

**CITY OF PROVIDENCE
RHODE ISLAND**



CITY COUNCIL

JOURNAL OF PROCEEDINGS

No. 32 City Council Regular Council Meeting, Thursday, December 3, 2015, 7:00 o'clock P.M.

PRESIDING

COUNCIL PRESIDENT

LUIS A. APONTE

CALL TO ORDER

**PRESENT: COUNCIL PRESIDENT APONTE, COUNCILWOMAN CASTILLO,
COUNCILMAN CORREIA, COUNCILWOMAN HARRIS,
COUNCILMAN HASSETT, COUNCILMAN IGLIOZZI, COUNCILMAN JACKSON,
COUNCILMAN JENNINGS, COUNCILWOMAN MATOS,
COUNCILMAN NARDUCCI, COUNCILMAN PRINCIPE,
COUNCILWOMAN RYAN, COUNCILMAN SALVATORE,
COUNCILMAN YURDIN, COUNCILMAN ZURIER – 15.**

**ALSO PRESENT: LORI L. HAGEN, CITY CLERK, DONNA PELIGIAN,
ASSISTANT CLERK, TINA L. MASTROIANNI, ASSISTANT CLERK AND
JEFFREY DANA, CITY SOLICITOR**

**IN CITY COUNCIL
JAN 07 2016**

APPROVED:  **CLERK**

ROLL CALL

INVOCATION

The Invocation is given by **COUNCILMAN TERRENCE M. HASSETT**.

"Dear Lord, we ask for your assistance tonight and throughout the year to give guidance and kindness to make our city a better place to live, especially those who were victims in the California disaster. We ask that you oversee goodness to the families of those victims. We ask this in your name. Amen."

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

COUNCILMAN JOHN J. IGLIOZZI Leads the Members of the City Council in the Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag of the United States of America.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

Journal of Proceedings No. 31 of the Regular Meeting of the City Council held November 19, 2015, are approve as printed, on Motion of **COUNCILMAN JACKSON**, Seconded by **COUNCILMAN CORREIA**.

RESULT:	APPROVED (WITH VOTE) [UNANIMOUS]
MOVER:	Kevin Jackson, Councilman
SECONDER:	Michael J. Correia, Councilman
AYES:	Aponte, Castillo, Correia, Harris, Hassett, Igliazzi, Jackson, Jennings, Matos, Narducci, Principe, Ryan, Salvatore, Yuridin, Zurier – 15.

APPOINTMENTS BY HIS HONOR THE MAYOR

Communication from His Honor the Mayor, dated November 16, 2015, Informing the Honorable Members of the City Council that pursuant to Sections 302(b) and 1107 of the Providence Home Rule Charter of 1980, as amended and Public Law, and the bylaws of the Providence Housing Authority, he is this day appointing Jessica Cigna of 150 Dexterdale Road, Providence, Rhode Island 02906, as a member of the Providence Housing Authority Board of Directors for a term to expire July 31, 2020.

COUNCIL PRESIDENT APONTE Receives the foregoing Communication.

RESULT: RECEIVED

Communication from His Honor the Mayor, dated November 16, 2015, Informing the Honorable Members of the City Council that pursuant to Section 302(b) of the Providence Home Rule Charter of 1980, as amended and Rhode Island General Law 45-42.1-3, as well as Zoning Ordinance 501.1(c), he is this day re-appointing Catherine Lund of 225 Adelaide Avenue, Providence, Rhode Island 02907, as a member of the Historic District Commission for a term to expire on September 30, 2018.

COUNCIL PRESIDENT APONTE Receives the foregoing Communication.

RESULT: RECEIVED

Communication from His Honor the Mayor, dated November 20, 2015, Informing the Honorable Members of the City Council that pursuant to Sections 302(b) and 1102 of the Providence Home Rule Charter of 1980, as amended and Public Law, Chapter 45-50, Sections 1 through 31 passed in 1987, he is this day re-appointing Juan Pichardo of 229 Atlantic Avenue, Providence, Rhode Island 02907, as a member of the Board of Licenses for a term ending on January 31, 2019, and respectfully submits the same for your approval.

