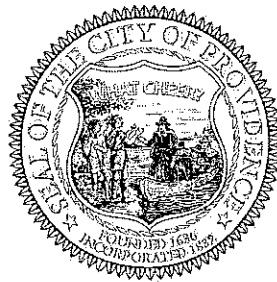


**CITY OF PROVIDENCE  
RHODE ISLAND**



**CITY COUNCIL  
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**No. 24 City Council Regular Council Meeting, Thursday, September 1, 2016, 7:00 o'clock P.M.**

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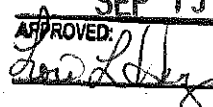
**PRESIDING  
COUNCIL PRESIDENT  
LUIS A. APONTE**

**CALL TO ORDER**

**PRESENT: COUNCIL PRESIDENT APONTE, COUNCILWOMAN CASTILLO,  
COUNCILMAN CORREIA, COUNCILWOMAN HARRIS,  
COUNCILMEN HASSETT, IGLIOZZI, JACKSON, JENNINGS,  
COUNCILWOMAN MATOS, COUNCILMAN PRINCIPE,  
COUNCILWOMAN RYAN, COUNCILMEN SALVATORE, YURDIN AND ZURIER  
- 14.**

**ABSENT: COUNCILMAN NARDUCCI - 1.**

**ALSO PRESENT: LORI L. HAGEN, CITY CLERK, SHERI A. PETRONIO,  
SECOND DEPUTY CITY CLERK, TINA L. MASTROIANNI, ASSISTANT CLERK  
AND JEFFREY DANA, CITY SOLICITOR**

**IN CITY COUNCIL  
SEP 15 2016**  
APPROVED:  CLERK

## **ROLL CALL**

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## **INVOCATION**

The Invocation is given by **COUNCILMAN SAMUEL D. ZURIER**.

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## **PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE**

**COUNCIL PRESIDENT LUIS A. APONTE** Leads the Members of the City Council and the Assemblage in the Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag of the United States of America.

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## **APPROVAL OF MINUTES**

Journal of Proceedings No. 21 of the Regular Meeting of the City Council held July 21, 2016; Journal of Proceedings No. 22 of the Special Meeting of the City Council held August 2, 2016 and Journal of Proceedings No. 23 of the Special Meeting of the City Council held August 4, 2016, are approved as printed, on Motion of **COUNCILMAN PRINCIPE**, Seconded by **COUNCILMAN CORREIA**.

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## **APPOINTMENTS BY HIS HONOR THE MAYOR**

Communication from His Honor the Mayor, dated July 13, 2016, Informing the Honorable Members of the City Council that pursuant to Section 302(b) of the Providence Home Rule Charter of 1980, as amended, and Public Law, Chapter 45-50, Sections 1 through 31 passed in 1987, and Providence Code of Ordinances, Chapter 2007-51, Ordinance No. 504, he is this appointing Deborah Schimberg of 305 Dudley Street, Providence, Rhode Island 02907, to the Environmental Sustainability Task Force. (Ms. Schimberg will replace Angela Bannerman Ankoma who has resigned.)

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Communication from His Honor the Mayor, dated July 13, 2016, Informing the Honorable Members of the City Council that pursuant to Section 302(b) of the Providence Home Rule Charter of 1980, as amended, and Public Law, Chapter 45-50, Sections 1 through 31 passed in 1987, and Providence Code of Ordinances, Chapter 2007-51, Ordinance No. 504, he is this appointing David Veliz of 111 Glover Street, Providence, Rhode Island 02908, to the Environmental Sustainability Task Force. (Mr. Veliz will replace Carissa Richard Ankoma who has resigned.)

**COUNCILMAN PRINCIPE Moves to Dispense with the Reading of the foregoing matters, Seconded by COUNCILMAN CORREIA.**

**COUNCIL PRESIDENT APONTE Receives the Several Communications.**

<b>RESULT:</b>	<b>RECEIVED</b>
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## **PRESENTATION OF ORDINANCES**

**COUNCIL PRESIDENT APONTE, (By Request):**

An Ordinance Granting a Tax Exemption and Establishing a Tax Stabilization Plan for 68 Dorrance Street.

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An Ordinance Granting a Tax Exemption and Establishing a Tax Stabilization Plan for 345 Harris Avenue.

