

1. ROLL CALL

INVOCATION

2. The Invocation will be given by Councilwoman Balbina A. Young.

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

3. Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag of the United States of America led by Councilman Joseph DeLuca.

APPROVAL OF RECORD

4. Journal of Proceedings No. 27 of the Regular Meeting of the City Council held November 6, 2003.

PRESENTATION OF ORDINANCES

COUNCILMAN APONTE (By Request):

5. An Ordinance in accordance with Chapter 21, Section 19 of the Code of Ordinance of the City of Providence Entitled: “Capital Equipment Budget”, As Amended.

6. An Ordinance making an Appropriation of Two Hundred Eighty Eight Million Two Hundred Twenty Five Thousand Nine Hundred Eighty Eight Dollars (\$288,225,988) for the support of the Providence School Department for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2005, and repealing Ordinance Chapter 2004-179, Approved May 17, 2004.

7. An Ordinance Establishing a Compensation Plan for the Providence School Department and repealing Ordinance Chapter 2004-180, Approved May 17, 2004.

8. An Ordinance Establishing the Classes of Positions, the Maximum Number of Employees and the Employees in certain classes in the Providence School Department and repealing Ordinance Chapter 2004-181, Approved May 17, 2004.

9. An Ordinance making an Appropriation of Three Hundred Million Two Hundred Eighty Five Thousand Six Hundred Ninety Seven Dollars (\$300,285,697) for the support of the Providence School Department for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2006, and repealing Ordinance Chapter 2004-179, Approved May 17, 2004.

10. An Ordinance Establishing a Compensation plan for the Providence School Department and Repealing Ordinance Chapter 2004-180, Approved May 17, 2004.

11. An Ordinance Establishing the Classes of Positions, the Maximum Number of Employees and the Employees in certain classes in the Providence School and Repealing Ordinance Chapter 2004-181, Approved May 17, 2004.

12. An Ordinance in Amendment of Ordinance No. 85, Chapter 1997-18, Entitled: An Ordinance to adopt the ProvPort, Inc. Tax Exemption Agreement, As Amended.

13. An Ordinance in Amendment of Ordinance No. 614, Chapter 2002-39, Entitled: “An Ordinance Entitled Providence External Review Authority (PERA).

COUNCILMAN HASSETT and COUNCILMAN APONTE:

14. An Ordinance in Amendment of Ordinance No. 820, Chapter 2003-79, Entitled: An Ordinance Authorizing the Creation of a Class “N” Retail Liquor License.

PRESENTATION OF RESOLUTIONS

COUNCIL PRESIDENT LOMBARDI (By Request):

15. Resolution Requesting to cancel or abate, in whole the taxes assessed upon Assessor’s Plat 36, Lot 125 (79 Chapin Avenue), in accordance with Rhode Island General Law Section 44-7-23, in the amount of Two Thousand Two Hundred Eighty Three Dollars and Sixty Four (\$2,283.64) Cents, or any taxes accrued, including 2002, 2003, 2004 & 2005 taxes, plus any interest accrued, for Federal Hill community gardens, and that the property is declared exempt in accordance with Rhode Island General Law 45-32-40 for as long as it continues to be used as a community garden.

16. Resolution Requesting to cancel or abate, in whole the taxes

assessed upon Assessor's Plat 36, Lot 294 (124 Sycamore Street), in accordance with Rhode Island General Law Section 44-7-23, in the amount Three Thousand Three Hundred Thirty (\$3,330.00) Dollars, or any taxes accrued, including 2002, 2003, 2004 & 2005 taxes, plus any interest accrued, for Federal Hill community gardens, and that the property is declared exempt in accordance with Rhode Island General Law 45-32-40 for as long as it continues to be used as a community garden.

17. Resolution Requesting the Traffic Engineer to cause Eddy Street to be a "One-Way Street" from Weybosset Street to Washington Street and to cause the installation of "One-Way" Signs on Eddy Street and also at Fulton Street and Eddy Street.

18. Resolution Requesting the City of Providence be exempt from fuel tax placed upon the taxpayers of our city.

19. Resolution Requesting that the Rhode Island Congressional Delegation and the President of the United States demand hearings in the Senate and the House of Representatives of the Congress of the United States regarding the source of the record gas price increase over the last six months, whether any of the multi-national oil companies are guilty of price-gouging the American public and if a criminal investigation is warranted.

