

THE CITY OF PROVIDENCE
STATE OF RHODE ISLAND AND PROVIDENCE PLANTATIONS

RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL

No. 719

Approved December 28, 1998

WHEREAS, An ordinance appropriating \$50 million and authorizing the issuance of \$50 million in bonds for the Neighborhood Improvement Program: A Plan to Revitalize Providence's Neighborhoods was adopted (1997-27); and

WHEREAS, said ordinance requires that "each component of said plan will be developed and approved by the City Council prior to the expenditures of any funds"; and

WHEREAS, \$25,633,485.00 million has been appropriated by Council Resolution No. 375 dated June 30, 1997, Council Resolution No. 474 dated August 22, 1997, Council Resolution No. 610 dated October 19, 1997, Council Resolution Numbers 702 & 703 dated December 19, 1997, Council Resolution No. 163 dated March 16, 1998, Council Resolution Nos. 258 & 259 dated April 24, 1998, Council Resolution No. 357 dated June 26, 1998 and Council Resolution No. 555 dated September 28, 1998 for various projects;

WHEREAS, plans have been developed for additional components of the Neighborhood Improvement Plan;

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the following expenditures of funds are approved:

I. NEIGHBORHOOD IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS:

- A. Ward 1
 - 1. Family Services, Inc. - Building Renovations - \$61,000
- B. Ward 2 Park Improvements
 - 1. Sessions Street Park (additional funds) - \$20,000
 - 2. Hope High School Tennis Courts - \$143,000
- C. Ward 4
 - 1. Windmill Street School & Annex (exterior repairs) - \$60,000
 - 2. DaVinci Center (building renovations) - \$75,000
- D. Ward 7
 - 1. Elimination of Blight Program Fund - \$150,000
 - 2. Neutaconkanut Park - Park Improvements - \$125,000
- E. Ward 9
 - 1. Edgewood Boulevard (construct cul-de-sac) - \$89,000
 - 2. Miller Avenue Traffic Calming - \$3,600
 - 3. Tim O'Neil Fields - \$4,000
- F. Ward 14
 - 1. DaVinci Center (building renovations) - \$75,000
- G. Ward 15
 - 1. West Broadway Incentive Corp. - Revolving Loan Program - \$25,000

II. SPECIAL PROJECTS

Woonasquatucket Greenway - \$1.429 million. Funds are being allocated for the design and construction of improvements for the Greenway. Improvements will include work at the Lincoln Lace site, Riverside Mills site, Olneyville Square river front, San Soucci Drive, gateway areas, as described in the Woonasquatucket Greenway Plan, August 1997, dredging of the Woonasquatucket River and other Greenway related improvements.

IN CITY COUNCIL
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READ AND PASSED

Philip V. Fargnoli
PRES.
Michael R. Clement
CLERK

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Vincenzo A. Cianci
MAYOR