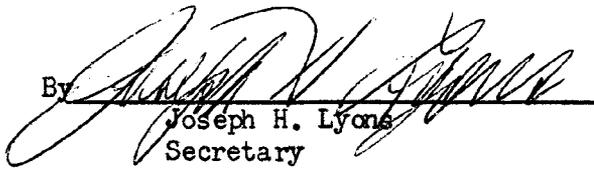
**TO THE HONORABLE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF PROVIDENCE:**

*The undersigned respectfully petition your honorable body*

to abandon Byron Street from Broad Street to Pine Street

THE HOUSING AUTHORITY OF THE CITY  
OF PROVIDENCE, RHODE ISLAND

By



Joseph H. Lyons  
Secretary

IN CITY  
COUNCIL

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FIRST READING

REFERRED TO COMMITTEE ON

..... PUBLIC WORKS .....

*Therese S. Malone* CLERK

*Mr. Weyden, by request*

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CITY CLERK'S OFFICE  
PROVIDENCE, R.I.

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THE HOUSING AUTHORITY OF THE CITY OF  
PROVIDENCE, RHODE ISLAND

263 CHAD BROWN STREET  
PROVIDENCE 8, R. I.

COMMISSIONERS

JOSEPH P. CARROLL  
CHAIRMAN

CORNELIUS J. MULCAHY  
VICE-CHAIRMAN

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JOHN D. KILMARTIN

HARRY B. FREEMAN

JOSEPH H. LYONS  
EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR

ARTHUR FALCONE  
GENERAL COUNSEL

GASPEE 1-1451

October 26, 1960

City Clerk  
City Hall  
Providence, R. I.

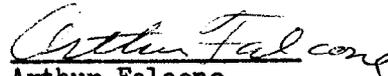
Attention: Mr. Vincent Vespia

Dear Sir:

Transmitted herewith is a partition for the  
abandonment of Byron Street.

Very truly yours,

AF:P  
Enclosure

  
Arthur Falcone  
General Counsel

**The City of Providence — Legislative Department**  
**CITY CLERK'S OFFICE—OFFICIAL MEMORANDUM**

**TO:** Philip J. Holton, Chief Engineer Water Supply Board  
Providence, R. I., November 4, 1960

**SUBJECT:** Abandonment of Byron Street

**CONSIDERED BY:** Committee on Public Works

**ACTION TAKEN:** Voted to refer for study, report and recommendation  
attached copy.

*Theresa Whalen*

City Clerk

**The City of Providence — Legislative Department**  
**CITY CLERK'S OFFICE—OFFICIAL MEMORANDUM**

Providence, R. I., November 4, 1960

**TO:** Deputy Director of Public Works

**SUBJECT:** Abandonment of Byron Street

**CONSIDERED BY:** Committee on Public Works

**ACTION TAKEN:** Voted to refer for study, report and recommendation  
attached copy.

*William H. Helms*

City Clerk

**The City of Providence — Legislative Department**  
**CITY CLERK'S OFFICE—OFFICIAL MEMORANDUM**

Providence, R. I., November 4, 1960

TO: Frank H. Malley, City Plan Commission

SUBJECT: Abandonment of Byron Street

CONSIDERED BY: Committee on Public Works

ACTION TAKEN: Voted to refer for study, report and recommendation  
attached copy.

*Theresa Wilson*

City Clerk

**CITY OF PROVIDENCE**  
STATE OF RHODE ISLAND AND PROVIDENCE PLANTATIONS

**PETITION TO THE CITY COUNCIL**

**TO THE HONORABLE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF PROVIDENCE:**

*The undersigned respectfully petition your honorable body*

to abandon Byron Street from Broad Street to Pine Street.

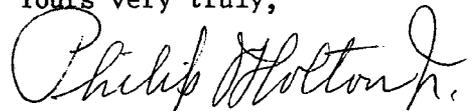
November 16, 1960

Councilman Ralph Matera, Chairman  
Committee on Public Works  
City Clerk's Office  
City Hall  
Providence, Rhode Island

Dear Councilman Matera:

We have been notified by the Office of the City Clerk that your Committee is considering the abandonment of Byron Street from Broad to Pine Street. Within this section to be abandoned the City has 362 ft. of 6" cast iron water pipe that was laid when the system was first started in 1871. In addition, there are 14 services of various sizes that will also be abandoned. Due to the fact that this highway has been abandoned in order to proceed with the development of a public housing project, known as Dexter Manor, there will be no charge on the part of the department for any of its facilities in that section of the highway to be abandoned.

