

THE CITY OF PROVIDENCE  
STATE OF RHODE ISLAND AND PROVIDENCE PLANTATIONS

# RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL

No. 212

Approved May 10, 2001

RESOLVED, That the Traffic Engineer is requested to prohibit motor vehicle traffic along various streets on various dates and times, in accordance with the attached schedule, to accommodate the 2001 WaterFire season.

IN CITY COUNCIL  
MAY 3 2001  
READ AND PASSED

*Belinda A. Young*  
PRES. Acting

*Michael S. Clement*  
CLERK

APPROVED

MAY 10 2001

*Christopher C. Ciarra*  
MAYOR

Councilman Jackson (By Request)

READ AND PASSED  
MAY  
IN CITY COUNCIL

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PRES.

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CLERK

## **Saturday, April 7<sup>th</sup>**

### **Streets closed:**

College Street between Memorial Blvd and South Main Street from noon to 2am

## **Saturday, May 5<sup>th</sup>**

### **Streets closed from 6am to 2 am (the next day):**

College Street – between Memorial Blvd and South Main Street

Steeple Street – between Canal Street and North Main Street

Canal Street – between Steeple Street and Washington Street

### **Parking lane only closed from 6am to 2 am:**

Exchange Street – East and West parking lanes only between Memorial Blvd and the crosswalk south of American Express Blvd.

North Main Street – West parking lane only from College Street north for 200 feet

South Main Street – West parking lane only from College Street south for 300 feet

## **Sunday, May 27<sup>th</sup>**

### **Streets closed from 6am to 2 am:**

College Street – between Memorial Blvd and South Main Street

Steeple Street – between Canal Street and North Main Street

Canal Street – between Steeple Street and Washington Street

### **Parking lane only closed from 6am to 2 am:**

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South Main Street – West parking lane only from College Street south for 300 feet

## **Friday, June 8<sup>th</sup>**

### **Streets closed:**

College Street – between Memorial Blvd and South Main Street from 6am to 2am

Steeple Street – between Canal Street and North Main Street from 6pm to 2am

Canal Street – between Steeple Street and Washington Street from 6pm to 2am

### **Parking lane only closed from 6am to 2am:**

Exchange Street – East and West parking lanes only between Memorial Blvd and the crosswalk south of American Express Blvd.

North Main Street – West parking lane only from College Street north for 200 feet

South Main Street – West parking lane only from College Street south for 300 feet

### **Wednesday, June 13<sup>th</sup>**

#### Streets closed:

College Street – between Memorial Blvd and South Main Street from 6am to 2am

Steeple Street – between Canal Street and North Main Street from 6pm to 2am

Canal Street – between Steeple Street and Washington Street from 6pm to 2am

#### Parking lane only closed from 6am to 2am:

Exchange Street – East and West parking lanes only between Memorial Blvd and the crosswalk south of American Express Blvd.

North Main Street – West parking lane only from College Street north for 200 feet

South Main Street – West parking lane only from College Street south for 300 feet

### **Saturday, June 23<sup>rd</sup>**

#### Streets closed from 6am to 2 am:

College Street – between Memorial Blvd and South Main Street

Steeple Street – between Canal Street and North Main Street

Canal Street – between Steeple Street and Washington Street

Westminster -- between Memorial Blvd and Dorrance Street

Weybosset -- between Custom House and Kennedy Plaza

#### Parking lane only closed from 6am to 2 am:

Exchange Street – East and West parking lanes only between Memorial Blvd and the crosswalk south of American Express Blvd.

North Main Street – West parking lane only from College Street north for 200 feet

South Main Street – West parking lane only from College Street south for 300 feet

### **Saturday, July 7<sup>th</sup>**

#### Streets closed from 6am to 2 am:

College Street – between Memorial Blvd and South Main Street

Steeple Street – between Canal Street and North Main Street

Canal Street – between Steeple Street and Washington Street

Westminster -- between Memorial Blvd and Dorrance Street

Weybosset -- between Custom House and Kennedy Plaza

#### Parking lane only closed from 6am to 2 am:

Exchange Street – East and West parking lanes only between Memorial Blvd and the crosswalk south of American Express Blvd.

North Main Street – West parking lane only from College Street north for 200 feet

South Main Street – West parking lane only from College Street south for 300 feet

## **Saturday, July 21<sup>st</sup>**

Streets closed from 6am to 2am:

College Street – between Memorial Blvd and South Main Street

Steeple Street – between Canal Street and North Main Street

Canal Street – between Steeple Street and Washington Street

Westminster -- between Memorial Blvd and Dorrance Street

Weybosset -- between Custom House and Kennedy Plaza

Parking lane only closed from 6am to 2 am:

Exchange Street – East and West parking lanes only between Memorial Blvd and the crosswalk south of American Express Blvd.

North Main Street – West parking lane only from College Street north for 200 feet

South Main Street – West parking lane only from College Street south for 300 feet

## **Sunday, August 5<sup>th</sup>**

Streets closed from 6am to 2 am:

College Street – between Memorial Blvd and South Main Street

Steeple Street – between Canal Street and North Main Street

Canal Street – between Steeple Street and Washington Street

Westminster -- between Memorial Blvd and Dorrance Street

Weybosset -- between Custom House and Kennedy Plaza

Parking lane only closed from 6am to 2 am:

Exchange Street – East and West parking lanes only between Memorial Blvd and the crosswalk south of American Express Blvd.