**COUNCILMAN PRINCIPE Moves to Dispense with the Reading of the foregoing matters, Seconded by COUNCILMAN CORREIA.**

**COUNCIL PRESIDENT APONTE Refers the Several Ordinances to the Committee on Finance.**

<b>RESULT:</b>	<b>REFERRED</b>
<b>TO:</b>	Committee on Finance

## **COUNCIL PRESIDENT APONTE**

An Ordinance in Amendment of Chapter 2 of the Code of Ordinances of the City of Providence, Entitled: "Administration," Amending Section 2-6, "Description of Municipal Medal."

**COUNCILMAN PRINCIPE Refers the Ordinance the Committee on Ordinances,  
Seconded by COUNCILMAN CORREIA.**

<b>RESULT:</b>	<b>REFERRED</b>
<b>TO:</b>	Committee on Ordinances

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## **PRESENTATION OF RESOLUTIONS**

### **COUNCIL PRESIDENT APONTE, (By Request):**

Resolution Authorizing Approval of the following Contract Award by the Board of Contract and Supply, in accordance with Section 21-26 of the Code of Ordinances.

Horsley Witten, Inc.	\$1,250,000.00 over 5 years
Fuss & O'Neill	
ESS Group	
(Water Supply Board)	

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Resolution Authorizing Approval of the following Contract Award by the Board of Contract and Supply, in accordance with Section 21-26 of the Code of Ordinances.

GM2 Associated	Pare Engineering, Inc.	
Beta Group, Inc.	AECOM Tech Services	
CDM Smith, Inc.	Thielsch Engineering, Inc.	
Garofalo & Associates, Inc.	Wright-Pierce	
CDR Maguire, Inc.	Stantec	
(Water Supply Board)		\$6,000,000.00 over 3 years

**COUNCILMAN PRINCIPE Moves to Dispense with the Reading of the foregoing matters, Seconded by COUNCILMAN CORREIA.**

**COUNCIL PRESIDENT APONTE Refers the Several Resolutions to the Committee on Finance.**

<b>RESULT:</b>	<b>REFERRED</b>
<b>TO:</b>	Committee on Finance

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**COUNCIL PRESIDENT APONTE, COUNCILWOMAN CASTILLO, COUNCILMAN CORREIA, COUNCILWOMAN HARRIS, COUNCILMEN HASSETT, IGLIOZZI, JACKSON, JENNINGS, COUNCILWOMAN MATOS, COUNCILMEN NARDUCCI, PRINCIPE, COUNCILWOMAN RYAN, COUNCILMEN SALVATORE, YURDIN AND ZURIER**

Resolution Requesting the Department of Public Works to cause the replacement of the missing signs designating the section of Oxford Street from Prairie Avenue to Broad Street as, "Sister Ann Keefe Way."

**RESOLVED**, That the Department of Public Works is requested to cause the replacement of the missing signs designating the section of Oxford Street from Prairie Avenue to Broad Street as, "Sister Ann Keefe Way."

**Read and Passed, on Motion of COUNCILMAN PRINCIPE, Seconded by COUNCILMAN CORREIA.**

<b>RESULT:</b>	<b>READ AND PASSED [UNANIMOUS]</b>
<b>MOVER:</b>	Councilman Principe
<b>SECONDER:</b>	Councilman Correia
<b>AYES:</b>	Council President Aponte, Councilwoman Castillo, Councilman Correia, Councilwoman Harris, Councilmen Hassett, Igliazzi, Jackson, Jennings, Councilwoman Matos, Councilman Principe, Councilwoman Ryan, Councilmen Salvatore, Yurdin and Zurier – 14.
<b>ABSENT:</b>	Councilman Narducci – 1.

**The Motion for Passage is Sustained.**

## **COUNCIL PRESIDENT APONTE**

Resolution Requesting the Traffic Engineer to cause the installation of "Four-Way Stop" Signs at the intersection of Pavilion Avenue and Rugby Street.

**COUNCIL PRESIDENT APONTE Refers the Resolution to the Committee on Public Works.**

<b>RESULT:</b>	<b>REFERRED</b>
<b>TO:</b>	Committee on Public Works

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## **COUNCILMAN HASSETT**

Resolution Requesting to cancel or abate in whole, the taxes assessed upon Assessor's Plat 69, Lot 313 (312 Douglas Avenue), in the amount of Thirty Eight Thousand Three Hundred Forty Three Dollars and Seventy Six (\$38,343.76) Cents, or any taxes accrued, on behalf of Smith Hill Community & Development Corporation.

