

**CITY OF PROVIDENCE  
RHODE ISLAND**



**IN CITY COUNCIL**

**MAR 2 1978**

**APPROVED:**

*Rose M. Mendonca* CLERK

**CITY COUNCIL**

**JOURNAL OF PROCEEDINGS**

**No. 89 City Council Regular Meeting, Thursday, February 16, 1978, 8:00 P.M. (E.S.T.)**

**PRESIDING**

**COUNCIL PRESIDENT PRO TEMPORE**

**RALPH FARGNOLI**

**ROLL CALL**

**Present: Council President Pro Tempore Fargnoli and Councilmen Addison, Almagno, Bradshaw, Cirelli, Cola, Flynn, Garan, Glavin, Gorodetsky, Johnson, Lynch, Mansolillo, Merola, Pearlman, Petrosinelli, Salvatore, Stravato, Tomasso and Xavier—20.**

**Absent: Council President Haxton and Councilman Ahern, Councilwoman Brassil and Councilmen Henries and Turchetta—5.**

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## INVOCATION

The Invocation is given by COUNCILMAN  
WILLIAM G. BRADSHAW.

## PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE TO THE FLAG OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

COUNCILMAN HARRY A. JOHNSON leads  
the Members of the City Council and the Assem-  
blage in the Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag of  
the United States of America.

## APPOINTMENTS BY THE PRESIDENT OF THE CITY COUNCIL

Communication, dated February 13, 1978, In-  
forming the City Clerk of His Appointment of  
Certain Members of the City Council to the Spe-  
cial Committee on the 202nd Anniversary of the  
Declaration of Independence, 1978, as follows:

February 13, 1978

Mrs. Rose M. Mendonca  
City Clerk  
City Hall  
Providence, Rhode Island 02903

Dear Mrs. Mendonca:

This is to advise that under the provisions of Resolution of the City Council No. 54, approved February 9, 1978, I hereby appoint the following to serve as Members of the Special Committee of the City Council for the purpose of planning and conducting a proper observance of the 202nd Anniversary of the Declaration of Independence of the United States of America on July 4, 1978, viz:

Councilman Edward W. Xavier  
Councilwoman Carolyn F. Brassil  
Councilman Thomas M. Glavin  
Councilman Ralph Fargnoli  
Councilman William G. Bradshaw

Sincerely,

ROBERT J. HAXTON  
President — City Council

Received.

## SCHEDULE OF BILLS

### FROM ACTING PUBLIC SERVICE ENGINEER:

Street Lighting Bill for the Month of January, 1978, in the Amount of Ninety-Eight Thousand, Two Hundred Thirty-One Dollars, Sixty-Four Cents (\$98,231.64).

Approved, and Referred to the Committee on Finance, on motion of COUNCILMAN LYNCH, seconded by COUNCILMAN ADDISON, by the following Roll Call Vote:

Ayes: Council President Pro Tempore Fargnoli and Councilmen Addison, Cirelli, Cola, Johnson, Lynch, Pearlman and Xavier—8.

Noes: Councilmen Bradshaw, Flynn, Garan, Glavin and Merola—5.

Not Voting: Councilmen Gorodetsky, Manso-lillo, Petrosinelli, Salvatore and Tomasso—5.

Absent: Council President Haxton and Councilmen Ahern, Almagno, Councilwoman Brassil, Councilmen Henries, Stravato and Turchetta—7.

## ORDINANCE SECOND READING

**The following Ordinance was in City Council February 2, 1978, Read and Passed the First Time and Is Returned for Passage the Second Time:**

An Ordinance in Amendment of the Appropriation Ordinance Chapter 1977-35, Approved July 18, 1977, by Appropriating a Sum Not to Exceed Two Thousand Dollars (\$2,000.00) to Soldiers' Burial Account, 1-14-07.

*Be it ordained by the City of Providence:*

**Section 1.** Chapter 1977-35 of the Ordinances of the City of Providence, as approved July 18, 1977, entitled: "An Ordinance Making Appropriation of \$108,255,372.79 for the support of the City Government for the Fiscal Period beginning July 1, 1977, and ending June 30, 1978, is hereby amended by appropriating the sum of Two Thousand Dollars (\$2,000.00) to the City of Providence Account — Soldiers Burials, Item 3.

