



CITY OF PROVIDENCE • RHODE ISLAND • Walter H. Reynolds • Mayor

TRAFFIC ENGINEERING DEPARTMENT

DWIGHT T. MYERS

Traffic Engineer

ROGER T. CHANDLER

Assistant Traffic Engineer

147 Fountain Street

Providence 3, R. I.

June 24, 1954

The Honorable City Council
City Hall
Providence, R. I.

Gentlemen:

At the request of Council Resolution #319, dated May 20, 1954, the Traffic Engineer has studied the advisability of erecting STOP or YIELD signs on Paterson Street at East Orchard Avenue.

Paterson Street forms a "T" intersection with East Orchard Avenue and has not presented any problem in handling traffic in the past except possibly during morning hours when the Lincoln School is in session. Much of the problem has been taken care of by corner parking restrictions on both sides of Paterson Street on the south side of East Orchard Avenue plus a NO PARKING BETWEEN SIGNS area on the north side of East Orchard Avenue. These parking restrictions have permitted a freer movement of traffic through the intersection with the result that no accidents have been reported at this location during the three year period from April 1, 1951 to March 31, 1954.

A traffic volume count was made on June 10, 1954 from 8AM to 10AM and volumes were not sufficient to justify the installation of STOP control. In view of the safe record shown at this intersection in the past, we can see no need for STOP control or YIELD control at the present time.

Very truly yours,

Roger T. Chandler
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Traffic Engineer

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

At a meeting of the School Committee of the City of Providence held June 14, 1954, the following resolution was adopted:

Resolution No. 138

RESOLVED, That the School Committee hereby approves changes in the plans and specifications of the Fox Point Elementary School so as to provide:

1. On East Street and George M. Cohan Boulevard a complete regrading, a drainage system, and a paved parking area for 39 cars.
2. An increase in the school site by acquiring part of the wide portion of Wickenden Street with an area approximately 200' by 30', this area to be re-curbed, re-graded, drained and re-surfaced for a children's milling area.
3. A rearrangement of the playground area, as shown in Drawings No. 76 and 80.

It is understood that the cost of these three changes in plans and specifications shall not exceed \$32,000.00.

Respectfully submitted for the School Committee,

James D. Volney
Secretary.

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

In accordance with Section 9 of Chapter 680 of the Public Laws of 1925, as amended, the School Committee does hereby file with the City Council of the City of Providence its budget which shows therein the sum of money required during the fiscal year ending September 30, 1955 as an appropriation from the general tax levy and other revenues for the support of public schools.

SALARIES

Administrative -----	\$338,121.72	
Includes administrative officers, clerks, Psychological Dept., Placement Dept., Purchasing Dept., Attendance Dept., and Promotion of Health.		
Custodial -----	815,000.00	
Includes directors, supervisors, custodians, assistant custodians, women assistants and maintenance employees.		
Day Schools -----	4,727,478.24	
Includes directors, supervisors, principals, teachers and school clerks.		
Evening schools -----	<u>13,000.00</u>	
		\$5,893,599.96
\$600 State Aid Grant -----		<u>678,000.00</u>
Total Salaries -----		\$6,571,599.96

OTHER EXPENSES

Books -----	\$ 80,000.00	
Equipment, New -----	25,000.00	
Equipment, Maintenance -----	25,000.00	
Equipment, Replacement -----	50,000.00	
Fuel--Coal, oil, wood -----	200,000.00	
Lunches, Fresh Air, Crippled children, sight conservation schools -----	7,000.00	
Miscellaneous -----	2,000.00	
Postage -----	3,500.00	
Printing -----	3,000.00	
Rent -----	4,034.00	
Repairs & Alterations -----	250,000.00	
Supplies, Educational -----	125,000.00	
Supplies, Janitorial -----	22,000.00	
Supplies, Maintenance -----	29,000.00	
Telephones -----	27,000.00	
Transportation -----	40,000.00	
Traveling expenses -----	3,500.00	
Tuition -----	23,000.00	
Water, Light & Power -----	<u>106,000.00</u>	
Total Other Expenses -----		1,025,034.00
Pension Costs -----		225,000.00
Unallocated Funds -----	\$ 115,000.00	
Deficit -----	<u>1,654.38</u>	<u>113,345.62</u>
Total Estimate -----		<u>\$ 7,934,979.58</u>

Sources of Revenue

Available from Tax Levy (1.1%)-----	\$6,940,579.58
Based on official valuation of real and tangible personal property of \$630,961,780.00.	
Estimated Ordinary Miscellaneous-----	316,400.00
Receipts	
\$600 State Aid Grant -----	<u>678,000.00</u>
	<u>\$7,934,979.58</u>

Adopted by the Providence School Committee

June 28, 1954.

Respectfully submitted,

James J. Foley
Secretary School Committee

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REPORT OF THE CITY MESSENGER

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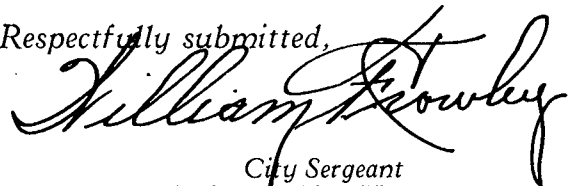
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TO THE HONORABLE THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF PROVIDENCE:

Complying with the provisions of the City Ordinances the undersigned reports to your honorable body the following statement of "the expenditures and liabilities incurred in the care and superintendence of the City Hall and adjacent sidewalks," for the months of

For lighting City Hall,.....	\$ 639.14
" power,	163.50
" fuel,	214.25
" pay-roll of clerks, engineer, fireman, janitors, elevator men, watchman, etc.,	6 330.25
" supplies,	408.94
" salary of City Sergeant and Deputy,	1 167.50
" new furniture,	
" furnishings and repairs,.....	
" telephone service, excess calls.....	2 085.32
Rent Studley land Co. 49 Westminster St.	<u>300.00</u>
	\$11 308.90

Respectfully submitted,



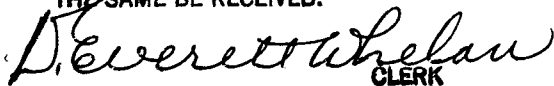
City Sergeant
Acting as City Messenger.

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