COUNCILMAN APONTE and COUNCILMAN HASSETT

(By Request):

20. Resolution Requesting to cancel or abate, in whole the taxes assessed upon Assessor's Plat 48, Lot 647 (492 Prairie Avenue), in the amount of Two Thousand Five Hundred Eighty One Dollars and Thirty Nine (\$2,581.39) Cents along with any associated interest, penalties and intervening taxes, in accordance with Rhode Island General Law 44-7-23, and that the property is declared exempt in accordance with Rhode Island General Law 45-32-40 while under PRA ownership and also to execute a deed and transfer to the Providence Redevelopment Agency.

21. Resolution Requesting to cancel or abate, in whole the taxes assessed upon Assessor's Plat 47, Lot 749 (17 Searle Street), in the amount of One Hundred Twenty Seven Dollars and Fifty (\$127.50) Cents along with any associated interest, penalties and intervening taxes, in accordance with Rhode Island General Law 44-7-23, and that the property is declared exempt in accordance with Rhode Island General Law 45-32-40 while under PRA ownership.

22. Resolution Requesting to cancel or abate, in whole the taxes assessed upon Assessor's Plat 48, Lot 607 (37 Harriet Street), in the amount of Seventy Six Dollars and Fifty (\$76.50) Cents along with any associated interest, penalties and intervening taxes, in accordance with Rhode Island General Law 44-7-23, and that the property is declared exempt in accordance with Rhode Island General Law 45-32-40 while under PRA ownership.

23. Resolution Requesting to cancel or abate, in whole the taxes assessed upon Assessor's Plat 48, Lot 924 (366 Public Street), in the

amount of Three Thousand Eight Hundred Thirty Two Dollars and Sixty Four (\$3,832.64) Cents along with any associated interest, penalties and intervening taxes, in accordance with Rhode Island General Law 44-7-23, and that the property is declared exempt in accordance with Rhode Island General Law 45-32-40 while under PRA ownership.

24. Resolution Requesting to cancel or abate, in whole the taxes assessed upon Assessor's Plat 48, Lot 685 (28 Croyland Road), in the amount of Nine Hundred Sixty Four Dollars and Twelve (\$964.12) Cents along with any associated interest, penalties and intervening taxes, in accordance with Rhode Island General Law 44-7-23, and that the property is declared exempt in accordance with Rhode Island General Law 45-32-40 while under PRA ownership.

25. Resolution Requesting to cancel or abate, in whole the taxes assessed upon Assessor's Plat 31, Lot 206 (41 Diamond Street), in the amount of Three Thousand One Hundred Thirty One Dollars and Forty One (\$3,131.41) Cents along with any associated interest, penalties and intervening taxes, in accordance with Rhode Island

General Law 44-7-23, and that the property is declared exempt in accordance with Rhode Island General Law 45-32-40 while under PRA ownership.

26. Resolution Requesting to cancel or abate, in whole the taxes assessed upon Assessor's Plat 31, Lot 207 (45 Diamond Street), in the amount of Two Thousand Nine Hundred Sixty Dollars and Thirty Two (\$2,960.32) Cents along with any associated interest, penalties and intervening taxes, in accordance with Rhode Island General Law 44-7-23, and that the property is declared exempt in accordance with Rhode Island General Law 45-32-40 while under PRA ownership.

27. Resolution Requesting to cancel or abate, in whole the taxes assessed upon Assessor's Plat 107, Lot 350 (88 Eastwood Avenue), in the amount of Four Thousand Three Hundred Ninety One Dollars and Seventy Four (\$4,391.74) Cents along with any associated interest, penalties and intervening taxes, in accordance with Rhode

Island General Law 44-7-23, and that the property is declared exempt in accordance with Rhode Island General Law 45-32-40 while under PRA ownership and also to execute a deed and transfer to the Providence Redevelopment Agency.

COUNCILMAN BUTLER (By Request):

28. Resolution Requesting the Chief Electrical Inspector to cause the upgrade of street lighting on River Avenue from Smith Street to Chalkstone Avenue.

COUNCILMAN HASSETT (By Request):

29. Resolution Requesting to cancel or abate, in whole the taxes assessed upon Assessor's Plat 68, Lot 79 (189 Douglas Avenue), and Lots 90, 97, 98, 102, 106, 107, 108, 114, 799 and 812 (7, 8, 9, 11, 12, 14, 16, 17, 21, and 36 Matthew Street), in accordance with Rhode Island General Law Section

44-7-23, in the amount of Twenty Seven Thousand Eight Hundred Sixty Six Dollars and Twenty Six (\$27,866.26) Cents, or any taxes

accrued, including 1999, 2000, 2003, 2004 & 2005 taxes, plus any interest accrued, and that the property is declared exempt in accordance with Rhode Island General Law 45-32-40 as requested by Times2, Inc.