**Sec. 2.** The said sum of Two Thousand Dollars (\$2,000.00) as thus added and appropriated

shall be obtained by authorizing the City Controller and City Treasurer to transfer a like sum from funds not otherwise appropriated.

**Sec. 3.** This Ordinance shall take effect upon its passage.

**Read and Passed the Second Time, on motion of COUNCILMAN LYNCH, seconded by COUNCILMAN ADDISON, by the following Roll Call Vote:**

**Ayes:** Council President Pro Tempore Fagnoli and Councilmen Addison, Bradshaw, Cirelli, Cola, Flynn, Garan, Glavin, Gorodetsky, Johnson, Lynch, Mansolillo, Merola, Pearlman, Petrosinelli, Salvatore, Tomasso and Xavier—18.

**Absent:** Council President Haxton and Councilmen Ahern, Almagno, Councilwoman Brassil, Councilmen Henries, Stravato and Turchetta—7.

## PRESENTATION OF ORDINANCE

### **COUNCILMAN ADDISON:**

An Ordinance Directing the Director of Public Works to Announce Publicly, Not Less than Twenty-Four (24) Hours, Advance Warnings of Any Major Impending Storms Which Could Affect the City of Providence.

**Referred to the Committee on Public Works, on motion of COUNCILMAN LYNCH, seconded by COUNCILMAN ADDISON.**

## PRESENTATION OF RESOLUTIONS

### **COUNCILMAN BRADSHAW and COUNCILMAN PEARLMAN:**

Resolution Commending the Students of Brown University for Their Untiring Assistance to the Red Cross in Their "Operation Ski Out."

*Whereas*, As a result of the severe snow storm of Monday, February 6, 1978, Citizens throughout the City of Providence were in need of food for the various shelters which were afforded them, and

*Whereas*, The Red Cross Chapter located on Waterman Street, being in need of assistance for persons to travel with skis to the various shelter locations, asked for this assistance through the News Media who in turn immediately broadcast the request, and

*Whereas*, Students of Brown University came forth with such enthusiasm, a waiting list was formed and the Red Cross Chapter planned their "Operation Ski Out," and

*Whereas*, Red Cross found it feasible to feed thousands of people when the students backpacked sufficient food to the various shelters and homes of elderly and ill people stranded without food, and

*Whereas*, During this crisis, as many as Five Thousand People were fed Three meals a day, which were provided by Army National Guard Air Helicopters and backpacked by Brown University Student Volunteers to the numerous shelters,

*Now, Therefore, be it Resolved*, That the City Council of the City of Providence extends their appreciation and commendation to the many students of Brown University who willingly gave their assistance to aid the Red Cross Chapter to feed thousands of people stranded at the various shelters and homes throughout the City of Providence, during this crisis.

Read and Passed, on motion of **COUNCILMAN LYNCH**, seconded by **COUNCILMEN BRADSHAW, FLYNN, GORODETSKY and PEARLMAN**.

### **COUNCILMAN XAVIER for COUNCILWOMAN BRASSIL, In Absentia:**

Resolution Requesting the Office of Community Development Report to the City Council, in Writing, the Amount of Funds Expended During the Last Funding Year to February 1, 1978.

*Resolved*, That the Mayor's Office of Community Development is requested to submit a report to the City Council in accordance with Sections 5 and 8 of Chapter No. 1977-16, approved April 28, 1977, in response to the following questions as of February 1, 1978, relating to the Community Development Block Grant Entitlement Funds for the Fiscal Year, 1978; the amount of money spent; the amount of money available, and the work to be completed.

Read and Passed, on motion of **COUNCILMAN LYNCH**, seconded by **COUNCILMAN ADDISON**.

### **COUNCILMAN CIRELLI and COUNCIL PRESIDENT PRO TEMPORE FARGNOLI:**

Resolution Extending the Congratulations of the City Council to Associate Justice of the Superior Court, Anthony A. Giannini Upon His Selection as "Man of the Year" by the Verrazano Day Observance Committee.

*Whereas*, Anthony A. Giannini, Associate Justice of the Superior Court of the State of Rhode

Island and Providence Plantations is this years' selectee to receive the coveted award of the Giovanni da Verrazzano Day Observance Committee, Inc., as its "1978 Man of the Year," and

*Whereas*, By noting the respect and confidence Judge Giannini has earned in the conduct of his personal, social and judicial roles he has set an exemplary pattern of proper behavior of which the Italo-American Community, in particular, and the entire populace of our State can well be proud,

*Now, Therefore, be it Resolved*. That upon the adoption of this Resolution and its approval by the Mayor, the City Clerk is directed to cause a duly engrossed copy thereof to be transmitted to Associate Justice Anthony A. Giannini.

