

THE CITY OF PROVIDENCE
STATE OF RHODE ISLAND AND PROVIDENCE PLANTATIONS

RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL

No. 388

Approved December 9, 2010

WHEREAS, Balbina A. Young has served on the City Council of the City of Providence since 1989, representing the residents of the eleventh ward for 22 years; and

WHEREAS, Councilwoman Young made history as the first African-American woman elected to municipal office in Rhode Island; and

WHEREAS, In 1995, Councilwoman Young was elected Deputy Majority Leader; and

WHEREAS, She served as Council President Pro Tempore for eight years, elected to the position in both 1999 and 2003; and

WHEREAS, Councilwoman Young served as Acting Council President from September 2003 through December 2003; and

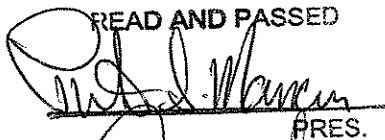
WHEREAS, Councilwoman Young chaired the Committee on Urban Redevelopment, Renewal, and Planning for eight years, from 1999 to 2007; and


WHEREAS, She served on various committees throughout her six terms on the Council, including City Property, Claims and Pending Suits, Dr. Charles V. Chapin Memorial Award, Employees' Retirement System, Ordinances, and Public Works; and

WHEREAS, Balbina A. Young has served the people of Providence with distinction, upholding the powers and duties of the City Council, and fulfilling her responsibilities on this Honorable body.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, That the City Council of the City of Providence does hereby extend its congratulations and gratitude to Balbina A. Young in recognition of her 22 years of service, and wish her good fortune and happiness in the years ahead.

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