**COUNCIL PRESIDENT APONTE Refers the Resolution to the Committee on Finance.**

<b>RESULT:</b>	<b>REFERRED</b>
<b>TO:</b>	Committee on Finance

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## **COUNCILWOMAN MATOS**

Resolution Requesting the Traffic Engineer to cause the installation of a "No Parking/Loading Zone" Sign located at 228 Manton Avenue at Pelham Street.

**COUNCIL PRESIDENT APONTE Refers the Resolution to the Committee on Public Works.**

<b>RESULT:</b>	<b>REFERRED</b>
<b>TO:</b>	Committee on Public Works

## **COUNCILMAN NARDUCCI**

Resolution Requesting to cancel or abate in whole, the taxes assessed upon Assessor's Plat 71, Lot 2 (618 Charles Street), in the amount of One Thousand Nine Hundred Thirty One Dollars and Fifty Nine (\$1,931.59) Cents, or any taxes accrued, on behalf of Housing Development Corporation of the North End.

**COUNCIL PRESIDENT APONTE Refers the Resolution to the Committee on Finance.**

<b>RESULT:</b>	<b>REFERRED</b>
<b>TO:</b>	Committee on Finance

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## **COUNCILMAN YURDIN, COUNCILWOMAN CASTILLO, COUNCILMEN HASSETT, JENNINGS, COUNCILWOMAN RYAN, COUNCILMEN SALVATORE AND ZURIER**

Resolution in Opposition to the Proposed Fields Point Liquefaction Facility.

**COUNCIL PRESIDENT APONTE Refers the Resolution to the Committee on Ordinances.**

<b>RESULT:</b>	<b>REFERRED</b>
<b>TO:</b>	Committee on Ordinances

**COUNCILMAN YURDIN Moves to Reconsider the foregoing Resolution, Seconded by COUNCILMAN ZURIER, by the following Roll Call Vote:**

<b>RESULT:</b>	<b>MOTION TO RECONSIDER (5 TO 9)</b>
<b>MOVER:</b>	Councilman Yurdin
<b>SECONDER:</b>	Councilman Zurier
<b>AYES:</b>	Councilwoman Castillo, Councilmen Jennings, Salvatore, Yurdin and Zurier – 5.
<b>NAYES:</b>	Council President Aponte, Councilman Correia, Councilwoman Harris, Councilmen Hassett, Igliozi, Jackson, Councilwoman Matos, Councilman Principe and Councilwoman Ryan – 9.
<b>ABSENT:</b>	Councilman Narducci – 1.

**The Motion to Reconsider Fails.**

**COUNCILMAN ZURIER**

Resolution Concerning the scope of Advisory Legal Counsel's Engagement.

**COUNCILMAN ZURIER Moves to Withdraw the Resolution, Seconded by  
COUNCILMAN JENNINGS.**

**RESULT:        WITHDRAWN**

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**FROM THE CLERK'S DESK**

Petitions for Compensation for Injuries and Damages, viz:

Alex Casinader  
    (Robert J. Levine, Esquire)  
Sarah Burak  
Rosa Richardson  
    (Frank L. Orabona, Jr., Esquire)  
Amaury R. Molina  
    (Frank L. Orabona, Jr., Esquire)  
Paul D'Amico  
    (Thomas E. Sparks, Esquire)  
Judith Glynn  
Manasse Niyonkuru  
    (David A. Ursillo, Esquire)  
Yiry Pereyra  
    (George A. Pliakas, Esquire)  
NEHDS Logistics, Inc.

Hasbro, Inc.  
    (Mark A. Pogue, Esquire)  
Portia Richardson and Ronald Richardson  
p.p.a. Ronald Richardson  
    (John S. Coughlin, Esquire)  
Izenia Alvarado  
Mary J. Lyons  
Dale Rankin  
    (John S. Coughlin, Esquire)  
Francis T. Brothers  
Steven Badessa  
Diane M. LaPlante  
Genaro X. Ruiz  
    (Richard A. Sinapi, Esquire)  
Denise LaCap

**COUNCIL PRESIDENT APONTE Refers the Several Petitions to the Committee on  
Claims and Pending Suits.**

**RESULT:        REFERRED**  
**TO:             Committee on Claims and Pending Suits**



Petition from John J. Garrahy, John J. Garrahy Law, LLC, 2088 Broad Street, Cranston, Rhode Island 02905, requesting a zoning change for the property known as Assessor's Plat 115, Lost 593, 594 and 595, located on Hartford Avenue, from R-1 to C-3.