**Read and Passed, on motion of COUNCILMAN LYNCH, seconded by COUNCILMEN ADDISON and CIRELLI.**

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**COUNCILMAN FLYNN:**

Resolution Requesting the Committee on Public Works to Conduct an Investigation Into the Snow Storm of February 6, 1978.

*Whereas*, The tremendous snow storm of February 6, 1978 has been the subject of much controversy regarding the City's response to meet this natural disaster, and

*Whereas*, It has taken the City a week from the date of said snow storm to adequately clear the business and residential sections within the downtown section of the City of Providence,

*Now, Therefore, be it Resolved*, That the Committee on Public Works be authorized to conduct an indepth investigation, including powers to subpoena persons and records, pertaining to a complete investigation into the snow removal element.

**Read and Passed, on motion of COUNCILMAN LYNCH, seconded by COUNCILMAN ADDISON.**

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**COUNCILMAN GARAN:**

Resolution Commending All City Workers for Their Extended Efforts During the Recent Emergency Condition Which Existed During the Week Which Resulted from the Snow Storm of February 6, 1978.

*Whereas*, The City of Providence was besieged with the worst snow storm in many decades, and

*Whereas*, The Administration had no preconceived plan that could be put into effect upon blizzard conditions, and

*Whereas*, Our City Employees, together with Policemen and Firefighters were subjected to many pressures arising from emergency situations caused by people who were without food, fuel, shelter, medical care and the many Citizens having been stranded in their automobiles, and

*Whereas*, The City Workers had to contend with inadequate equipment and an insufficient amount of equipment to combat the blizzard, and

*Whereas*, Said City Workers received outside interference in the operation of the Public Works Department, and were subjected to conflicting directiveness from several different sources which deterred their effort in efficient snow removal, and

*Whereas*, The entire snow removal operation was utilized as a Political "Football" between City Hall and the State House, and

*Whereas*, The Mayor failed to impose the parking ban early enough and to dismiss City Employees early enough on the day of the storm thereby causing a traffic jam which made Streets impassible for plowing, and

Whereas, In spite of all the foregoing obstacles which City Workers were confronted with in the performance of their duties, many unselfish acts of heroism were performed by the said Workers to assist the people of the City of Providence in their plight, they having worked long hours without sleep and rest during this crisis,

Now, Therefore, be it Resolved, That the City Council hereby commends all City Workers in the City of Providence for making the best out of a very difficult situation.

Read and Passed, on motion of COUNCILMAN LYNCH, seconded by COUNCILMAN ADDISON.

COUNCILMAN MANSOLILLO desires to be recorded as voting "No."

the Recent Blizzard or Other Unusual Emergencies.

Referred to the Committee on Public Works, on motion of COUNCILMAN LYNCH, seconded by COUNCILMAN ADDISON.

Resolution Requesting the Mayor's Office to Set Up Special Telephone Numbers and Modus Operandi to Allow Better Communications with the City Council During Storm Emergencies.

Referred to the Committee on Public Works, on motion of COUNCILMAN LYNCH, seconded by COUNCILMAN ADDISON.

**COUNCILMAN PEARLMAN and COUNCILMAN BRADSHAW:**

Resolution Requesting the Civil Defense Preparedness Agency of the City of Providence to Advise the City Council as to the Feasibility of Using Civil Defense Sirens as Warning Signals During "Snow Alert Conditions" and "Snow Emergency Conditions."

Referred to the Committee on Public Works, on motion of COUNCILMAN LYNCH, seconded by COUNCILMAN ADDISON.

**COUNCILMAN PEARLMAN and COUNCILMAN BRADSHAW (By Request):**

Resolution Authorizing the City Council of the City of Providence, Rhode Island, to File an Application for Funding Under the Housing and Community Development Act of 1974 for Funds for the Community Development Block Grant Entitlement Funds for the Fiscal Year, 1979.

Referred to the Committee on Urban Redevelopment, Renewal and Planning, on motion of COUNCILMAN LYNCH, seconded by COUNCILMAN ADDISON.