Yours very truly,



Philip J. Holton, Jr.  
Chief Engineer

PJH:kam

cc: W. P. Ingham, Division Engineer

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CITY CLERK'S OFFICE  
PROVIDENCE, R.I.

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# City Plan Commission

EDWARD WINSOR, *Chairman*  
JERRY LORENZO                      RALPH MATERA

WALTER H. REYNOLDS, *Mayor*  
LUCIO E. CARLONE, *Secretary*

PAUL A. SAN SOUCL, *Vice Chairman*  
RAYMOND J. NOTTAGE                      HARRY PINKERSON

FRANK H. MALLEY, *Director*  
DIETER HAMMERSCHLAG, *Chief Planner*

*Suite 103, City Hall,  
Providence 3, Rhode Island*

November 16, 1960

Committee on Public Works  
City Hall  
Providence, Rhode Island

SUBJECT: Referral No. 1187 - ABANDONMENT OF BYRON STREET

Gentlemen:

The subject referral received consideration by the City Plan Commission at a meeting held on Tuesday, November 15, 1960.

This referral is a request to abandon Byron Street as a public highway.

On an inspection and photographic survey it was determined that excavation of the street had taken place centrally and both extremes were curbed and paved but unopened for public use.

Since Byron Street has been included in the first development phase of the Weybosset Hill area of the Downtown Master Plan providing Public Housing for the Elderly, and the street abandonment is incidental to its development and will not effect the existing or proposed freeway circulation system,

The Commission

VOTED: To offer no objection to the granting of this petition.

Very truly yours,

FRANK H. MALLEY  
DIRECTOR  
CITY PLAN COMMISSION

FHM:MMH

c.c. Councilman William A. Gray  
Councilman Russell J. Boyle

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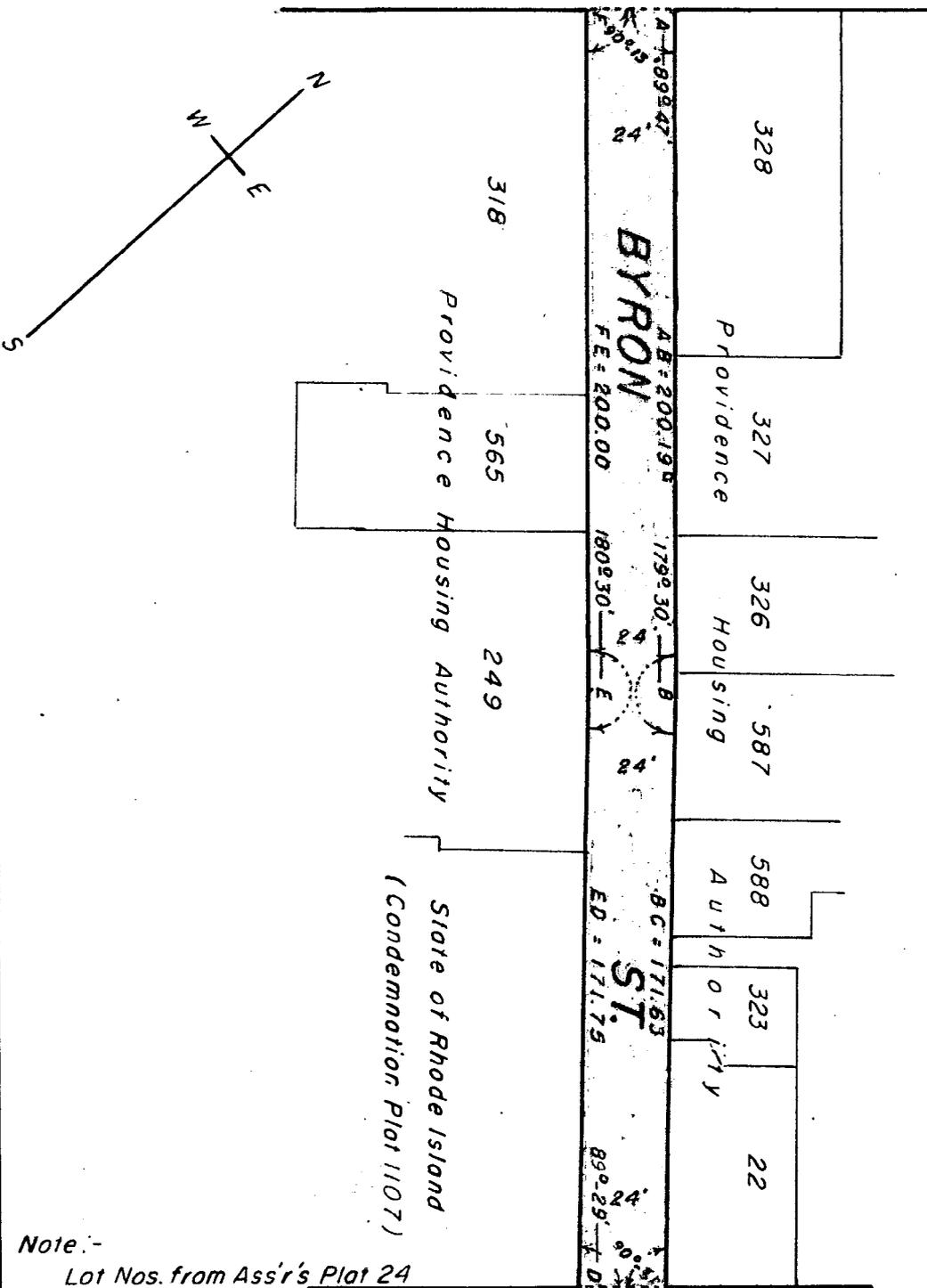
CITY CLERK'S OFFICE  
PROVIDENCE, R.I.

