

THE CITY OF PROVIDENCE  
STATE OF RHODE ISLAND AND PROVIDENCE PLANTATIONS

# RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL

No. 441

Approved August 9, 1985

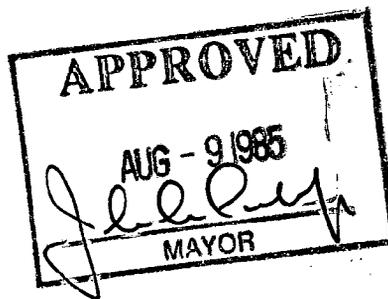
RESOLVED, That the Traffic Engineer is requested to  
cause the Hamlin Street Bridge to be Closed.

IN CITY COUNCIL  
AUG 1 1985

READ AND PASSED

*Nicholas W. Endon*  
PRES.

*Joseph M. Mendonca*  
CLERK



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*Cum gratia* William W. Allen, by Request



Department of Traffic Engineering

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M E M O R A N D U M

TO: Councilman David G. Dillon  
FROM: B. James Suzman  
DATE: August 7, 1985  
RE: RESOLUTION TO CLOSE HAMLIN STREET BRIDGE

Be advised that I offer no objection to the closing of the Hamlin Street Bridge from a traffic circulation viewpoint. It would eliminate the severe problem of non-residents using Hamlin Street to access and cut through Roger Williams Park. Also, it would return Hamlin Street to a local residential street.

As discussed, by copy of this memorandum, I request comments from the Fire and Police Departments and the Department of Public Works as to **their views on closing the bridge.** If the bridge were closed, the Frederick C. Green Boulevard roadway in the park would require a directional change. Thus, I also will forward a copy of this memorandum to the Board of Park Commissioners.

If approved, the actual bridge would be closed by either the Department of Public Works or the State of Rhode Island, Department of Transportation, which I believe maintains said bridge.

Any correspondence on this matter should be sent to the City Clerk.

cc: Mayor Joseph R. Paolino, Jr.  
Colonel Anthony J. Mancuso, Chief of Police  
Lt. William Devine, Traffic Division, PRD  
Chief Michael Moise, Chief, PFD  
Chairman, Board of Park Commissions  
Merrick Cooke, Supt. of Parks  
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Robert Kirby, Deputy Director, RIDOT