Resolution Requesting the City Council Study the Advisability of Setting Up an "Emergency Committee" with the Mayor's Office to Coordinate Activities During Conditions Such as

**COUNCILMAN SALVATORE and COUNCILMAN PETROSINELLI (By Request):**

Resolution Requiring the Director of Recreation to Provide a First Aid Course for All Employees of the Recreation Department.

Referred to the Committee on Public Welfare, on motion of COUNCILMAN LYNCH, seconded by COUNCILMAN ADDISON.

**COUNCILMAN STRAVATO:**

Resolution Requesting the Director of Public Works to Remove the Snow from Platted and Unreceived Streets in the City of Providence Where Structures Exist.

Referred to the Committee on Public Works, on motion of COUNCILMAN LYNCH, seconded by COUNCILMAN ADDISON.

**COUNCILMAN TOMASSO:**

Resolution Requesting an Explanation from the School Department as to the Reason the Fourth Grade Teacher was Removed from the Reservoir Avenue Elementary School.

Whereas, The removal of the Fourth Grade Teacher from the Reservoir Avenue Elementary School has resulted in the assignment of one-half of the class to the third grade teacher and one-half of the class to the fifth grade teacher,

Now, Therefore, be it Resolved, That the Providence School Department is hereby requested to report to the City Council in writing, an explanation of the elimination of the Fourth Grade Teacher at the Reservoir Avenue Elementary School.

Read and Passed, on motion of COUNCILMAN LYNCH, seconded by COUNCILMAN ADDISON.

## COMMUNICATIONS AND REPORTS

**FROM THE RHODE ISLAND PUBLIC TRANSIT AUTHORITY:**

Communication Requesting an Opportunity to Present Their Proposed Program to the City Council or an Appropriate Committee, thereof, Relative to Its Proposed Program of Bus Stop Shelters.

Received and Referred to Joint Committees on Public Works and Public Welfare, on motion of COUNCILMAN LYNCH, seconded by COUNCILMAN ADDISON.

**FROM THE HISTORICAL PRESERVATION COMMISSION:**

Communication Informing of the Approval and Preparation of Nominations of Certain Properties within Providence to the National Register of Historic Places.

Received.

**FROM PROBATE COURT OF THE CITY OF PROVIDENCE:**

Report for the Fiscal Year Beginning July 1, 1976 to June 30, 1977.

Received.

**FROM PROVIDENCE HUMAN RELATIONS COMMISSION:**

Report on Minority Group Members for the Fiscal Year July 1, 1976 to June 30, 1977.

Received.

**PRESENTATION OF RESOLUTIONS**  
*"In Memoriam"*

**COUNCILMAN CIRELLI and COUNCILMAN COLA:**

Resolution of Sympathy Upon the Death of Anna T. Dore, Wife of Oliver O. Dore, Acting Public Service Engineer:

*Resolved*, That in the recent passing from this life of Anna T. Dore, beloved wife of Oliver O. Dore, Acting Public Service Engineer of the City of Providence, the sincere sympathy of the City Council is hereby expressed to her husband and to her family in this, their great loss.

**Read and Passed, by a Unanimous Rising Vote, on motion of COUNCILMAN LYNCH, seconded by COUNCILMEN ADDISON, CIRELLI and COLA.**

**COUNCILMAN ADDISON for Himself and COUNCILMAN HENRIES, In Absentia:**

Resolution of Sympathy Upon the Death of John Mello.

*Whereas*, In His Divine Wisdom, Almighty God has called unto Himself, John "Red" Mello, in his sixty-first year, and

*Whereas*, A resident of our City for forty-five years, he was a Charter Member of Club 650 and an Associate Member of the Othabone Elks Lodge 931,

*Now, Therefore, be it Resolved*, That in noting the passing from this life of John "Red" Mello, this City Council pauses in its deliberations to offer its deepest sympathy to his family in this, their period of bereavement, and

*Be it further Resolved*, That upon the adoption of this Resolution by the City Council, and its approval by His Honor the Mayor, the City Clerk is directed to transmit a duly engrossed copy of the same to his widow, Helen Mello.

**Read and Passed, by a Unanimous Rising Vote, on motion of COUNCILMAN LYNCH, seconded by COUNCILMAN ADDISON.**

**COUNCILMAN STRAVATO:**

Resolution Noting the Death of Henry F. Greco,  
Noted Warwick Resident and Civic Leader.