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February 6, 1961

SHADED AREA TO BE  
ABANDONED.

BROAD ST.



Note:-

Lot Nos. from Ass'r's Plot 24

PINE ST.

Proposed Abandonment  
of Byron St

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1" = 50' EAK.  
2-6-61

*Robert Small*

# RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL

No. 235

Approved April 7, 1961

Resolved, Decreed and Ordered

**That** the portion of Berkshire Street from Salina Street to Cornwall Street which has been conveyed to the City of Providence for highway purposes by deeds duly acknowledged and recorded is hereby declared a public highway to be repaired at the expense of the City and the remaining portion of Berkshire Street from Salina Street to Cornwall Street is hereby established as a public highway pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 1549 of the Public Laws of 1917.

IN CITY COUNCIL

APR 6 - 1961

READ and PASSED

*Edward D. Quigley*  
President  
*Robert W. Clark*  
Clerk

APPROVED

APR 7 1961

*Matthew J. Reynolds*  
MAYOR

RESOLUTION  
OF THE  
CITY COUNCIL

# RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL

No. 236

Approved April 7, 1961

Resolved, Decreed and Ordered

**That** the Director of Public Works is hereby directed to cause Berkshire Street from Salina Street to Cornwall Street to be brought to the established or defined grade at the expense of the abutting owners thereof.

IN CITY COUNCIL

APR 6 - 1961

READ and PASSED

*Edward P. Coughlin*  
President

*Robert W. Hill*  
Clerk

APPROVED

APR 7 1961

*Matt H. Reynolds*  
MAYOR

RESOLUTION  
OF THE  
CITY COUNCIL

THE CITY OF PROVIDENCE  
STATE OF RHODE ISLAND AND PROVIDENCE PLANTATIONS

RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL

No. 237

Approved April 7, 1961

Resolved, Decreed and Ordered

That the curbing be set on Berkshire  
Street from Salina Street to Cornwall Street.

