

CITY OF PROVIDENCE
RHODE ISLAND



CITY COUNCIL
JOURNAL OF PROCEEDINGS

No. 87 City Council Regular Meeting, Thursday, June 7, 1990, 7:30 o'clock P.M. (E.D.T.)

In the absence of Council President Easton
and in accordance with Rule 1 of the Rules
of the City Council, the Senior Member,
Councilman Thomas M. Glavin Presides.

COUNCILMAN THOMAS M. GLAVIN

ACTING PRESIDENT

IN THE CHAIR

IN CITY COUNCIL

JUN 21 1990

APPROVED:

Michael R. Chant CLERK
First Deputy

ROLL CALL

Present: Councilmen Annaldo, Clarkin,
Dillon, Councilwoman Fagnoli, Council-
men Glavin, Igliozi, Lombardi, Lopes, and
Councilwoman Young—9.

Absent: Council President Easton, Coun-
cilman Cola, Councilwoman DiRuzzo, Coun-
cilmen Farmer, Petrosinelli, and Rollins—
6.

Subsequently, Council President Easton
joins the City Council Meeting.

INVOCATION

The Invocation is given by COUNCILMAN
DAVID G. DILLON.

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

COUNCILMAN DONALD J. LOPES 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. 86 of the
Regular Meeting of the City Council held
May 17, 1990, and Posted May 29, 1990, on
that Bulletin Board located on the Ground
Floor Level of City Hall, are Severally
Approved, on motion of COUNCILWOMAN
FARGNOLI, seconded by COUNCILMAN
DILLON.

APPOINTMENT BY HIS HONOR THE MAYOR

Communication, dated May 30, 1990, informing the Honorable City Council that pursuant to Section 302(b) of the Providence Home Rule Charter of 1980, he is this day reappointing Joseph Mollicone of 145 Blackstone Boulevard, Providence, Rhode Island, as a Member of the Convention Center Authority for a term to expire in June of 1994.

May 30, 1990

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

Dear Honorable Members:

Pursuant to Section 302(b) of the Providence Home Rule Charter of 1980, I am this day reappointing Joseph Mollicone of 145 Blackstone Boulevard, Providence, Rhode Island, as a Member of the Convention Center Authority for a term to expire in June of 1994.

Respectfully submitted,

JOSEPH R. PAOLINO, JR.,
Mayor of Providence

Received.

SCHEDULE OF BILLS

FROM CITY CONTROLLER:

Street Lighting Bills from Narragansett Electric Company for April, 1990 in the amount of One Hundred Eleven Thousand, Two Hundred Ninety-Five Dollars and Seventy-Two Cents (\$111,295.72) and May, 1990 in the amount of One Hundred Ten Thousand, Twenty-Two Dollars and Forty-Three Cents (\$110,022.43).

Severally Approved, on motion of COUNCILWOMAN FARGNOLI, seconded by COUNCILMAN DILLON, by the following Roll Call Vote:

Ayes: Acting Council President Glavin, Councilmen Annaldo, Clarkin, Dillon, Councilwoman Fargnoli, Councilmen Igliozzi, Lombardi, Lopes and Councilwoman Young—9.

Noes: None.

Absent: Council President Easton, Councilman Cola, Councilwoman DiRuzzo, Councilmen Farmer, Petrosinelli and Rollins—6.

The motion for Approval is Sustained.

PRESENTATION OF RESOLUTIONS

COUNCIL PRESIDENT EASTON (By Request):

Resolution requesting the Traffic Engineer to prohibit motor vehicle traffic along Sassafras Street, from Broad Street to Savings Street, on Saturday, June 30, 1990, from 10:00 o'clock A.M. to 9:00 o'clock P.M. to accommodate a Neighborhood Block Party.

Resolved, That the Traffic Engineer is requested to prohibit motor vehicle traffic along Sassafras Street, from Broad Street to Savings Street, on Saturday, June 30, 1990, from 10:00 o'clock A.M. to 9:00 o'clock P.M. to accommodate a Neighborhood Block Party.

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

The motion for Passage is Sustained.