Communication from His Honor the Mayor, dated November 24, 2015, Informing the Honorable Members of the City Council that pursuant to Sections 302(b) and 1013 of the Providence Home Rule Charter of 1980, as amended and Public Law, Chapter 45-50, Sections 1 through 31 passed in 1987, he is this day re-appointing Heather Tow-Yick of 36 Fosdyke Street, Providence, Rhode Island 02906, as a human services category member of the City Plan Commission for a term to end January 31, 2021, and respectfully submits the same for your approval.

Communication from His Honor the Mayor, dated November 24, 2015, Informing the Honorable Members of the City Council that pursuant to Section 302(b) of the Providence Home Rule Charter of 1980, as amended; Section 8-13 of the Code of Ordinances of the City of Providence; and Public Law, Chapter 45-50, Sections 1 through 31 passed in 1987, he is this day re-appointing Lynette Labinger, Esquire of 658 Hope Street, Providence, Rhode Island 02906, as the Chief Justice of the Providence Housing Court, for a term to end January 4, 2019, and respectfully submits the same for your approval.

Communication from His Honor the Mayor, dated November 24, 2015, Informing the Honorable Members of the City Council that pursuant to Section 302(b) of the Providence Home Rule Charter of 1980, as amended; Section 8-13 of the Code of Ordinances of the City of Providence; and Public Law, Chapter 45-50, Sections 1 through 31 passed in 1987, he is this day re-appointing David Igliozi, Esquire of 20 Legion Memorial Drive, Providence, Rhode Island 02909, as an Associate Justice of the Providence Housing Court, for a term to end January 4, 2019, and respectfully submits the same for your approval.

Communication from His Honor the Mayor, dated November 25, 2015, Informing the Honorable Members of the City Council that pursuant to Sections 302(b) and 814 of the Providence Home Rule Charter of 1980, as amended and Public Law, Chapter 45-50, Sections 1 through 31 passed in 1987, he is this day re-appointing Robert Kumins of 4 Cole Farm Court, Providence, Rhode Island 02906, as a member of the Board of Tax Assessment and Review for a term ending on January 31, 2019, and respectfully submits the same for your approval.

Communication from His Honor the Mayor, dated November 25, 2015, Informing the Honorable Members of the City Council that pursuant to Sections 302(b) and 701 of the Providence Home Rule Charter of 1980, as amended and Public Law, Chapter 45-50, Sections 1 through 31 passed in 1987, he is this day appointing Ivette C. Luna of 27 Fisk Street, Providence, Rhode Island 02905, as a member of the Providence School Board for a term to expire on January 31, 2019, and respectfully submits the same for your approval. (Ms. Luna will replace Phanida Phivilay)

Communication from His Honor the Mayor, dated November 25, 2015, Informing the Honorable Members of the City Council that pursuant to Sections 302(b) and 701 of the Providence Home Rule Charter of 1980, as amended and Public Law, Chapter 45-50, Sections 1 through 31 passed in 1987, he is this day re-appointing Nicholas Hemond of 618 Pleasant Valley Parkway, Providence, Rhode Island 02908, as a member of the Providence School Board for a term to expire on January 31, 2019, and respectfully submits the same for your approval.

Communication from His Honor the Mayor, dated November 25, 2015, Informing the Honorable Members of the City Council that pursuant to Sections 302(b) and 701 of the Providence Home Rule Charter of 1980, as amended and Public Law, Chapter 45-50, Sections 1 through 31 passed in 1987, he is this day appointing Lorraine N. Lalli, Esquire of 11 Fifth Street, Providence, Rhode Island 02906, as a member of the Providence School Board for a term to expire on January 31, 2019, and respectfully submits the same for your approval. (Ms. Lalli will replace Eva Avila)

PRESENTATION OF ORDINANCES

COUNCIL PRESIDENT APONTE, (By Request):

An Ordinance Relating to Article IV, Chapter 17, Section 17-189(6) of the Code of Ordinances. (Disability Waiver Request).

COUNCILMAN JACKSON Moves to Dispense with the Reading of the forgoing matters, Seconded by COUNCILMAN CORREIA.

COUNCIL PRESIDENT APONTE Refers the Several Communications and Ordinance to the Committee on Finance.