IN CITY COUNCIL

APR 6 - 1961

READ and PASSED

*Edward P. Chappell*  
President

*Everett Whelan*  
Clerk

APPROVED

APR 7 1961

*Walter H. Reynolds*  
MAYOR

RESOLUTION  
OF THE  
CITY COUNCIL

THE CITY OF PROVIDENCE

CITY SERGEANT'S OFFICE

**THIS IS TO CERTIFY**, That I have caused the notice, of which a true copy is hereto annexed, to be served upon the following named persons, by handing to each of said persons, or by leaving at their last and usual place of abode in this State a true copy of said notice, to wit: **BERKSHIRE STREET**, from Salina Street to Cornwall Street:

declare and establish as a public highway; bring to the established or defined grade at the expense of the abutting owners; curbing be set at the expense of the abutting owners.

<u>Plat</u>	<u>Lot</u>	<u>Name</u>	<u>Address</u>
76	142	Anthony V. Naturale & wf. Julia	77 Salina Street, City
"	✓145	New England Milk Producers Association	172 Berkshire Street, City
"	147	"	"
"	148	Angela Lepore	176 Berkshire Street, City
"	149	"	"
"	150	The Narragansett Electric Co.	15 Westminster Street, City
"	133	"	"
"	135	Clara C. Smith & Marion N. Malama	181 Berkshire Street, City
"	136	Louis J. Johnston	173 Berkshire Street, City
"	137	Louis J. Johnston, Ellen J. Fagan and Mary C. Barr	173 Berkshire Street, City
"	138	Domenico S. DeCesare & wf. Maria I.	47 Sussex Street, City
"	139	"	"
"	141	Petronilla & Anthony Catanese	73 Salina Street, City

Date 3/13/61

*Harry Ackerman*  
Signature  
*Dep City Sergeant*

Legal advertisement inserted in Providence Journal editions of March 8, 15 and 22, 1961.

# RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL

No. 238

Approved April 7, 1961

**Resolved,** Decreed and Ordered

**That** the portion of Cornwall Street from the southerly line of Berkshire Street to Longmont Street which has been conveyed to the City of Providence for highway purposes by deeds duly acknowledged and recorded is hereby declared a public highway to be repaired at the expense of the City and the remaining portion of Cornwall Street from the southerly line of Berkshire Street to Longmont Street is hereby established as a public highway pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 1549 of the Public Laws of 1917.

IN CITY COUNCIL

APR 6 - 1961

READ and PASSED

*Edward P. Coughlin*  
.....  
President  
*Robert A. Chelan*  
.....  
Clerk

APPROVED

APR 7 1961

*Walter H. Reynolds*  
.....  
MAYOR

RESOLUTION  
OF THE  
CITY COUNCIL

# RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL

No. 239

Approved April 7, 1961

Resolved, Decreed and Ordered

That the Director of Public Works is hereby directed to cause Cornwall Street from the southerly line of Berkshire Street to Longmont Street to be brought to the established or defined grade at the expense of the abutting owners thereof.

IN CITY COUNCIL

APR 6 - 1961

READ and PASSED

*Edward P. Quigley*  
President

*Robert J. Chelton*  
Clerk

APPROVED

APR 7 1961

*Nathan H. Reynolds*  
MAYOR

RESOLUTION  
OF THE  
CITY COUNCIL

# RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL

No. 240

Approved April 7, 1961

Resolved, Decreed and Ordered

That the curbing be set on Cornwall Street  
from the southerly line of Berkshire Street to Longmont Street.

IN CITY COUNCIL

APR 6 - 1961

READ and PASSED

*Edward P. Chugley*  
.....  
President

*Robert J. Whelan*  
.....  
Clerk

APPROVED

APR 7 1961

*Nathan H. Reynolds*  
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MAYOR

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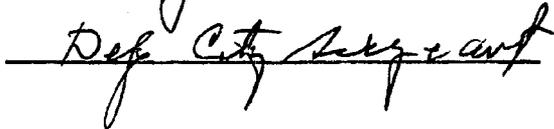
CITY SERGEANT'S OFFICE

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declare and establish as a public highway;  
bring to the established or defined grade  
at the expense of the abutting owners;  
curbing be set at the expense of the abutting  
owners.

<u>Plat</u>	<u>Lot</u>	<u>Name</u>	<u>Address</u>
76	511	Anna C. & Americo R. Lopardo	69 Longmont Street, City
	150	Narragansett Electric Co.	15 Westminster Street

Date 3/13/61

  
Signature  


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