COUNCILMAN CLARKIN (By Request):

Resolution of the Providence City Council endorsing Senate Bill S 1880 presently pending before the Senate of the United States, Committee on Commerce, Science and Transportation, entitled "Cable Television Consumer Protection Act of 1989."

Referred to the Committee on Finance, on motion of COUNCILWOMAN FARGNOLI, seconded by COUNCILMAN DILLON.

The motion to Refer is Sustained.

Resolution Requesting the Traffic Engineer to cause the installation of "No Parking—Tow Zone" Signs along the Point Street Bridge.

Resolved, That the Traffic Engineer is requested to cause the installation of "No Parking—Tow Zone" Signs along the Point Street Bridge.

Resolution Requesting the Director of the Division of Grounds Maintenance to cause Trees to be Planted along Ives Street, from Wickenden Street to Preston Street.

Resolved, That the Director of the Division of Grounds Maintenance is requested to cause Trees to be Planted along Ives Street, from Wickenden Street to Preston Street.

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

The motion for Passage is Sustained.

COUNCILMAN COLA (By Request):

Resolution Approving Manton Heights Roads as Public Rights-of-Way.

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

The motion to Refer is Sustained.

COUNCILWOMAN FARGNOLI:

Resolution of the City Council expressing their sincere best wishes to Ann Carson for a complete and speedy recovery from her recent illness.

Resolved, That the Members of the City Council hereby express their sincere best wishes to Ann Carson for a complete and speedy recovery from her recent illness.

the newly renovated Parks the evening of July 3rd and the Fourth of July, to avoid damage and vandalism.

Resolved, That the Chief of the Police Department is requested to order Special Details to patrol the newly renovated Parks the evening of July 3rd and the Fourth of July, to avoid damage and vandalism.

COUNCILWOMAN FARGNOLI (By Request):

Resolution Requesting the Traffic Engineer to study the feasibility of causing the installation of a "Stop" Sign on Eaton Street, at its intersection with Smith Street.

Resolved, That the Traffic Engineer is requested to study the feasibility of causing the installation of a "Stop" Sign on Eaton Street, at its intersection with Smith Street.

COUNCILMAN IGLIOZZI (By Request):

Resolution Requesting the Chief of the Police Department to cause a Radar Unit to be placed along Petteys Avenue, between the hours of 5:00 o'clock P.M. and 7:00 o'clock P.M. to discourage apparent violations of the Legal Speed Limit.

Resolved, That the Chief of the Police Department is requested to cause a Radar Unit to be placed along Petteys Avenue, between the hours of 5:00 o'clock P.M. and 7:00 o'clock P.M. to discourage apparent violations of the Legal Speed Limit.

Resolution Requesting the Director of Public Works to cause the installation of a Drain Basin along 79-81 Samoset Avenue, due to flooding problems.

Resolved, That the Director of Public Works is requested to cause the installation of a Drain Basin along 79-81 Samoset Avenue, due to flooding problems.

Resolution Requesting the Director of the State Department of Transportation to cause the installation of Traffic Signal Lights at the Intersections of Petteys Avenue and Killingly Street and Union Avenue and Plainfield Street.

Resolved, That the Director of the State Department of Transportation is requested to cause the installation of Traffic Signal Lights at the Intersections of Petteys Avenue and Killingly Street and Union Avenue and Plainfield Street.

Resolution Requesting the Chief of the Police Department to order Special Details to patrol

Resolution Requesting the Chief Electrical Inspector to order the installation of a Street Light on Pole No. 1, located along Moorefield Street.

Resolved, That the Chief Electrical Inspector to order the installation of a Street Light on Pole No. 1, located along Moorefield Street.

Department to increase the Police Patrol along DePasquale Avenue and Federal Street, due to the high crime rate.

Resolved, That the Commissioner of Public Safety and the Chief of the Police Department is requested to increase the Police Patrol along DePasquale Avenue and Federal Street, due to the high crime rate.

Resolution Requesting the Director of Public Works to cause the installation of a Guard Rail along 311 Plainfield Street.

Resolved, That the Director of Public Works is requested to cause the installation of a Guard Rail along 311 Plainfield Street, due to numerous vehicles damaging the storefront.