RESULT:	REFERRED
TO:	Committee on Finance

COUNCIL PRESIDENT APONTE

An Ordinance in Amendment of Article XXIV, "Juvenile Hearing Board," of Chapter 2 of the Code of Ordinances of the City of Providence.

COUNCIL PRESIDENT APONTE Refers the Communication to the Ordinance Committee.

RESULT:	REFERRED
TO:	Committee on Ordinances

COUNCIL PRESIDENT APONTE, COUNCILWOMAN RYAN

An Ordinance in Amendment of the 2015 Providence Neighborhood Revitalization Act.

PRESENTATION OF RESOLUTIONS

COUNCIL PRESIDENT APONTE, (By Request):

Resolution Authorizing Approval of the following Two-Year Contract Extension Award by the Board of Contract and Supply, in accordance with Section 21-26 of the Code of Ordinances.

Mercer Health and Benefits, LLC (Human Resources)	\$660,000.00
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COUNCIL PRESIDENT APONTE, (By Request):

Resolution Authorizing Approval of the following Sole Source Contract Award by the Board of Contract and Supply, in accordance with Section 21-26 of the Code of Ordinances.

OpportunitySpace, Inc.	\$9,000.00
(Planning and Development)	

COUNCIL PRESIDENT APONTE, (By Request):

Resolution Authorizing Approval of the following Contract Award by the Board of Contract and Supply, in accordance with Section 21-26 of the Code of Ordinances.

City Year Rhode Island (School Department)	\$400,000.00
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COUNCILMAN JACKSON Moves to Dispense with the Reading of the forgoing matters,
Seconded by COUNCILMAN CORREIA.

COUNCIL PRESIDENT APONTE Refers the Ordinance and Several Communications to the Committee on Finance.

RESULT:	REFERRED
TO:	Committee on Finance

COUNCILMAN CORREIA

Resolution Requesting the Director of Public Works to extend the hours that residents can drop off mattresses Monday through Friday during DPW operating hours.

RESOLVED, That the Director of Public Works is requested to extend the hours that residents can drop off mattresses Monday through Friday during DPW operating hours.

COUNCILMAN CORREIA

Resolution Requesting the Public Safety Commissioner and the Chief of Police to assign a member of the department to investigate and identify members responsible for graffiti tagging throughout the city.

RESOLVED, That the Public Safety Commissioner and the Chief of Police is requested to assign a member of the department to investigate and identify members responsible for graffiti tagging throughout the city.

COUNCILMAN CORREIA

Resolution Requesting the Director of Public Property to cause the installation of Portable Defibrillators on all floors of City Hall, and in all Recreation Centers and all City-Owned Public Buildings.

RESOLVED, That the Director of Public Property is requested to cause the installation of Portable Defibrillators on all floors of City Hall, and in all Recreation Centers and all Public City-Owned Public Buildings.

COUNCILMAN CORREIA

Resolution Requesting the Traffic Engineer to cause the replacement of all faded "No Parking" Signs located on Unit Street.

RESOLVED, That the Traffic Engineer is requested to cause the replacement of all faded "No Parking" Signs located on Unit Street.

COUNCILMAN CORREIA

Resolution Requesting the Forestry Division of the Parks Department to cause the removal of the vandalized tree located at 205 Sisson Street.

RESOLVED, That the Forestry Division of the Parks Department is requested to cause the removal of the vandalized tree located at 205 Sisson Street.

COUNCILMAN ZURIER, COUNCIL PRESIDENT APONTE,
COUNCILWOMAN CASTILLO, COUNCILMAN CORREIA,
COUNCILWOMAN HARRIS, COUNCILMAN HASSETT, COUNCILMAN
IGLIOZZI, COUNCILMAN JACKSON, COUNCILMAN JENNINGS,
COUNCILWOMAN MATOS, COUNCILMAN NARDUCCI, COUNCILMAN
PRINCIPE, COUNCILWOMAN RYAN, COUNCILMAN SALVATORE,
COUNCILMAN YURDIN

Resolution Urging the Governor's Working Group to study the State Education Aid
Funding Formula.