**COUNCIL PRESIDENT APONTE Refers the Petition to the Committee on Ordinances.**

<b>RESULT:</b>	<b>REFERRED</b>
<b>TO:</b>	Committee on Ordinances

Certificates from City Assessor (15I and 16I), recommending the same be severally cancelled pursuant to the provisions of Section 14 and 15 of Title 44, Chapter 7 of the General Laws of Rhode Island, As Amended.

Certificates from City Assessor (17J and 18J), recommending the same be severally cancelled pursuant to the provisions of Section 14 and 15 of Title 44, Chapter 7 of the General Laws of Rhode Island, As Amended.

**COUNCILMAN PRINCIPE Moves to Dispense with the Reading of the foregoing matters and Refers the Several Certificates to the Committee on Finance, Seconded by COUNCILMAN CORREIA.**

<b>RESULT:</b>	<b>REFERRED</b>
<b>TO:</b>	Committee on Finance

**COMMUNICATIONS AND REPORTS**

Communication from Lori L. Hagen, City Clerk, dated August 26, 2016, Informing the Honorable Members of the City Council that in accordance with the provisions of Section 1201(b) of the Providence Home Rule Charter of 1980, As Amended, Entitled: "Deputies, Appointments", she is this day appointing Tina L. Mastroianni as First Deputy City Clerk.

Communication from His Honor the Mayor, dated August 19, 2016, Informing the Honorable Members of the City Council and Daniel A. Baudouin, Executive Director, Providence Foundation that pursuant to Section 302(b) of the Providence Home Rule Charter of 1980, as amended, and Section 21-221(c) of the Code of Ordinances of the City of Providence, he is this day appointing Emily Crowell, Press Secretary for the City of Providence, as his designee on the Downtown District Management Authority Board of Directors for a term ending on June 30, 2018. (Ms. Crowell will replace Mr. Smiley who has resigned.)

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Communication from Claudia J. Haugen, Chairperson, Board of Canvassers, dated July 21, 2016, Informing Lori L. Hagen, City Clerk, that in accordance with Section 411 of the Providence Home Rule Charter relative to public hearings and the petition received regarding, "An Ordinance Amending Chapter 18½ of the Providence Code of Ordinances to add a new section, Entitled: "Community Safety Act", it has been determined that there are 64 signatures of qualified electors.

**COUNCILMAN PRINCIPE Moves to Dispense with the Reading of the foregoing matters, Seconded by COUNCILMAN CORREIA.**

**COUNCIL PRESIDENT APONTE Receives the Several Communications.**

<b>RESULT:</b>	<b>RECEIVED</b>
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Report of Board of Park Commissioners relative to receipts of certain gifts of moneys for the preservation and care of special burial lots in the North Burial Ground.

**Read and Passed, on Motion of COUNCILMAN PRINCIPE, Seconded by COUNCILMAN CORREIA, by the following Roll Call Vote:**

<b>RESULT:</b>	<b>PASSED [UNANIMOUS]</b>
<b>MOVER:</b>	Councilman Principe
<b>SECONDER:</b>	Councilman Correia
<b>AYES:</b>	Council President Aponte, Councilman Correia, Councilwoman Harris, Councilmen Iglizzi, Jackson, Jennings, Councilwoman Matos, Councilman Principe, Councilwoman Ryan, Councilmen Yurdin and Zurier – 11.
<b>ABSENT:</b>	Councilwoman Castillo, Councilmen Hassett, Narducci and Salvatore – 4.

**The Motion for Passage is Sustained.**

## **PERSONAL EXPRESSION**

**COUNCILMAN IGLIOZZI Requests the privilege of the floor to speak on a Point of Personal Expression and states:**

"I'm sure all of my council colleagues received my letter recently this past week or so, stating the concerns about the status of the financial stability of the Fire Department at this point in time. As you know, a mere two and a half months ago approximately we passed the city's budget, and in that budget of course was an allocation of approximately \$2 million dollars for the Fire Department's overtime. The Internal Auditor has reported at this point in time that we are beyond \$1.5 million dollars already spent out of the \$2 million dollars and we just finished the first two months of the fiscal year. The financial stability of the city is imperative, the financial stability of our departments are imperative and our public safety divisions. I bring this up because I think it's important we get ahead of this. I am going to call Commissioner Pare, and I don't know whose left in the Fire Department over there, but whoever is left over there, come before the Finance Committee and I'm sure you saw the litany of questions. Start answering what's going on in the Fire Department? What are they going to do about maintaining the financial stability of that Fire Department? The status of the fire schools and the status of when it's happening. All these things, and it's very important by the way and I'm sure everybody is concerned. In the council's last budget we allocated money for a Fire Academy and a Police Academy that we never saw. This year in this budget the council, in its wisdom, allocated money for two fire academies and two police academies and we haven't seen anything yet. The concerns me and my constituents are having is the level of public safety and what's happening there. I have never seen in the years I've been on the council at such a low level. We are going to be below four hundred policemen. We have a problem. We have a financial situation brewing in the Police Department, but right now imperative in the Fire Department. I urge my colleagues to come to the finance committee, get ready, let's try to find out what's going on and let's try to get it. I know we talked about the grant that the federal government gave, but guess what? That's got to do with academies and there are no fire academies or anybody graduating in the near future. So, we need to get a handle on this and I urge you all to come and we need to stay on top of it, it's very important. So, we can hopefully avert a financial disaster in the Fire Department. Thank you."