Resolution Requesting the Chief Electrical Inspector to upgrade the street lighting along Spruce Street and DePasquale Plaza.

Resolved, That the Chief Electrical Inspector is requested to upgrade the street lighting along Spruce Street and DePasquale Plaza.

COUNCILMAN LOMBARDI and COUNCILMAN CLARKIN (By Request):

Resolution Requesting the Director of Public Works to cause Handicap Corners to be Cut along each Corner of 1 Green Street and 4 Cathedral Square.

Resolved, That the Director of Public Works is requested to cause Handicap Corners to be Cut along each Corner of 1 Green Street and 4 Cathedral Square, between the Blue Cross Building and the Telephone Company.

Resolution Requesting New England Telephone Company to cause the Two Telephones in DePasquale Plaza to be removed and replaced with New Ones.

Resolved, That the New England Telephone Company to cause the Two (2) Telephones in DePasquale Plaza to be removed and replaced with New Ones.

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

The motion for Passage is Sustained.

Resolution Requesting the Commissioner of Public Safety and the Chief of the Police

**ACTING COUNCIL PRESIDENT
GLAVIN at this time Relinquishes the Chair
to COUNCIL PRESIDENT EASTON who is
Now Present.**

COUNCILMAN LOPES:

Resolution Requesting the Traffic Engineer to cause the installation of Four-Way "Stop" Signs at the Intersection of Savoy Street and Morris Avenue.

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

The motion to Refer is Sustained.

Resolution Requesting the Traffic Engineer to prohibit Motor Vehicle Traffic along Vassar Street, from Elmgrove Avenue to Morris Avenue on Saturday, June 24, 1990 from 11:00 o'clock A.M. to 9:00 o'clock P.M., to Accommodate a Neighborhood Block Party.

Resolved, That the Traffic Engineer is requested to prohibit Motor Vehicle Traffic along Vassar Street, from Elmgrove Avenue to Morris Avenue on Saturday, June 24, 1990 from 11:00 o'clock A.M. to 9:00 o'clock P.M., to Accommodate a Neighborhood Block Party.

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

The motion for Passage is Sustained.

COUNCILMAN PETROSINELLI, COUNCILMAN ANNALDO, and COUNCILMAN LOMBARDI:

Resolution of the City Council designating the Section of Charles Street, bounded by Quarry, Peter and Social Streets, as "Saint Anthony Society Square."

Referred to the Committee on Urban Redevelopment, Renewal and Planning, on motion of COUNCILMAN GLAVIN, seconded by COUNCILMAN DILLON.

The motion to Refer is Sustained.

COUNCILMAN PETROSINELLI (By Request):

Resolution Requesting the Traffic Engineer to Prohibit Motor Vehicle Traffic along Charles Street, between Peter Street and Hawkins Street, on Sunday, June 10, 1990, between the hours of 9:30 o'clock A.M. and 11:30 o'clock A.M. to Accommodate Saint Ann's Church Procession.

Resolved, That the Traffic Engineer is requested to Prohibit Motor Vehicle Traffic along Charles Street, between Peter Street and Hawkins Street, on Sunday, June 10, 1990, between the hours of 9:30 o'clock A.M. and 11:30 o'clock A.M. to Accommodate Saint Ann's Church Procession.

COUNCILWOMAN YOUNG (By Request):

Resolution Requesting the Director of Public Works to cause certain sewers in the Eleventh Ward to be Cleaned.

Resolved, That the Director of Public Works is hereby requested to cause the following Sewers to be Cleaned:

Corner of Woodman and Bucklin Streets

Broad and Public Streets

Harvard Avenue and Broad Street

Dartmouth Avenue and Broad Street (both sides)

Parkis Avenue and Broad Street

Friendship and Blackstone Streets

Taylor and Public Streets

Prairie Avenue and Pearl Street

Dudley Street and Prairie Avenue

Blackstone Street and Prairie Avenue (both sides)

Comstock Street and Prairie Avenue

Robinson Street and Prairie Avenue

Chester Avenue and Prairie Avenue

Corner of Hamilton and Public Streets/sewer is next to yellow house at 645 Public Street

Corner of Potters Avenue and Hamilton Street (both sides)

Corner of Hamilton and Stanwood Streets

Corner of Cranston and Harrison Streets.