WHEREAS, The quality of the education the Providence Public Schools provides to the City's children is often limited by a lack of adequate financial resources; and

WHEREAS, The City of Providence appropriates more than \$5,000 per student in local funds to the School Department; and

WHEREAS, The City's local contribution is among the most generous in the State relative to the City's tax capacity, as measured by the "property tax effort" benchmark developed by the General Assembly at R.I.G.L. §16-7.1-6; and

WHEREAS, 2010 State aid funding formula "state share ratio" (R.I.G.L. §16-7.2-5) calculates that Providence's fair share of "core instruction expense" is approximately 12%, while the State's fair share is 88%, based on the City's relative ability to pay for education programs; and

WHEREAS, Providence's actual share of the entire "local budget" (funded by State and municipal funds) of the Providence School Department is more than 37%; and

WHEREAS, The funding gap is the result of the current formula's restrictive definition of expenditures eligible for State aid, defined as the "core instructional amount" in R.I.G.L. §16-7.2-3; and

WHEREAS, The "core instructional amount" does not include such basic expenses as transportation expense, building maintenance expense and other operating expenses; and

WHEREAS, These expenses are just as necessary to the provision of education as instructional expenses; and

WHEREAS, Despite this basic fact, the City pays for these operational expenses with 100% local funds, rather than a State/local split of 88%/12% as obtains for "core instructional expense", and

WHEREAS, The State provides that teacher pension expense is funded 60% local/40% State, even though that expense is just as fundamental and unavoidable as those characterized as "core instruction expense"; and

WHEREAS, The great majority of funding formulas nationally provide State aid for transportation expense and/or other operating expenses in ways that Rhode Island does not; and

WHEREAS, The Rhode Island funding formula does not provide additional funding for English Language Learners, contrary to the prevailing practice in other states and contrary to a 2007 report by the General Assembly which provided for an additive weight of 0.2; and

WHEREAS, Rhode Island ranks at or near the bottom nationally of the "Nation's Report Card" for the education achievement of Hispanic students and the "achievement gap" between Hispanic and Caucasian students in each category; and

WHEREAS, A 2007 report by the General Assembly called for \$14,317 per pupil in State aid for Providence, in contrast to the 2010 funding formula's level of less than \$9,500 per pupil; and

WHEREAS, The “money follows the child” feature of the current funding formula reduces the local funds available to the children in the Providence Public Schools by millions of dollars in excess of the savings achieved by delegating to charter schools the responsibility of educating Providence students enrolled in those schools; and

WHEREAS, While marginal adjustments to the funding formula would begin to address these concerns, the current formula’s structural constraints will not provide adequate (or close to adequate) resources to support an education for Providence’s children that meets the requirements of the Basic Education Plan; and

WHEREAS, Rhode Island is one of an undistinguished minority of states that lacks an enforceable right to education under its Constitution.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, That the Providence City Council urges the Governor’s Working Group To Study The Funding Formula to recommend the passage of an enforceable right to education under the Rhode Island Constitution; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That the Providence City Council urges the Governor’s Working Group To Study The Funding Formula to review the current formula and propose changes that would make it more fair and equitable to disadvantaged children; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That the Providence City Council urges the Governor’s Working Group To Study The Funding Formula to recommend that the Board of Education act promptly to initiate a thorough and comprehensive study of the funding formula, including but not limited to the areas identified in the Governor’s Executive Order establishing the current working group; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That the Providence City Council hereby urges its General Assembly delegation to advocate for a Constitutional right to education and a more fair State aid funding formula; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That, upon passage of this Resolution, the Clerk is requested to distribute copies of it to the Providence School Board, the Providence General Assembly delegation, the Rhode Island Board of Education and the Rhode Island Department of Education and the Fair Funding Formula Working Group.

REPORT(S) FROM COMMITTEE(S)

COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC WORKS COUNCILMAN MICHAEL J. CORREIA, Chairman

Transmits the Following with Recommendation the Same be Approved:

Resolution Requesting to abandon DeWolf Street.

COUNCILMAN JACKSON Moves to Dispense with the Reading of the foregoing matters and Moves Passage of the Several Resolutions, Seconded by COUNCILMAN CORREIA.