*Whereas*, Henry F. Greco, noted Civic Leader of our State, has departed from this life in his sixtieth year, and

*Whereas*, A self-made man, he rose to become President of a prosperous plating manufacturing business, which boasted world wide accounts, and

*Whereas*, A Councilman in the City of Warwick, Rhode Island, for ten years, he served as President of said Council the last four years, and

*Whereas*, Mr. Greco was Chairman of Warwick's Housing Development Corporation and was elected as Democratic City Chairman due to his many capabilities and his being a dedicated public servant, and

*Whereas*, Active in Community and social affairs, he was a Member of Warwick Council

Knights of Columbus, Warwick Lodge of Elks and the William Shields Jr. American Legion Post,

*Now, Therefore, be it Resolved*, That in the passing from this life of Henry F. Greco, a personable and humble gentle man, the Members of the City Council of Providence, Rhode Island hereby express to his family its deepest sympathy in this, their period of bereavement, and

*Be it further Resolved*, That upon the adoption of this Resolution by the City Council, and its approval by His Honor the Mayor, the City Clerk is directed to transmit a duly engrossed copy to his widow, Dorothy Greco, that she may be aware of the admiration and respect in which her late husband was held.

**Read and Passed, by a Unanimous Rising Vote, on motion of COUNCILMAN LYNCH, seconded by COUNCILMEN ADDISON and STRAVATO.**

## MATTER NOT APPEARING ON THE PRINTED DOCKET

On motion of COUNCILMAN LYNCH, seconded by COUNCILMEN ADDISON and FLYNN, it is Voted to Suspend Rule 16 of the Rules of the

City Council in Order to Allow the Introduction of the following Matters Not Appearing on the Printed Docket.

## PRESENTATION OF RESOLUTIONS

### COUNCILMAN GARAN:

Resolution Requesting the Rhode Island Public Transit Authority to Invoke a Thirty Day Trial Period Wherein Its Buses will Continue to Serve the Public Gratuitously.

*Whereas*, Following the recent snow storm in the Northeastern Part of our Country, which apparently affected the State of Rhode Island more adversely than the other Sections of the Northeast Corridor, State Public Passenger Service was afforded the Citizens of our State, and

*Whereas*, The Rhode Island Public Transit Authority Buses were mobilized to transport passengers, gratuitously, to assist them in local travel, which proved most effective and which aided citizens desiring to do business in Downtown Providence, and

*Whereas*, The Redevelopment Plans for downtown Providence include restrictions on auto traffic, and

*Whereas*, People should become accustomed to using bus transportation if we are to insure patronage of downtown businesses, and

*Whereas*, Providence could become a National model of how central cities could be revived and downtown traffic reduced, and

*Whereas*, The initial days of the free bus service have proven the service to be effective in reducing traffic congestion and air pollution,

*Now, Therefore, be it Resolved*, That the State of Rhode Island is hereby urged to continue to

fund this program, or to seek federal funds for its continuation, for a trial period of at least one month and to continue the program permanently if it proves to be a success and that free fare should apply to all persons who go into the Downtown Area whether they be shoppers or workers.

**Read and Passed, on motion of COUNCILMAN LYNCH, seconded by COUNCILMAN ADDISON.**

### COUNCILMAN TOMASSO:

Resolution of the City Council Transmitting to the School Committee Its Expressed Desire that the Said School Committee Make Every Effort to Seek Those Alternatives that Will Insure Every Child in the Providence School System a Full One Hundred Eighty (180) Day School Year for the 1977-1978 School Year.

*Resolved*, That the Providence City Council transmits to the Providence School Committee its expressed desire that the said School Committee make every effort to seek those alternatives that will insure every child in the Providence School system a full one hundred eighty (180) day school year for the 1977-1978 school year.

**Read and Passed, on motion of COUNCILMAN TOMASSO, seconded by COUNCILMEN LYNCH, ALMAGNO and GLAVIN.**

**COUNCILMAN FLYNN desires to be recorded as voting "No."**

## COMMUNICATIONS

House Resolution Respectfully Requesting the Providence City Council to Create and Empower an Ad Hoc Subcommittee for the Purpose of Formulating Emergency Readiness Procedures for the City of Providence.

Received.

**FROM STANLEY BERNSTEIN, DIRECTOR OF CITY PLAN COMMISSION:**

Communication, Relative to Its Review of the Proposed Land Management Bill Citing Its General Support and Approval of Objectives and Concepts Therein and Informing of Certain Elements of the Bill to be Considered Further.