Resolution Requesting the Chief of the Police Department to undertake a survey of the Speeding Violations along Moore Street.

Resolved, that the Chief of the Police Department is requested to undertake a survey of the Speeding Violations along Moore Street.

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

The motion for Passage is Sustained.

Resolution authorizing the City Collector to cause taxes to be abated on that property under the S.W.A.P. Program, located along 59-61 Bellevue Avenue, in the amount of Six Thousand, Sixty-Three Dollars and Thirty-Three Cents (\$6,063.33) in accordance with the application filed by Enrique Frias.

Referred to the Committee on Finance, on motion of COUNCILMAN GLAVIN, seconded by COUNCILWOMAN FARGNOLI.

The motion to Refer is Sustained.

COUNCILWOMAN YOUNG, COUNCIL PRESIDENT EASTON, COUNCILMAN ROLLINS, COUNCILMAN LOPES, COUNCILMAN DILLON, COUNCILMAN ANNALDO, COUNCILMAN CLARKIN, COUNCILMAN COLA, COUNCILWOMAN DiRUZZO, COUNCILWOMAN FARGNOLI, COUNCILMAN FARMER, COUNCILMAN GLAVIN, COUNCILMAN IGLIOZZI, COUNCILMAN LOMBARDI and COUNCILMAN PETROSINELLI:

Resolution of the City Council endorsing the Joint Resolution before the General Assembly requesting the Attorney General, the Rhode Island Congressional Delegation, the General Treasurer and the State Investment Commission, to take action regarding Redlining Practices and Branch Bank Closings.

Whereas, A Joint Resolution has been presented to the City Council requesting the Attorney General, the Rhode Island Congressional Delegation, the General Treasurer, and the State

Investment Commission to take action regarding redlining practices and branch bank closings,

Now, therefore, be it Resolved, That the Members of the Providence City Council hereby endorse that Joint Resolution presently pending before the Committee on Finance.

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

The motion for Passage is Sustained.

REPORTS FROM COMMITTEES

COUNCILMAN DAVID G. DILLON, Chairman

COMMITTEE ON FINANCE

Transmits the following with Recommendation the Same be Severally Adopted:

An Ordinance in Amendment of Chapter 1989-12, approved June 22, 1989, entitled: "An Ordinance Making an Appropriation of Two Hundred Thirty-Three Million, Forty-Seven Thousand, Seven Hundred Sixty-Three Dollars (\$233,047,763.00) for the Fiscal Year ending June 30, 1990."

Read and Passed, the First Time, on motion of COUNCILMAN GLAVIN, seconded by COUNCILWOMAN FARGNOLI, by the following Roll Call Vote:

Ayes: Council President Easton, Councilmen Clarkin, Dillon, Councilwoman Fargnoli, Councilmen Glavin, Igliozi, Lombardi, Lopes and Councilwoman Young—9.

Noes: None.

Absent: Councilmen Annaldo, Cola, Councilwoman DiRuzzo, Councilmen Farmer, Petrosinelli and Rollins—6.

The motion for Passage the First Time is Sustained.

Resolution that the City Council selects Ernst & Young to complete the Audit of the City Departments and Funds in accordance with their proposal submitted.

Resolved, That the City Council hereby selects Ernst & Young, 50 Kennedy Plaza, Providence, Rhode Island 02903, to complete the audit of city departments and funds in accordance with their

proposal submitted to the Committee on Finance of the City Council with federal and other funds or departments reported both jointly and separately where required for the following years at fees not to exceed the following, respectively:

June 30, 1990 — \$125,000

June 30, 1991 — \$133,000

June 30, 1992 — \$140,000

And be it further Resolved, That the hourly rates for Ernst & Young's professional staff for additional work through December 31, 1990 are as follows:

Staff Auditor — \$50.00

Senior Auditor — \$80.00

Senior Engineer — \$130.00

Partner — \$190.00

Read and Passed, on motion of COUNCILMAN GLAVIN, seconded by COUNCILWOMAN FARGNOLI, by the following Roll Call Vote:

Ayes: Council President Easton, Councilmen Annaldo, Clarkin, Dillon, Councilwoman Fargnoli, Councilmen Glavin, Igliozi, Lombardi and Councilwoman Young—9.