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## **PRESENTATION OF RESOLUTIONS "IN CONGRATULATIONS"**

### **COUNCIL PRESIDENT APONTE AND MEMBERS OF THE CITY COUNCIL**

Resolution Extending Congratulations.

RESOLVED, That the Members of the City Council hereby extend their Sincere Congratulations to the following:

Imani Hall, in recognition of her hard work and dedication to the "Lock Arms for Peace" Event and her commitment to promoting unity in the Olneyville Community.

Kyora Harley Hayes, in recognition of her hard work and dedication to the "Lock Arms for Peace" Event and her commitment to promoting unity in the Olneyville Community.

Neveah Rivera Robles, in recognition of her hard work and dedication to the "Lock Arms for Peace" Event and her commitment to promoting unity in the Olneyville Community.

Jayleen Salvador, in recognition of her hard work and dedication to the "Lock Arms for Peace" Event and her commitment to promoting unity in the Olneyville Community.

Yahaira Wilcox, in recognition of her hard work and dedication to the "Lock Arms for Peace" Event and her commitment to promoting unity in the Olneyville Community.

Scarlett Capehart, Higher Ground International, in recognition of overcoming barriers and persevering to participate, while gaining new workforce skills, and completing the Higher Ground International Basic Computer Literacy Training.

Sarah Roberts, Higher Ground International, in recognition of overcoming barriers and persevering to participate, while gaining new workforce skills, and completing the Higher Ground International Basic Computer Literacy Training with perfect attendance.

Elizabeth Dorlee, Higher Ground International, in recognition of overcoming barriers and persevering to participate, while gaining new workforce skills, and completing the Higher Ground International Basic Computer Literacy Training with perfect attendance.

Theresa Davis, Higher Ground International, in recognition of overcoming barriers and persevering to participate, while gaining new workforce skills, and completing the Higher Ground International Basic Computer Literacy Training with perfect attendance.

Ernestine Thomas, Higher Ground International, in recognition of overcoming barriers and persevering to participate, while gaining new workforce skills, and completing the Higher Ground International Basic Computer Literacy Training.

Bernadette Nimneh, Higher Ground International, in recognition of overcoming barriers and persevering to participate, while gaining new workforce skills, and completing the Higher Ground International Basic Computer Literacy Training.

Komlan Soe, Higher Ground International, in recognition of overcoming barriers and persevering to participate, while gaining new workforce skills, and completing the Higher Ground International Basic Computer Literacy Training.

Sheldon B. Holder, Higher Ground International, in recognition of overcoming barriers and persevering to participate, while gaining new workforce skills, and completing the Higher Ground International Basic Computer Literacy Training.

Quadry Olalekan, Higher Ground International, in recognition of overcoming barriers and persevering to participate, while gaining new workforce skills, and completing the Higher Ground International Basic Computer Literacy Training.

Komlan Soe, Higher Ground International, in recognition of providing time, knowledge and talent, teaching Basic Computer Literacy Course to make a difference, improving the quality of life for others in the community.

Sheldon B. Holder, Higher Ground International, in recognition of providing time, knowledge and talent, teaching Basic Computer Literacy Course to make a difference, improving the quality of life for others in the community.

Quadry Olalekan, Higher Ground International, in recognition of providing time, knowledge and talent, teaching Basic Computer Literacy Course to make a difference, improving the quality of life for others in the community.

Rubby Perez, in recognition of being honored by Quisqueya In Action for his outstanding leadership in the music industry, and his contribution to the Latino Community as a whole at the 2016 Dominican Festival of RI.

The Honorable Senator Harold Metts, in recognition of being honored by Quisqueya In Action for his contribution to the African-American Community and the community as a whole, and for his dedication in the field of education and his deep faith and work in the Senate.