North Main Street – West parking lane only from College Street north for 200 feet

South Main Street – West parking lane only from College Street south for 300 feet

## **Saturday, August 18<sup>th</sup>,**

Streets closed from 6am to 2 am:

College Street – between Memorial Blvd and South Main Street

Steeple Street – between Canal Street and North Main Street

Canal Street – between Steeple Street and Washington Street

Westminster -- between Memorial Blvd and Dorrance Street

Weybosset -- between Custom House and Kennedy Plaza

Parking lane only closed from 6am to 2 am:

Exchange Street – East and West parking lanes only between Memorial Blvd and the crosswalk south of American Express Blvd.

North Main Street – West parking lane only from College Street north for 200 feet

South Main Street – West parking lane only from College Street south for 300 feet

**Saturday, September 1st,**

Streets closed from 6am to 2 am:

College Street – between Memorial Blvd and South Main Street

Steeple Street – between Canal Street and North Main Street

Canal Street – between Steeple Street and Washington Street

Westminster -- between Memorial Blvd and Dorrance Street

Weybosset -- between Custom House and Kennedy Plaza

Parking lane only closed from 6am to 2 am:

Exchange Street – East and West parking lanes only between Memorial Blvd and the crosswalk south of American Express Blvd.

North Main Street – West parking lane only from College Street north for 200 feet

South Main Street – West parking lane only from College Street south for 300 feet

**Saturday, September 15<sup>th</sup>,**

Streets closed from 6am to 2 am:

College Street – between Memorial Blvd and South Main Street

Steeple Street – between Canal Street and North Main Street

Canal Street – between Steeple Street and Washington Street

Westminster -- between Memorial Blvd and Dorrance Street

Weybosset -- between Custom House and Kennedy Plaza

Parking lane only closed from 6am to 2 am:

Exchange Street – East and West parking lanes only between Memorial Blvd and the crosswalk south of American Express Blvd.

North Main Street – West parking lane only from College Street north for 200 feet

South Main Street – West parking lane only from College Street south for 300 feet

**Saturday, September 29<sup>th</sup>,**

Streets closed from 6am to 2am:

College Street – between Memorial Blvd and South Main Street

Steeple Street – between Canal Street and North Main Street

Canal Street – between Steeple Street and Washington Street

Parking lane only closed from 6am to 2 am:

Exchange Street – East and West parking lanes only between Memorial Blvd and the crosswalk south of American Express Blvd.

North Main Street – West parking lane only from College Street north for 200 feet

South Main Street – West parking lane only from College Street south for 300 feet

**Wednesday, October 17<sup>th</sup>,**

Streets closed:

College Street – between Memorial Blvd and South Main Street from 6am to 2am

Steeple Street – between Canal Street and North Main Street from 6pm to 2am

Canal Street – between Steeple Street and Washington Street from 6pm to 2am

Parking lane only closed from 6am to 2am:

Exchange Street – East and West parking lanes only between Memorial Blvd and the crosswalk south of American Express Blvd.

North Main Street – West parking lane only from College Street north for 200 feet

South Main Street – West parking lane only from College Street south for 300 feet

**Saturday October, 27<sup>th</sup>,**

Streets closed from 6am to 2am:

College Street – between Memorial Blvd and South Main Street

Steeple Street – between Canal Street and North Main Street

Canal Street – between Steeple Street and Washington Street

Parking lane only closed from 6am to 2 am:

Exchange Street – East and West parking lanes only between Memorial Blvd and the crosswalk south of American Express Blvd.

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April 6, 2001

Councilman Robert Clarkin  
329 Ives Street  
Providence, RI 02906

Bob - I also sent a copy to  
your office of City Hall,  
Thanks. Barny

Dear Councilman Clarkin,

I'm pleased to be sending you the 2001 WaterFire season schedule. We are very pleased to announce that the Sovereign Plaza Ballroom is returning and we are once again offering jazz on Steeple Street.

We are seeking your help in arranging for permission for street closings to accommodate the crowds who attend WaterFire. We have reviewed these street closings with Traffic Engineering, the Parks Department, the Police Department, RIPTA and the City Law Department and they have approved them. The streets are the same as last year with the addition of several partial closings where we are only closing a lane of parking to accommodate vendors, but we are leaving the street open for traffic flow. The exact details with the precise sections of street and the times affected for each night are appended. In brief the streets are:

College Street – one block from Memorial Blvd to North Main Street  
Steeple Street – one block from Canal Street to North Main Street  
Canal Street – the short one-lane connector from Steeple Street to Washington Street  
Westminster Street (only on ballroom nights) – from Memorial Blvd to Weybosset  
Weybosset Street (only on ballroom nights) – from Custom House to Westminster  
The parking lane closures are on Exchange Street and North / South Main Street


We have announced thirteen dates, but we hope to add new dates as well. To avoid returning to you for additional permissions we are seeking permission for all of the following dates. (If we are unable to hold the event we will notify Traffic Engineering and the Police Department to cancel the approved street closing.) The dates are: April 7<sup>th</sup>, May 5<sup>th</sup>, May 27<sup>th</sup>, June 8<sup>th</sup>, June 13<sup>th</sup>, June 23<sup>rd</sup>, July 7<sup>th</sup>, July 21<sup>st</sup>, August 5<sup>th</sup>, August 18<sup>th</sup>, September 1<sup>st</sup>, September 15<sup>th</sup>, September 29, October 17<sup>th</sup> and October 27<sup>th</sup>.

Thank you once again for all your help. Feel free to call me with any questions.

Sincerely,

  
Barnaby Evans

cc: License Bureau, Attn: Veronica  
Traffic Engineering, Attn: Irene Testa  
RIPTA, Attn: Lee Beliveau  
Providence Police Department, Attn: Chief Sullivan

For file  
4/23/01 2:15  


Attaches schedule  
to resolution