

THE CITY OF PROVIDENCE  
STATE OF RHODE ISLAND AND PROVIDENCE PLANTATIONS

# RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL

No. 352

Approved April 11, 1979

WHEREAS, It is with deep and sincere regret the passing of Thomas B. Buffum is noted, and

WHEREAS, As President and Treasurer of John F. Allen & Son, Inc., he was an importer and dealer of precious stones since 1947, and

WHEREAS, A Lieutenant Commander in the United States Navy, he served our country during World War II and through courageous battle, became the recipient of the Purple Heart and the Bronze Star, and

WHEREAS, Active in religious, social and civic affairs, he was a member of the Calvary Baptist Church for more than forty years, past Chairman of the Church Board and Chairman of the Finance Board, a 32nd Degree Mason, Treasurer of the Elmwood Committee "Concerned People of Elmwood" and gave unstintingly of his time as a member of various other organizations,

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, That in respect to the memory of Thomas B. Buffum who devoted himself to the welfare of our community, the City Council pauses in its deliberations to offer its deepest sympathy to his wife Gertrude and to their family in this, their period of bereavement.

IN CITY COUNCIL  
READ AND PASSED  
BY A UNANIMOUS RISING VOTE

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*Ralph Leonard*  
PRESIDENT  
*Jose M. Mendonca*  
CLERK

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MAYOR

*James A. Craven, Jr.*

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Councilman Marshall Lloyd and Councilman Easton

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