Noes: None.

Absent: Councilman Cola, Councilwoman DiRuzzo, Councilmen Farmer, Lopes, Petrosinelli and Rollins—6.

The motion for Passage is Sustained.

AT EASE

COUNCIL PRESIDENT EASTON
declares the Council Stand at Ease at 8:25
o'clock P.M.

RECONVENTION

COUNCIL PRESIDENT EASTON recon-
venes the City Council at 8:27 o'clock P.M.
and directs the Clerk to record that there
is a Quorum Present.

Resolution that the City Council of the City of Providence requests that the Rhode Island General Assembly enact 90-H 8695 entitled: "An Act Relating to Municipal Public Buildings Authorities — Eminent Domain Proceedings."

Resolved, That the City Council of the City of Providence requests that the General Assembly enact 90-H 8695 entitled: "An Act Relating to Municipal Public Buildings Authorities — Eminent Domain Proceedings."

Resolution that the City Council of the City of Providence requests that the Rhode Island General Assembly enact 90-H 4069 entitled: "An Act Relating to the Hurricane Barrier in the City of Providence."

Resolved, That the City Council of the City of Providence requests that the Rhode Island General Assembly enact 90-H 4069 entitled: "An Act Relating to the Hurricane Barrier in the City of Providence."

Resolution that the City Council of the City of Providence requests that the Rhode Island General Assembly enact 90-H 4084 entitled: "An Act Relating to the Licensing of Hawkers and Peddlers in the City of Providence."

Resolved, That the City Council of the City of Providence requests that the Rhode Island General Assembly enact 90-H 4084 entitled: "An Act Relating to the Licensing of Hawkers and Peddlers in the City of Providence."

Resolution that the City Council of the City of

Providence requests that the Rhode Island General Assembly enact 90-H 9820 entitled: "An Act Relating to Historical Area Zoning."

Resolved, That the City Council of the City of Providence requests that the Rhode Island General Assembly enact 90-H 9820 entitled: "An Act Relating to Historical Area Zoning."

Resolution that the City Council of the City of Providence requests that the Rhode Island General Assembly enact 90-H 4146 entitled: "An Act Relating to the State Building Code — Hazardous Buildings."

Resolved, That the City Council of the City of Providence requests that the Rhode Island General Assembly enact 90-H 4146 entitled: "An Act Relating to the State Building Code — Hazardous Buildings."

Resolution, together with accompanying copy of Collective Bargaining Agreement by and between the City of Providence and Providence Local 799, International Association of Firefighters, beginning July 1, 1990 and ending June 30, 1992.

Resolution, together with accompanying copy of Collective Bargaining Agreement by and between the City of Providence and Providence Local 799, International Association of Firefighters, beginning July 1, 1990 and ending June 30, 1992.

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

The motion for Passage is Sustained.

The following is transmitted with Recommendation of Adoption as Amended:

Resolution Approving the proposal of the Mayor requesting authority to use its best efforts to develop the Municipal Buildings and Facilities Rehabilitation Program which shall include, but not be limited to, renovations and improvements to City Hall, including but not limited to, furnishing and installing a smoke evacuation system, upgrading electrical systems, repairing the foundation and sidewalks and repairs to the roof, renovations to fire stations, repairs to City swimming pools and recreation centers, and development of an elderly education center at Camp Cronin.

Whereas, the Providence Public Buildings Authority (the "Authority") was constituted as a body corporate and politic of the City of Providence pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 50 of Title 45 of the General Laws of Rhode Island (the "Act") and a resolution duly passed by this City Council on August 13, 1987; and

Whereas, the Authority's creation was approved by the Public Finance Management Board on February 12, 1988; and

Whereas, the Authority may now duly transact its business of acquiring and constructing public facilities and acquiring public equipment; maintaining, renovating, repairing and operating the same; and issuing its revenue bonds and/or notes to finance the public facilities and public equipment; and

Whereas, the Authority may develop its projects only upon request of the Mayor and the City Council; and