COUNCILMAN HASSETT, COUNCIL PRESIDENT LOMBARDI, COUNCILMEN APONTE, BUTLER, DELUCA, COUNCILWOMAN DIRUZZO, COUNCILMEN IGLIOZZI, JACKSON, LUNA, MANCINI, COUNCILWOMAN ROMANO, COUNCILMAN SEGAL and COUNCILWOMAN WILLIAMS:

30. Resolution Requesting the General Assembly to convene in Special Session wherein it may take appropriate action to override the Veto of the Governor and establish the minimum wage for the State of Rhode Island at the rate of Seven Dollars and Ten (\$7.10) Cents per hour, effective January 1, 2006 and at the rate of Seven Dollars and Forty (\$7.40) Cents per hour, effective January 1, 2007.

COUNCILMAN IGLIOZZI (By Request):

31. Resolution Requesting Narragansett Electric Company to cause the installation of a light on pole No. 9 on Eliza Street.

COUNCILMAN MANCINI (By Request):

32. Resolution Requesting the Traffic Engineer to cause Trent Street, from Hereford Street to Loveday Street, to be established as a “One-Way” Street.

COUNCILWOMAN ROMANO (By Request):

33. Resolution Requesting the Traffic Engineer to cause the installation of a “One-Way - Do Not Enter Between the Hours of 8:30 a.m. to 9:30 a.m. and 2:30 p.m. to 3:30 p.m. on School Days Only” Signs on Paul Street, in a westerly direction from Windmill Street to Charles Street.

COUNCILMAN SEGAL:

34. Resolution Requesting the Traffic Engineer to expedite the installation of temporary signs on and around East Street and Wickenden Street, as appropriate, directing pedestrians seeking to use the now closed 195 pedestrian bridge towards other means of access to India Point Park.

35. Resolution Requesting the Traffic Engineer to cause the institution of an “all-red” period at the traffic light at the intersection of Brook Street and Wickenden Street.

36. Resolution Requesting the Traffic Engineer to expedite the installation of a “Four-Way Stop” Sign at the intersection of Wayland

Avenue and Pitman Street, as traffic flow will increase significantly with the opening of a new residential complex there in October.

37. Resolution Congratulating employees of the Providence Public Library on their successful effort to form a union.

COUNCILWOMAN YOUNG (By Request):

38. Resolution Requesting to cancel or abate, in whole the taxes assessed upon Assessor's Plat 45, Lots 732, 735, 736, and 737 (15, 19, 21 and 23 St. James Street), in accordance with Rhode Island General Law 44-7-23, in the amount Two Thousand Twenty Eight Dollars and Eighty (\$2,028.80) Cents, or any taxes accrued, including 2003 taxes, plus any interest accrued, for Peoples Redevelopment Corporation.

39. Resolution Requesting to cancel or abate, in whole the taxes assessed upon Assessor's Plat 45, Lot 322 (54 Wesleyan Avenue), in accordance with Rhode Island General Law 44-7-23, in the amount of One Thousand Ninety Eight Dollars and Sixty Eight (\$1,098.68) Cents, or any taxes accrued, including 2003 & 2004 taxes, plus any interest accrued, as requested by Oasis International Incorporated.

COUNCILWOMAN YOUNG and COUNCIL PRESIDENT LOMBARDI:

40. Resolution Requesting the Director of Public Works to cause the potholes in front of the John Hope Settlement House at 7 Burgess Street to be repaired, immediately, as it is a public safety issue.

REPORTS FROM COMMITTEES

COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC WORKS

COUNCILMAN TERRENCE M. HASSETT, Chairman

Transmits the Following with Recommendation the Same be Severally Approved, As Amended:

41. Resolution Requesting the Traffic Engineer to cause the installation of a “Stop” Sign on Wardlaw Avenue at Stonelaw Avenue.

42. Resolution Requesting the Traffic Engineer to cause the installation of “Wrong Way” Signs facing east at the intersection of Ives Street and Trenton Street, as many vehicles exit 195, drive the wrong way on Trenton, and pose an added hazard by failing to stop or yield at said intersection.

Transmits the Following with Recommendation the Same be Severally Approved:

43. Resolution Granting various easements to Narragansett Electric Company for the E-183 Transmission Line Relocation Project.