Luis Del Rio, Retired Inspector, in recognition of being honored by Quisqueya In Action for his academic excellence and his leadership in civic participation and his dedication in the law enforcement field with a passion for justice.

The Honorable Adriano Espaillat, State of New York Senator and National Leader, in recognition of being honored by Quisqueya In Action for his outstanding contribution to the empowerment of the Latino Community with emphasis on Dominican American in the United States. The First new elected Dominican-American Congressman for NY and National.

Axel Thomas, in recognition of his spirituality and personal growth in the areas of education, culture and politics celebrating the 12<sup>th</sup> annual "Award to our people-the Americas".

Ernesto Figueroa, in recognition of his spirituality and personal growth in the areas of education, culture and politics celebrating the 12<sup>th</sup> annual "Award to our people-the Americas".

Angel Subervi, in recognition of his spirituality and personal growth in the areas of education, culture and politics celebrating the 12<sup>th</sup> annual “Award to our people-the Americas”.

Elvis Ruíz, in recognition of his spirituality and personal growth in the areas of education, culture and politics celebrating the 12<sup>th</sup> annual “Award to our people-the Americas”.

Mireya Mendoza, in recognition of her spirituality and personal growth in the areas of education, culture and politics celebrating the 12<sup>th</sup> annual “Award to our people-the Americas”.

Margarita Cepeda, in recognition of her spirituality and personal growth in the areas of education, culture and politics celebrating the 12<sup>th</sup> annual “Award to our people-the Americas”.

Rosa de Castillo, in recognition of her spirituality and personal growth in the areas of education, culture and politics celebrating the 12<sup>th</sup> annual “Award to our people-the Americas”.

Hecmy José, in recognition of him spirituality and personal growth in the areas of education, culture and politics celebrating the 12<sup>th</sup> annual “Award to our people-the Americas”.

Ana Quezada, in recognition of her spirituality and personal growth in the areas of education, culture and politics celebrating the 12<sup>th</sup> annual “Award to our people-the Americas”.

Mayrena Roguez, in recognition of her spirituality and personal growth in the areas of education, culture and politics celebrating the 12<sup>th</sup> annual “Award to our people-the Americas”.

Graces Diaz, in recognition of her spirituality and personal growth in the areas of education, culture and politics celebrating the 12<sup>th</sup> annual “Award to our people-the Americas”.

Carmen Castillo, in recognition of her spirituality and personal growth in the areas of education, culture and politics celebrating the 12<sup>th</sup> annual “Award to our people-the Americas”.

Mercedes Pérez, in recognition of her spirituality and personal growth in the areas of education, culture and politics celebrating the 12<sup>th</sup> annual “Award to our people-the Americas”.

Iris Yinette Corporán, in recognition of her spirituality and personal growth in the areas of education, culture and politics celebrating the 12<sup>th</sup> annual “Award to our people-the Americas”.

Emelda Benítez, in recognition of her spirituality and personal growth in the areas of education, culture and politics celebrating the 12<sup>th</sup> annual “Award to our people-the Americas”.

Belkis DePeña, in recognition of her spirituality and personal growth in the areas of education, culture and politics celebrating the 12<sup>th</sup> annual “Award to our people-the Americas”.

Carolina Pichardo, in recognition of her spirituality and personal growth in the areas of education, culture and politics celebrating the 12<sup>th</sup> annual “Award to our people-the Americas”.

Ana Rivas, in recognition of her spirituality and personal growth in the areas of education, culture and politics celebrating the 12<sup>th</sup> annual “Award to our people-the Americas”.

Jason Hernández, in recognition of his spirituality and personal growth in the areas of education, culture and politics celebrating the 12<sup>th</sup> annual "Award to our people-the Americas".

Braulio Sánchez, in recognition of his dedication to sports, culture and education celebrating the 12<sup>th</sup> annual "Award to our people-the Americas".

Rubén Castro, in recognition of his dedication to sports, culture and education celebrating the 12<sup>th</sup> annual "Award to our people-the Americas".

Segundo Silverio, in recognition of his dedication to sports, culture and education celebrating the 12<sup>th</sup> annual "Award to our people-the Americas".

Hector Jose, in recognition of his dedication to sports, culture and education celebrating the 12<sup>th</sup> annual "Award to our people-the Americas".

Mercedes Pérez, in recognition of her dedication to sports, culture and education celebrating the 12<sup>th</sup> annual "Award to our people-the Americas".