Whereas, such request must take the form of a proposal by the Mayor approved by the City Council; and

Whereas, the Mayor has submitted the proposal attached hereto as Exhibit "A" for the City Council's approval;

Now, therefor, be it Resolved,

1. That the City Council hereby approves the Proposal of the Mayor dated _____, (the "Proposal") which, among other things, requests the Authority to use its best efforts to develop the Municipal Buildings and Facilities Rehabilitation Program which shall include, but not be limited to, renovations and improvements to City Hall, including but not limited to, furnishing and installing a smoke evacuation system, upgrading electrical systems, repairing the foundation and sidewalks and repairs to the roof; renovations to fire stations; repairs to City swimming pools and recreation centers; and development of an elderly education center at Camp Cronin (the "Project"), provided, however, that the Authority shall initially be restricted to expend no more than 1.5 million dollars of the proceeds for architectural and engineering as well as any other preliminary studies and within 120 days of passage, shall report in writing to the City Council as to the priorities of the projects and a timetable for completion of the projects and thereafter at intervals of not more than 120 days reporting their progress.

2. That the President of City Council be, and he hereby is, authorized to execute the Proposal and to deliver it to the Authority.

3. That the City Council hereby approves the transfer of the real property and equipment described on Exhibit "B" to the Authority.

4. That the City Council hereby authorizes the Mayor to negotiate and lease the Project from the Authority.

5. That the Mayor be, and he hereby is, authorized to take any and all action and to execute, file and deliver any and all agreements, notes, deeds, leases and other documents as he, in his sole discretion, may deem necessary or desirable to implement the transaction contemplated by the Proposal.

6. That this Resolution shall take effect upon passage.

Read and Passed, on motion of COUNCILMAN GLAVIN, seconded by COUNCILWOMAN FARGNOLI, by the following Roll Call Vote:

Ayes: Council President Easton, Councilmen Clarkin, Dillon, Councilwoman Farg-

noli, Councilmen Glavin, Igliozi, Lombardi and Councilwoman Young—8.

Noes: None.

Absent: Councilmen Annaldo, Cola, Councilwoman DiRuzzo, Councilmen Farmer, Lopes, Petrosinelli and Rollins—7.

The motion for Passage is Sustained.

The following is transmitted with Recommendation the Same be Received:

General Purpose Financial Statements and Schedules for Fiscal Year ended June 30, 1989, together with Independent Auditors' Report from K P M G Peat Marwick.

Received.

AT EASE

COUNCIL PRESIDENT EASTON declares the Council stand at Ease at 8:30 o'clock P.M.

RECONVENTION

COUNCIL PRESIDENT EASTON Reconvenes the City Council at 8:45 o'clock P.M. and directs the Clerk to record that there is a Quorum Present.

**COUNCILWOMAN JOSEPHINE DiRUZZO, Chairwoman
COMMITTEE ON URBAN REDEVELOPMENT,
RENEWAL AND PLANNING**

Transmits the following with Recommendation the Same be Adopted, as Amended:

Resolution Authorizing the City Council of the City of Providence, Rhode Island, to file a Statement of Objectives and Funding under the Housing and Community Development Act.

Referred Back to Committee on Urban Redevelopment, Renewal and Planning, on motion of COUNCILMAN GLAVIN, seconded by COUNCILWOMAN FARGNOLI.

The motion for Referral Back to Committee is Sustained.

Resolution Requesting the Providence Redevelopment Agency, through the Community Development Block Grant, to allocate lag funds from the Social Program to F.A.C.T.S.

Whereas, the Providence Redevelopment Agency, through the Community Development Block Grant, may have lag funds from the Social Programs for the Program Year 15 (1989-1990);

Whereas, the Committee on Urban Redevelopment, Renewal and Planning of the City Council, would request that the Providence Redevelopment Agency, through the Community Development Block Grant, in the allocation of any existing lag funds from the Social Programs for the Program Year 15, give priority for allocation of any said lag funds to Family Aids Center and Treatment Services (FACTS), located at 239 Oxford Street, Providence, Rhode Island;

Now, therefor, be it Resolved, that authority is granted to Providence Redevelopment Agency through the Community Development Block Grant to give priority allocation of lag funds from Social Programs, for the Program Year 15 to the organization known as Family Aids Center and Treatment Services (FACTS) located at 239 Oxford Street, Providence, Rhode Island.