RESULT:	PASSED [UNANIMOUS]
MOVER:	Kevin Jackson, Councilman
SECONDER:	Michael J. Correia, Councilman
AYES:	Aponte, Castillo, Correia, Harris, Hassett, Igliozi, Jackson, Jennings, Matos, Narducci, Principe, Ryan, Salvatore, Yurdin, Zurier – 15.

The Motion for Passage is Sustained.

**COMMITTEE ON ORDINANCES
COUNCILMAN TERRENCE M. HASSETT, Chairman**

Transmits the Following with Recommendation the Same Be Severally Adopted:

COUNCIL PRESIDENT APONTE, (By Request):

An Ordinance in Amendment of Chapter 27 of the Code of Ordinances of the City of Providence, Entitled: "The City of Providence Zoning Ordinance", Approved November 24, 2014, as amended, to amend Article 11 and Article 2 by deleting Section 1105 Special Flood Hazard areas and associated definitions in Section 200 Definitions of General Terms.

COUNCILMAN PRINCIPE, (By Request):

An Ordinance in Amendment of Chapter Fifteen of the Ordinances of the City of Providence, Entitled: "Motor Vehicles and Traffic."

COUNCILWOMAN RYAN

An Ordinance in Amendment of Section 3-4 and Section 3-5 of Chapter 3 of the Code of Ordinances, Entitled: "Advertising."

COUNCILMAN JACKSON Moves to Dispense with the Reading of the foregoing matters and Moves Passage of the Several Ordinances the First Time, Seconded by COUNCILMAN CORREIA, by the following Roll Call Vote:

RESULT:	READ/PASSED FOR THE FIRST TIME [UNANIMOUS]
MOVER:	Kevin Jackson, Councilman
SECONDER:	Michael J. Correia, Councilman
AYES:	Aponte, Castillo, Correia, Harris, Hassett, Iglizzi, Jackson, Jennings, Matos, Narducci, Principe, Ryan, Salvatore, Zurier – 14 .
ABSENT:	Yurdin – 1.

The Motion for Passage the First Time is Sustained.

PERSONAL EXPRESSION

COUNCILMAN NARDUCCI Requests the privilege of the floor to speak on a Point of Personal Expression and states:

“First of all, I would like to thank each and every one of my colleagues for supporting me and my family through a very, very tough time. When you have something like this happen, you don’t realize how lucky you are even though something like this happens, until we see other situations people are in. We are very proud to live in the 4th Ward because in the 4th Ward it’s the fighting 4th Ward, you can’t keep us down because we will get back up and fight. We were able to still feed eighty families at Thanksgiving thanks to my daughter. Again, thanks to my colleagues for coming and helping me out. We take so much in life for granted. There was a time where most of you know because you saw when I first took my stroke that I couldn’t even get up and go to the bathroom by myself. I couldn’t get out of bed, I couldn’t move my arm at all. It’s the little things now that are so important to me. I’m just going to say and I know sometimes you have to be careful what you say, but when a man goes to the bathroom a man stands up, I never thought I would be so happy to stand up and go to the bathroom again. It was a great feeling. If it wasn’t for my family and friends and the outpouring of support, every single person asking the same question and we all do it. Anything you need call, is there anything I can do for you, we will be there. I said yes, one thing everybody can do for me is just pray, not just for me but for my family. I went to rehabilitation. I had a goal, a major goal and that was to walk my little girl down the aisle for her wedding and do the father daughter dance. I know most of you have seen it because I know she put it on Facebook. Not only did I walk her down that aisle, but I danced the whole father daughter dance with her all six minutes. My therapist came in on a Wednesday and I got settle in. They said what are you doing? I said look the nurses just got done doing my administration papers. I just said I am just relaxing for now. They said no you’re not. We heard we you have ten days to get your daughter down that aisle and they were fantastic, Rhode Island Rehabilitation. For those of you that don’t know where it is, it’s in North Smithfield, Rhode Island. They are the best, I sent a letter to the Governor telling her that we should be very proud to have that organization here in the State of Rhode Island because what they did for me and what they do for the families that