Julio Hernández, in recognition of his dedication to sports, culture and education celebrating the 12<sup>th</sup> annual "Award to our people-the Americas".

Ysabel Vargas, in recognition of her dedication to sports, culture and education celebrating the 12<sup>th</sup> annual "Award to our people-the Americas".

Tanya Baez, in recognition of her dedication to sports, culture and education celebrating the 12<sup>th</sup> annual "Award to our people-the Americas".

Edwin Sanchez, in recognition of his dedication to sports, culture and education celebrating the 12<sup>th</sup> annual "Award to our people-the Americas".

Santos Laras, in recognition of his dedication to sports, culture and education celebrating the 12<sup>th</sup> annual "Award to our people-the Americas".

Aneudy J. Santos, in recognition of his dedication to sports, culture and education celebrating the 12<sup>th</sup> annual "Award to our people-the Americas".

Daniel Padilla, in recognition of his dedication to sports, culture and education celebrating the 12<sup>th</sup> annual "Award to our people-the Americas".

Francisco Nova, in recognition of his dedication to sports, culture and education celebrating the 12<sup>th</sup> annual "Award to our people-the Americas".

José F. Morel, in recognition of his dedication to sports, culture and education celebrating the 12<sup>th</sup> annual "Award to our people-the Americas".

Julio DeAza, in recognition of his dedication to sports, culture and education celebrating the 12<sup>th</sup> annual "Award to our people-the Americas".

José Pérez Corporán, in recognition of his dedication to sports, culture and education celebrating the 12<sup>th</sup> annual “Award to our people-the Americas”.

Miguelina Garcia, in recognition of his dedication to sports, culture and education celebrating the 12<sup>th</sup> annual “Award to our people-the Americas”.

Enemencio Papo Toribio, in recognition of his dedication to sports, culture and education celebrating the 12<sup>th</sup> annual “Award to our people-the Americas”.

Domingo Ortiz, in recognition of his dedication to sports, culture and education celebrating the 12<sup>th</sup> annual “Award to our people-the Americas”.

Victor Peguero, in recognition of his dedication to sports, culture and education celebrating the 12<sup>th</sup> annual “Award to our people-the Americas”.

Sumaya Perez, in recognition of his dedication to sports, culture and education celebrating the 12<sup>th</sup> annual “Award to our people-the Americas”.

Jose Luis Bianco, in recognition of his dedication to sports, culture and education celebrating the 12<sup>th</sup> annual “Award to our people-the Americas”.

Francisco Marmol, in recognition of his dedication to sports, culture and education celebrating the 12<sup>th</sup> annual “Award to our people-the Americas”.

Fabio José, in recognition of his dedication to sports, culture and education celebrating the 12<sup>th</sup> annual “Award to our people-the Americas”.

Kennedy Arias, in recognition of his dedication to sports, culture and education celebrating the 12<sup>th</sup> annual “Award to our people-the Americas”.

Isidro DeLeon, in recognition of his dedication to sports, culture and education celebrating the 12<sup>th</sup> annual “Award to our people-the Americas”.

Miguel Herrá, in recognition of his dedication to sports, culture and education celebrating the 12<sup>th</sup> annual “Award to our people-the Americas”.

Eduardo Lugo, in recognition of his dedication to sports, culture and education celebrating the 12<sup>th</sup> annual “Award to our people-the Americas”.

Victor Martinez, in recognition of his dedication to sports, culture and education celebrating the 12<sup>th</sup> annual “Award to our people-the Americas”.

José Mēndez Jr., in recognition of his dedication to sports, culture and education celebrating the 12<sup>th</sup> annual “Award to our people-the Americas”.

Luis Martinez, in recognition of his dedication to sports, culture and education celebrating the 12<sup>th</sup> annual “Award to our people-the Americas”.



Julio Galvan, in recognition of his dedication to sports, culture and education celebrating the 12<sup>th</sup> annual "Award to our people-the Americas".

Luis Santana, in recognition of his dedication to sports, culture and education celebrating the 12<sup>th</sup> annual "Award to our people-the Americas".

Tonys Garcia, in recognition of his dedication to sports, culture and education celebrating the 12<sup>th</sup> annual "Award to our people-the Americas".

Réymundo Acosta, in recognition of his dedication to sports, culture and education celebrating the 12<sup>th</sup> annual "Award to our people-the Americas".

Dr. Miguel R. Hernández, in recognition of his dedication to sports, culture and education celebrating the 12<sup>th</sup> annual "Award to our people-the Americas".

