

THE CITY OF PROVIDENCE
STATE OF RHODE ISLAND AND PROVIDENCE PLANTATIONS

RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL

No. 302

Approved June 11, 1973

RESOLVED, that the Acting Public Service Engineer is requested to order the installation of additional electric street lights along that portion of Blackstone Boulevard and of Hope Street, abutting Lippitt Memorial Park.

Robert J. Hapton
IN CITY COUNCIL
READ AND PASSED
Vincent L. Lippitt PRES.
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CITY OF PROVIDENCE

THE PUBLIC SERVICE ENGINEER

112 Union Street, Providence, R. I. 02903
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June 26, 1973

Mr. Vincent Vespia
City Clerk
City Hall
Providence, Rhode Island

In Re: City Council Petition #302

Dear Mr. Vespia:

Aside from a bit of tree trimming from overhanging branches of giant elm trees along Hope Street, the sidewalk and roadway areas abutting the Lippitt Memorial Park are adequately lighted with new 21000 Lumen Mercury vapor lights.

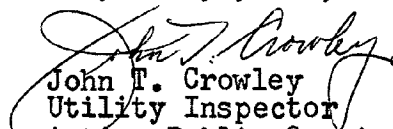
It appears that former under ground lighting standards around the fountain area, within the Park, have been vandalized so many times, there is no lighting there now whatsoever. I also believe the power to this particular area has been disconnected.

This park is an extremely big complexed area, and if this is the primary reason for the street lighting request, I would suggest some sort of floodlighting within the park itself.

This would have to be accomplished by either the Park Department, or in the case of a recreational area, by the Public Properties division.

On the day of this inspection, the park contained many people occupying different areas of it, and I can well imagine during the nighttime hours the attendance could be considerable as well.

Very truly yours,


John T. Crowley
Utility Inspector
Acting Public Service Engineer

JTC/jd