rely on them day in and day out while you are there it's totally incredible. So, to get to the end of things I went to my neurologist Friday and he said I think it's a good idea if we start getting back to somewhat of a normal life. He said well it's not challenging. I said I have a good way I can start doing that Thursday night and he said what's that? I said I can go see my colleagues down at City Hall and start getting back into the City Hall business. So, here we are and again, I just want you all to know how much I appreciate everybody's thoughts and prayers. I do want to tell you one quick thing. One day I am sitting in the hospital bed and there were an overabundance of fruit baskets, plants and cards and I was so glad to get the cards that I got because when you're lying in that bed and you're just looking forward to going to therapy the next morning for four to five hours and then you're back in bed, there is nothing like being able to sit there literally looking at these cards and reading all the stuff that people write in them. I had so many of my constituents send us cards and give us phone calls and like I said it was just a beautiful outpouring of support. Again, when we have a crisis and we see that no matter what our beliefs are and where we come from, the bottom line is no matter what God you believe in or what God you think is God, there is a God. There is a God because I'm going to tell you something right now. I can do this and I can do that and it's all thanks to prayers, God and hard work. So my thing is never give up. We don't give up as Council people, we don't give up as colleagues, we stick together and we can get through anything. The Cianci Head Start at the Berkshire Street School, it's in my neighborhood, it's on Berkshire Street over on the opposite side of Chad Brown. I have delivered many pizzas there for the kids and one day I'm lying in bed and the nurse comes and she had this envelope and it's this high off the ground. I said what the heck is that? I thought she was giving me my walking papers because I'm not walking yet. I opened up the envelope and each one of the classrooms sent me a card and inside the card was all their little handprints with their names underneath. I felt like I hit the lottery and moved to Beverly Hills when I got that envelope. It was so great. Again, thank you very much for all your support and I feel great being back so I hope you guys are ready for me."

COMMITTEE ON FINANCE
COUNCILMAN JOHN J. IGLIOZZI, Chairman

**Transmits the Following with Recommendation the Same Be Adopted,
As Amended:**

COUNCILMAN CORREIA, (By Request):

An Ordinance Establishing a Tax Exemption and Stabilization Plan for PRI XXI, LP.

COUNCIL PRESIDENT APONTE, (By Request):

An Ordinance Amending Chapter 2014-22, Ordinance No. 296 and Ordinance No. 402 of Chapter 2015-30 of the Providence Code of Ordinances, Establishing a Tax Exemption and Stabilization Plan for the River House Apartments.

COUNCIL PRESIDENT APONTE, (By Request):

An Ordinance Amending Chapter 2014-23, No. 297 and Chapter 2015-25, No. 371 of the Providence Code of Ordinances Establishing a Tax Exemption and Stabilization Plan for the South Street Parking Garage.

COUNCILMAN JACKSON Moves to Dispense with the Reading of the foregoing matters and Moves Passage of the Several Ordinances the First Time, Seconded by COUNCILMAN CORREIA, by the following Roll Call Vote:

RESULT:	READ/PASSED FOR THE FIRST TIME [13 TO 1]
MOVER:	Kevin Jackson, Councilman
SECONDER:	Michael J. Correia, Councilman
AYES:	Aponte, Correia, Harris, Hassett, Igliozi, Jackson, Jennings, Matos, Narducci, Principe, Ryan, Salvatore, Zurier – 13.
NAYS:	Castillo – 1.
ABSENT:	Yurdin – 1.

The Motion for Passage the First Time is Sustained.

FROM THE CLERK'S DESK

Petitions for Compensation for Injuries and Damages, viz:

Mario P. Izzo
Kevin F. Gallagher
Joselyn Martinez
Diann Pennine
Progressive Direct Insurance Company
a/s/o Jessica Campos
CNA Insurance
a/s/o Robinson & Robinson
Cynthia Solomon
(John S. Foley, Esquire)
Delmis Ozuna p.p.a. Hahian Ozuna
(Christopher E. Fay, Esquire)
Melinda Monteiro
(Joseph J. Voccola, Esquire)
Fleet Master, Inc.
Ruth Parker

Carissa Costa p.p.a. Emanuel Costa
(Kevin S. Cotter, Esquire)
Carissa Costa p.p.a. Kaidell Costa
(Kevin S. Cotter, Esquire)
Carissa Costa p.p.a. Zariyha Costa
(Kevin S. Cotter, Esquire)
Gianna Gibau
(Robert J. Levine, Esquire)
Kevin B. Murphy, Esquire
Verizon
Nationwide Mutual Insurance Company
a/s/o Linsi Alfaro
Yolanda Roman
(Richard C. Tallo, Esquire)
Esurance
a/s/o Jeremy S. Doucette

