

RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL

No. 33

Approved February 12, 1976

WHEREAS, Ralph J. Hartman, Former Superintendent of Parks, recently retired voluntarily in that capacity following a career which started in January of 1961 and saw improvements, promulgated by his training and zeal, to make the Park System within the City of Providence under his supervision, one of the finest in the entire Nation, and

WHEREAS, Ralph's innovations, which stems from his background as a Landscape Architect, reflect in the result of his top level management, to that encouraged the further development of the Roger Williams Park Zoo, which supported by more than 1,000 Members, as Friends of the Zoo and by the Rhode Island Zoological Society, which numbers over 400 Members, and

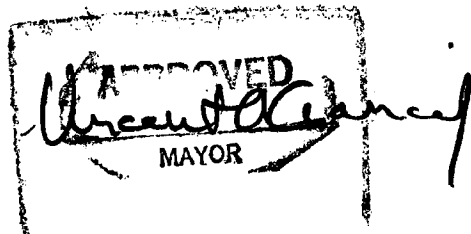
NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that in appreciation of his services rendered to the City of Providence, its citizens and of the appreciation of the many visitors from the local area and national and foreign countries, His Honor Mayor Vincent A. Cianci, Jr., the Members of the City Council and the legions of friends that he made for the Park System of the City, are hereby extended their respective sincere best wishes that he enjoy his voluntary retirement and that he give attention to his personal desire to temper his otherwise busy public life, and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that a duly engrossed copy of this Resolution be transmitted to Ralph J. Hartman, L.A., that he may include it in his memorabilia during his public life.

IN CITY COUNCIL

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READ AND PASSED

Robert J. Hyton
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