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

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 Collector (Nos. 60, 61 and 62) Recommending the Same be Severally

Cancelled pursuant to the provisions of Section 44-7-11 of the General Laws of the State of Rhode

Island, 1956 as Amended, inasmuch as the same have been determined to be Uncollectible.

Ayes: Council President Easton, Councilmen Clarkin, Dillon, Councilwoman Fagnoli, Councilmen Glavin, Igliazzi, Lombardi and Councilwoman Young—8.

Noes: None.

Certificates from the City Assessor (39T and 40T) 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.

Absent: Councilmen Annaldo, Cola, Councilwoman DiRuzzo, Councilmen Farmer, Lopes, Petrosinelli and Rollins—7.

The motion for Approval is Sustained.

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

REPORTS

FROM THE CITY CONTROLLER:

Monthly Financial Report for April, 1990.

Received.

FROM THE PROVIDENCE HISTORIC DISTRICT COMMISSION:

Annual Reports for the Years January 1, 1986 - September 30, 1986, October 1, 1987 - September 30, 1988, October 1, 1988 - September 30, 1989, together with the Commission's Design Review Standards.

Severally Received.

FROM THE PORT DIRECTOR:

Report for April, 1990.

Received.

FROM THE CLERK'S DESK

Petition of Rhode Island Hospital requesting a perpetual easement be granted to construct, maintain, repair and replace a bridge and enclosed pedestrian walkway over and across Dudley Street for the purpose of connecting the medical mall with existing hospital buildings.

The motion to Refer is Sustained.

Petition of the Providence Journal to install Two (2) Benches on the Sidewalk at the New Main Entrance/Lobby at 75 Fountain Street, The Providence Journal Building.

Petition of Robert Nikolian of 88 Seamans Street to Abandon a Portion of Hymer Street.

Referred to Committee on Public Works, on motion of COUNCILMAN GLAVIN, seconded by COUNCILWOMAN FARGNOLI.

The motion to Refer is Sustained.

Petition of Rhode Island Hospital Trust National Bank to construct a Ramp to Allow Handicapped Access into its Building located at 15 Westminster Street.

Petitions for Compensation for Injuries and Damages, viz:

Abington Casualty Ins. Co., as sub. of Felix Montanez

Severally Referred to Committee on Public Works, on motion of COUNCILMAN GLAVIN, seconded by COUNCILWOMAN FARGNOLI.

American Int. Recovery, as sub. of T. Edderson

The motion to Refer is Sustained.

Auto Club Insurance

Elda A. Capece

Patricia Crocker

Katherine Croteau

Petition of Jake Kaplan's Ltd., to Change from an R-3 General Residence Zone to a C-4 Heavy Commercial Zone, Lot 318 on City Assessor's Plat 44, located between Wesleyan Avenue and Dartmouth Avenue.

Cheryl A. D'Arezzo

Daniel M. DeAndrade

Fred Farland

Referred to Committee on Ordinances, on motion of COUNCILMAN GLAVIN, seconded by COUNCILWOMAN FARGNOLI.

Judy Gordon, p.p.a. Bobby

Angela R. Hill

Mario Igetti

Felicia Johnson vs. Hope High School

Metropolitan Prop. & Liab. a/s/o Julie M. Marantz

Albert E. Norato

Roberto Petrucci

Emily Picerne

Nancy Prete

Rosalie D. Preziosi

Christina Sabourin

Kathleen A. Santos

Celia Tolman

Travelers Ins., as sub. of Abigail Zcziesse

Susanne Vetromile

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

The motion to Refer, is Sustained.

PERSONAL PRIVILEGE

COUNCILMAN CLARKIN Requests and is Granted the Privilege of the Floor and Speaks on a Point of Personal Privilege as follows:

"Tonight, at 5:30 before the Council Meeting, four blocks from my house, a man was beat up and his car windows were smashed, a crowd of about 80 people gathered. And, at one of my first City Council meetings, this City Council passed an Ordinance that approved walking police officers in the neighborhood.