**Severally Read and Collectively Passed, on Motion of COUNCILMAN JACKSON,
Seconded by COUNCILMAN CORREIA.**

RESULT:	REFERRED
TO:	Committee on Claims and Pending Suits

COMMUNICATIONS AND REPORTS

Communication from Council President Luis A. Aponte, dated November 25, 2015, naming his appointments to the Special Committee for the Purpose of Observance of Christmas Day for the term of January 2015 to January 2019.

Councilman Terrence M. Hassett

Councilman John J. Igliozi

Councilman David Salvatore

Councilman Bryan Principe

Councilwoman Mary Kay Harris

COUNCIL PRESIDENT APONTE Receives the foregoing Communication.

RESULT:	RECEIVED
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PRESENTATION OF RESOLUTIONS "IN CONGRATULATIONS"

COUNCIL PRESIDENT APONTE AND MEMBERS OF THE CITY COUNCIL

Resolution Extending Congratulations.

RESOLVED, That the Members of the City Council hereby extend their Sincere Congratulations to the following:

Joaquine Adams, Providence North End 49ers, in recognition of being the 10 and Under 2015 Rhode Island/Mass AYF Super Bowl Champions and New England Regional Runner Up.

Temidayo S. Akinrinmade, Providence North End 49ers, in recognition of being the 10 and Under 2015 Rhode Island/Mass AYF Super Bowl Champions and New England Regional Runner Up.

Joeb A. Almonte, Providence North End 49ers, in recognition of being the 10 and Under 2015 Rhode Island/Mass AYF Super Bowl Champions and New England Regional Runner Up.

Gabriel A. Arofolauwonlo, Providence North End 49ers, in recognition of being the 10 and Under 2015 Rhode Island/Mass AYF Super Bowl Champions and New England Regional Runner Up.

Fernando A. Brito, Jr., Providence North End 49ers, in recognition of being the 10 and Under 2015 Rhode Island/Mass AYF Super Bowl Champions and New England Regional Runner Up.

Desmond D. Brown, Providence North End 49ers, in recognition of being the 10 and Under 2015 Rhode Island/Mass AYF Super Bowl Champions and New England Regional Runner Up.

Noah L. Ciceron, Providence North End 49ers, in recognition of being the 10 and Under 2015 Rhode Island/Mass AYF Super Bowl Champions and New England Regional Runner Up.

Romeo Dyer-Farrell, Providence North End 49ers, in recognition of being the 10 and Under 2015 Rhode Island/Mass AYF Super Bowl Champions and New England Regional Runner Up.

Armase D. Edouard, Providence North End 49ers, in recognition of being the 10 and Under 2015 Rhode Island/Mass AYF Super Bowl Champions and New England Regional Runner Up.

Maurice Hill, Providence North End 49ers, in recognition of being the 10 and Under 2015 Rhode Island/Mass AYF Super Bowl Champions and New England Regional Runner Up.

Robert Littlejohn, Providence North End 49ers, in recognition of being the 10 and Under 2015 Rhode Island/Mass AYF Super Bowl Champions and New England Regional Runner Up.

Ablaye Lo, Providence North End 49ers, in recognition of being the 10 and Under 2015 Rhode Island/Mass AYF Super Bowl Champions and New England Regional Runner Up.

Day-Von M. London, Providence North End 49ers, in recognition of being the 10 and Under 2015 Rhode Island/Mass AYF Super Bowl Champions and New England Regional Runner Up.

Xavier J. Luke, Providence North End 49ers, in recognition of being the 10 and Under 2015 Rhode Island/Mass AYF Super Bowl Champions and New England Regional Runner Up.

Javier A. Martinez, Providence North End 49ers, in recognition of being the 10 and Under 2015 Rhode Island/Mass AYF Super Bowl Champions and New England Regional Runner Up.

Moses Meus, Providence North End 49ers, in recognition of being the 10 and Under 2015 Rhode Island/Mass AYF Super Bowl Champions and New England Regional Runner Up.

