

# RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL

No. 137

Approved March 27, 2024

WHEREAS, Chief Judge John J. Lombardi has served the residents of District 8 in Federal Hill, as State Representative since first being elected in November 2012; and

WHEREAS, Chief Judge Lombardi is an alumnus of Mount Pleasant High School, Rhode Island College and Suffolk University Law School; and

WHEREAS, In addition to his duties as a legislator, Chief Judge Lombardi was appointed as Associate Judge of the Providence Municipal Court in 2014; and

WHEREAS, Chief Judge Lombardi was named the Chief Judge of the Providence Municipal Court in 2023; and

WHEREAS, Prior to being elected as State Representative and his appointment to the bench, Chief Judge Lombardi honorably served on the Providence City Council for more than 26 years; and

WHEREAS, During his tenure with the Providence City Council, he served as Council President for 8 years, ultimately culminating in serving for one year as acting Mayor of the City of Providence; and

WHEREAS, Chief Judge Lombardi is also the former President of the Federal Hill House and Zuccolo Recreation Center; and

WHEREAS, His multifaceted career as a legislator, judge, and community leader underscore his commitment to improving the lives of our residents; and

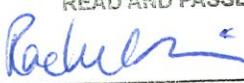
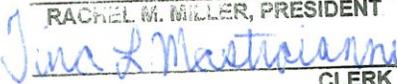
WHEREAS, From championing critical issues at the State House, to his judicial appointment as Chief Judge of the Providence Municipal Court, John J. Lombardi's impact on the City of Providence is profound and far reaching; and

WHEREAS, Chief Judge Lombardi is being honored this year at the city's St. Joseph's Day Celebration for his dedicated service to the City of Providence for over three decades.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, That the Providence City Council hereby honors the contributions of Chief Judge Lombardi as former member of the Providence City Council, Rhode Island State Representative and Chief Judge of the Providence Municipal Court, and acknowledge his profound impact on the residents of the City of Providence; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That a copy of this resolution be presented to Chief Judge John J. Lombardi, as a token of our respect and gratitude for his service to the City of Providence and the State of Rhode Island.

IN CITY COUNCIL  
MAR 21 2024  
READ AND PASSED

  
RACHEL M. MILLER, PRESIDENT  
  
CLERK

I HEREBY APPROVE.

  
Mayor

Date: 