Héctor José Jr., in recognition of his dedication to sports, culture and education celebrating the 12<sup>th</sup> annual "Award to our people-the Americas".

Erick Collazo, in recognition of his dedication to sports, culture and education celebrating the 12<sup>th</sup> annual "Award to our people-the Americas".

Jessenia Collazo, in recognition of her dedication to sports, culture and education celebrating the 12<sup>th</sup> annual "Award to our people-the Americas".

Carlos Guzman, in recognition of his dedication to sports, culture and education celebrating the 12<sup>th</sup> annual "Award to our people-the Americas".

Maria Mota, in recognition of the celebration of the Grand Opening of the D'Mayra Salon at 1022 Broad Street.

Lou Ledoux, Proprietor, Axis Bats, in recognition of his commitment, dedication and extreme generosity to the Providence Sports & Leadership (PSL), a youth athletic organization that inspires and supports promising youth to be leaders and champions in their communities, by donating fifty bats each year over the past five years, saving the organization thousands of dollars. Their continued support of the program has been truly inspirational.

Dorothea Francis Laughlin, in recognition of the celebration of her 90<sup>th</sup> Birthday, born August 20, 1926.

Luis A. Aponte, City Council President, in recognition of being the recipient of the Guatemalan Center of New England's 2016 Quetzal Award at the Sixth Annual Award Gala.

Centro Cultural Andino, Inc., in recognition of the celebration of the 195<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the Peruvian Independence.

The Honorable Ambassador Augusto Thornberry, Consul General del Peru, in recognition of the celebration of the 195<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the Peruvian Independence.

Desserie Brown Rouse, in recognition of the celebration of her 50<sup>th</sup> Birthday, born August 24, 1966.

**Severally Read and Collectively Passed, on Motion of COUNCILMAN PRINCIPE,  
Seconded by COUNCILMAN CORREIA.**

<b>RESULT:</b>	<b>READ AND PASSED [UNANIMOUS]</b>
<b>MOVER:</b>	Councilman Principe
<b>SECONDER:</b>	Councilman Correia
<b>AYES:</b>	Council President Aponte, Councilman Correia, Councilwoman Harris, Councilmen Igliozi, Jackson, Jennings, Councilwoman Matos, Councilman Principe, Councilwoman Ryan, Councilmen Yurdin and Zurier – 11.
<b>ABSENT:</b>	Councilwoman Castillo, Councilmen Hassett, Narducci and Salvatore – 4.

**The Motion for Passage is Sustained.**

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## **PRESENTATION OF RESOLUTIONS "IN MEMORIAM"**

### **COUNCIL PRESIDENT APONTE AND MEMBERS OF THE CITY COUNCIL**

Resolution Extending Sympathy.

RESOLVED, That the Members of the City Council hereby extend their Sincere Sympathy to the families of the following:

Willis H. Riccio, Esquire

Raymond A. Kelly

Sergio Scarcella

Carleton C. Cappuccino, DMD

Ja-mir Ma'Kenzi Stewart

**Severally Read and Collectively Passed, by a Unanimous Rising Vote, on Motion of COUNCILMAN PRINCIPE, Seconded by COUNCILMAN CORREIA.**

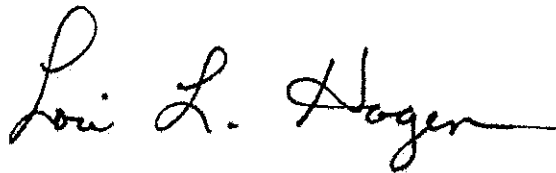
<b>RESULT:</b>	<b>READ AND PASSED [UNANIMOUS]</b>
<b>MOVER:</b>	Councilman Principe
<b>SECONDER:</b>	Councilman Correia
<b>AYES:</b>	Council President Aponte, Councilman Correia, Councilwoman Harris, Councilmen Igliozi, Jackson, Jennings, Councilwoman Matos, Councilman Principe, Councilwoman Ryan, Councilmen Yurdin and Zurier – 11.
<b>ABSENT:</b>	Councilwoman Castillo, Councilmen Hassett, Narducci and Salvatore – 4.

**The Motion for Passage is Sustained.**

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### **CONVENTION**

There being no further business, on Motion of **COUNCILMAN PRINCIPE**, Seconded by **COUNCILMAN CORREIA**, it is voted to adjourn at 7:46 o'clock P.M. in memory of Michelle Cagnon, to meet again **THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 15, 2016 at 7:00 o'clock P.M.**



**LORI L. HAGEN**  
**CITY CLERK**