Received.

## PRESENTATION OF ORDINANCE

**COUNCIL PRESIDENT PRO TEMPORE FARGNOLI and COUNCILMAN ADDISON, COUNCILMAN ALMAGNO, COUNCILMAN BRADSHAW, COUNCILMAN CIRELLI, COUNCILMAN COLA, COUNCILMAN FLYNN, COUNCILMAN GARAN, COUNCILMAN GLAVIN, COUNCILMAN GORODETSKY, COUNCILMAN JOHNSON, COUNCILMAN LYNCH, COUNCILMAN MANSOLILLO, COUNCILMAN MEROLA, COUNCILMAN PEARLMAN, COUNCILMAN PETROSINELLI, COUNCILMAN SALVATORE, COUNCILMAN STRAVATO, COUNCILMAN TOMASSO and COUNCILMAN XAVIER for Themselves and COUNCIL PRESIDENT HAXTON, COUNCILMAN AHERN, COUNCILWOMAN BRASSIL, COUNCILMAN HENRIES and COUNCILMAN TURCHETTA, In Absentia:**

Resolution of the City Council Extending Its Best Wishes to Henry F. Murray, Jr., Administrative

Assistant to the City Council for a Speedy Recovery.

*Resolved*, That the Members of the City Council extend their best wishes to Henry F. Murray, Jr., Administrative Assistant to the City Council for a speedy recovery from the illness which has caused his hospitalization with the hope that he will be back among us quickly.

Read and Passed, on motion of **COUNCILMAN LYNCH**, seconded by **COUNCIL PRESIDENT PRO TEMPORE FARGNOLI and COUNCILMAN ADDISON, ALMAGNO, BRADSHAW, CIRELLI, COLA, FLYNN, GARAN, GLAVIN, GORODETSKY, JOHNSON, MANSOLILLO, MEROLA, PEARLMAN, PETROSINELLI, SALVATORE, STRAVATO, TOMASSO, and XAVIER.**

## PERSONAL PRIVILEGES

**COUNCILMAN STRAVATO** requests and is granted the privilege of the floor and states:

Mr. President and Members of the City Council. In the Providence Journal there was an article which stated an anonymous caller had informed that a Storage Shed on Ralph Street was cleared of snow which is owned by Councilman Stravato. I assisted in the coordination of snow removal in the Seventh Ward together with Councilman Almagno and I do not own a Storage Shed on Ralph Street. Ralph Street was cleared Sunday afternoon. I take personal offense to that statement as Councilman Almagno and myself worked very hard on this snow removal.

Further, I would like to make another point. I noticed that many of our schools do not have the exits cleared of snow which could be a disaster if a fire occurred. At least exits and fire exits should be cleared of all snow as this could be hazardous. A special memorandum should be sent to the Superintendent of Schools requesting the removal of snow at said exits.

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**COUNCILMAN MANSOLILLO** requests and is granted the privilege of the Floor and states:

Mr. President and Members of the City Council. The other evening I was quite disturbed be-

cause like Councilman Stravato said, I too had been made a victim of big happenings. My brother, Councilman Flynn, for whatever reason I do not know, during the storm decided to speak to the press that Councilman Mansolillo's Street, which is Moore Street, was plowed. That is all he said. However, these kind of things in that type of a crisis, suggest politics as said earlier. Just to set the record straight, as to what happened at that point, none of us had indication as to what could be plowed, Moore Street was plowed on Wednesday Evening or early Thursday morning about 4:00 o'clock A.M. and that is because a City Communication Truck was stranded on Updike Street which is near Moore Street. It is regrettable these kind of things bring out the best, as well as the worst, in thinking that comes out of us all. It is unfortunate that these exchanges are necessary, particularly when information that is being used to make those ascertions are not complete. Like Councilman Stravato, being victimized by a brother Councilman, I was upset. I hope all of us take a lesson from this storm and learn that Political Statements during this kind of crisis serve no purpose.

## ADJOURNMENT

There being no further business, on motion of COUNCILMAN LYNCH, seconded by COUNCILMEN ADDISON, ALMAGNO, FLYNN and MEROLA, the City Council Adjourns at 9:25 o'clock P.M. (E.S.T.) to meet again on THURSDAY, MARCH 2, 1978, at 8:00 o'clock P.M. (E.S.T.).

*Rose M. Mendonca*  
City Clerk



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