The response time of the Providence Police is very good, but I do not want them to just respond, I want them to prevent the crime in the neighborhood.

I, myself have been patrolling the neighborhood before I go to bed at night at 1:00 o'clock or 2:00 o'clock in the morning and when I call the police, the response time is within 2 to 4 minutes and I have no problem with that, but I would like them to be there walking in the neighborhood, preventing crime, rather than responding to it."

PRESENTATION OF RESOLUTIONS

"In Memoriam"

COUNCIL PRESIDENT EASTON 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:

Sister Marie Flynn

Marjorie S. Plunkett

John D. Reynolds

Henry J. Gosselin

Hermance R. Lavalley

Domenic Santaniello

William H. Gregson, Jr.

Gelsomina Giacchi

Dorothy Michael

John Lopes

Angelo Volpe

David M. Arena

Ina Goldman

Beatrice Kornstein

Julia M. Lopes

Filomena Caruolo

Joseph Corvese, Sr.

Carmine Marciaro

Maria Palmisciano

Mary T. Martin

Ida T. Bellini

Linda Hartley

Gennaro F. Parrillo

Bernice M. Lessard

Dora D. Lombardi

Rev. Joseph B. Hanrahan

Louis Cotugno

Walter H. Weinberg

Joseph D'Antuono

Palma Pinto

William E. Robinson

Antonio Regine

Thomas G. Gattone

Mary Petrella

Mary C. Izzo

John J. Murray

Evelyn L. Ellingwood

Stephen H. Smith

Maria G. Famiglietti

Faustino J. Silva

by a Unanimous Rising Vote, on motion of
COUNCILMAN GLAVIN, seconded by
COUNCILWOMAN FARGNOLI.

Severally Read and Collectively Passed, The motion for Passage is Sustained.

MATTERS NOT APPEARING ON THE PRINTED DOCKET

On motion of COUNCILMAN GLAVIN,
seconded by COUNCILWOMAN FARG-
NOLI, it is Voted to Suspend Rule 18 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 ORDINANCES

COUNCIL PRESIDENT EASTON:

The motion to Refer is Sustained.

An Ordinance Amending Section C of Chapter 1342, approved August 5, 1960, entitled: "An Ordinance Amending Chapter 544 of the Ordinances of the City of Providence, Approved September 21, 1951," as Amended, by Article VI-A, entitled: "Historic District Zoning" creating the Shepard's Building District in addition to the Historic Armory District, the Historic College Hill District, the Historic Stimson Avenue District and the Historic Broadway District, as Amended."

Referred to Committee on Ordinances, on motion of COUNCILMAN GLAVIN, seconded by COUNCILWOMAN FARGNOLI.

COUNCILMAN GLAVIN and COUNCIL
PRESIDENT EASTON (By Request):

An Ordinance to Provide a Supplemental Retirement Benefit for Class A Retirees of the Employees' Retirement System of the City of Providence.

Referred to Committee on Finance, on

motion of COUNCILMAN GLAVIN, second-
ed by COUNCILWOMAN FARGNOLI.

The motion to Refer is Sustained.

PRESENTATION OF RESOLUTION

COUNCILMAN CLARKIN and COUNCIL-
MAN LOPES:

Resolution Requesting the Board of Governors of
the Boys' Clubs of America to delay their
decision of appointing the New Director for the
Fox Point Boys' Club until such time as the
Community has been involved in the process.

Resolved, the Board of Governors of the Boys'
Clubs of America are hereby requested to delay

their decision of appointing the New Director for
the Fox Point Boys' Club until such time as the
Community has been involved in the process.

**Read and Passed, on motion of COUNCIL-
MAN GLAVIN, seconded by COUNCILWO-
MAN FARGNOLI.**

The motion for Passage is Sustained.

ADJOURNMENT

There being no further business, on
motion of COUNCILMAN GLAVIN,
seconded by COUNCILWOMAN FARG-
NOLI, the City Council adjourns at 8:55
o'clock P.M. (E.D.T.) to meet again on
THURSDAY, June 21, 1990 at 7:30 o'clock
P.M. (E.D.T.).

Rose M. Mandonca

City Clerk