Anderson Ortega, Providence North End 49ers, in recognition of being the 10 and Under 2015 Rhode Island/Mass AYF Super Bowl Champions and New England Regional Runner Up.

Emmanuel R. Peralta, Providence North End 49ers, in recognition of being the 10 and Under 2015 Rhode Island/Mass AYF Super Bowl Champions and New England Regional Runner Up.

Andel A. Plasencia, Providence North End 49ers, in recognition of being the 10 and Under 2015 Rhode Island/Mass AYF Super Bowl Champions and New England Regional Runner Up.

Daryl O. Pope, Jr., Providence North End 49ers, in recognition of being the 10 and Under 2015 Rhode Island/Mass AYF Super Bowl Champions and New England Regional Runner Up.

Jayden D. Recillas, Providence North End 49ers, in recognition of being the 10 and Under 2015 Rhode Island/Mass AYF Super Bowl Champions and New England Regional Runner Up.

Jevaughn A. Sergeant, Providence North End 49ers, in recognition of being the 10 and Under 2015 Rhode Island/Mass AYF Super Bowl Champions and New England Regional Runner Up.

Xavier K. Stallings, Providence North End 49ers, in recognition of being the 10 and Under 2015 Rhode Island/Mass AYF Super Bowl Champions and New England Regional Runner Up.

Jose Lugo, Providence North End 49ers, in recognition of his outstanding dedication and service as Head Coach of the 10 and Under Providence North End 49ers.

Ronald Scott, Providence North End 49ers, in recognition of his outstanding dedication and service as a coach of the 10 and Under Providence North End 49ers.

Travis Bliss, Providence North End 49ers, in recognition of his outstanding dedication and service as a coach of the 10 and Under Providence North End 49ers.

Dominique T. Pina, Providence North End 49ers, in recognition of his outstanding dedication and service as a coach of the 10 and Under Providence North End 49ers.

David Cortez, Providence North End 49ers, in recognition of his outstanding dedication and service as a coach of the 10 and Under Providence North End 49ers.

RESULT:	READ AND PASSED [UNANIMOUS]
MOVER:	Kevin Jackson, Councilman
SECONDER:	Michael J. Correia, Councilman
AYES:	Aponte, Castillo, Correia, Harris, Hassett, Igliozi, Jackson, Jennings, Matos, Narducci, Principe, Ryan, Salvatore, Zurier – 14.
ABSENT:	Yurdin – 1.

The Motion for Passage is Sustained.

**PRESENTATION OF RESOLUTIONS
"IN MEMORIAM"**

COUNCIL PRESIDENT APONTE AND MEMBERS OF THE CITY COUNCIL

Resolution Extending Sympathy.

RESOLVED, That the Members of the City Council hereby extend their Sincere
Sympathy to the families of the following:

Vincent "Sammy" Trombetti

Francisco Compres

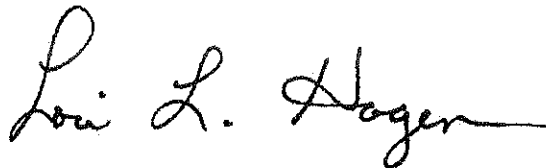
**Severally Read and Collectively Passed, by a Unanimous Rising Vote, on Motion of
COUNCILMAN JACKSON, Seconded by COUNCILMAN CORREIA.**

RESULT:	READ AND PASSED [UNANIMOUS]
MOVER:	Kevin Jackson, Councilman
SECONDER:	Michael J. Correia, Councilman
AYES:	Aponte, Castillo, Correia, Harris, Hassett, Igliozi, Jackson, Jennings, Matos, Narducci, Principe, Ryan, Salvatore, Zurier – 14.
ABSENT:	Yurdin – 1.

The Motion for Passage is Sustained.

CONVENTION

There being no further business, on Motion of **COUNCILMAN JACKSON**, Seconded by
COUNCILMAN CORREIA, it is voted to adjourn at 7:50 o'clock P.M., to meet again **UPON
THE RISE OF THE 7:00 O'CLOCK P.M. REGULAR CITY COUNCIL MEETING**



**LORI L. HAGEN
CITY CLERK**

