

THE CITY OF PROVIDENCE
STATE OF RHODE ISLAND AND PROVIDENCE PLANTATIONS

RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL

No. 666

Approved August 15, 1975

WHEREAS, in the Wimbledon Men's Single Tennis Championship Match, Arthur Ashe emerged victorious over the reigning Champion, "Jimmy" Connors, recently held in Wimbledon, England, and

WHEREAS, Tennis Champion Ashe, whose chances of defeating the then Champion "Jimmy" Connors, appeared to be rather remote, and when victorious, became the first Black Champion, in that burgeoning sport,

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that to the new Men's Tennis Single Champion, Arthur Ashe, are hereby extended the congratulations of the tennis enthusiasts in the City of Providence in his spectacular victory.

IN CITY COUNCIL

READ AND PASSED

Ralph Fagnola PRES.
Umaro Caring ACTING CLERK

APPROVED

MAYOR

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Councilman Buchanan,
Councilman Robinson,
Councilman Powell, and
Councilman Kemmer

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