44. Resolution Requesting the Traffic Engineer to cause the installation of “Two-Hour Parking” Signs on 49 Seekonk Street.

45. Resolution Requesting the Traffic Engineer to cause the installation of “Four-Way Stop” Signs at the intersection of Academy Avenue and Salter Street.

46. Resolution Requesting the Traffic Engineer to cause the installation of “Goulding Street” Signs on Transit Street and Wickenden Street.

47. Resolution requesting the Traffic Engineer to cause the installation of “Elderly Crossing” Signs at 140 Pitman Street.

48. Resolution requesting the Traffic Engineer to cause the installation of a caution light at 140 Pitman Street.

49. Resolution Requesting the Traffic Engineer to cause the installation of a “Stop” Sign on Courtland Street at the intersection of Courtland Street and Gesler Street.

50. Resolution Requesting the Traffic Engineer to cause the installation of a “No Parking” Sign in front of 146 Peace Street.

51. Resolution Requesting the Traffic Engineer to cause the installation of a “Handicap Parking” Sign in front of 28 Thayer Street.

52. Resolution Requesting the Traffic Engineer to cause the installation of appropriate signage at the intersection of Wickenden Street and Goulding Street, so as to keep the entrance to Goulding Street clear of parked cars.

53. Resolution Requesting the Traffic Engineer to cause the installation of “Wrong Way” Signs in the middle of the block of Trenton Street that runs from Gano Street to Ives Street.

COMMITTEE ON FINANCE

COUNCILMAN KEVIN JACKSON, Chairman

Transmits the Following with Recommendation the Same be Severally Approved, As Amended:

54. Resolution Requesting to cancel or abate, in whole the taxes assessed upon Assessor’s Plat 63, Lot 361 (20 Hyat Street), are hereby cancelled or abated, in whole, in accordance with Rhode

Island General Law Section 44-7-23, including 2005 and the first half of 2006.

55. Resolution Requesting to cancel or abate, in whole the taxes assessed upon Assessor's Plat 63, Lot 548 (57 Aleppo Street), are hereby cancelled or abated, in whole, in accordance with Rhode Island General Law Section 44-7-23, including 2005 and the first half of 2006.

56. Resolution Relative to the ProvPort Financing.

57. Resolution Amending Resolution No. 59, Approved February 28, 2005, relative to the abatement of taxes upon Assessor's Plat 25, Lot 446 (87 Empire Street), in the amount of Thirty Six Thousand Five Hundred Dollars and Twenty Five (\$36,500.25) Cents plus any interest accrued for Trinity Repertory Company.

58. Resolution in Amendment of Resolution No. 58, Approved February 28, 2005, relative to the abatement of taxes upon Assessor's Plat 25, Lot 320 (32 Aborn Street), in the amount of Three Thousand Four Hundred Thirty One Dollars and Thirty Two (\$3,431.32) Cents plus any interest accrued for Trinity Repertory Company.

Transmits the Following with Recommendation the Same be Severally Approved:

59. Resolution Requesting to cancel or abate, in whole the taxes assessed upon Assessor's Plat 63, Lot 342 (218-220 Manton Avenue), in accordance with Rhode Island General Law Section 44-7-23, including 2005 and the first half of 2006.

60. Resolution Requesting to cancel or abate, in whole the taxes assessed upon Assessor's Plat 63, Lot 450 (22-24 Hillard Street), in accordance with Rhode Island General Law Section 44-7-23, including 2005 and the first half of 2006.

61. Resolution Requesting to cancel or abate, in whole the taxes assessed upon Assessor's Plat 63, Lot 344 (69 Aleppo Street), in accordance with Rhode Island General Law Section 44-7-23, including 2005 and the first half of 2006.

62. Resolution Requesting to cancel or abate, in whole the taxes assessed upon Assessor's Plat 63, Lot 435 (47 Aleppo Street), in accordance with Rhode Island General Law Section 44-7-23, including 2005 and the first half of 2006.

63. Resolution Requesting to cancel or abate, in whole the taxes assessed upon Assessor's Plat 63, Lot 549 (63 Aleppo Street), in accordance with Rhode Island General Law Section 44-7-23, including 2005 and the first half of 2006.

64. Resolution Requesting to cancel or abate, in whole the taxes assessed upon Assessor's Plat 63, Lot 550 (65 Aleppo Street), in accordance with Rhode Island General Law Section 44-7-23, including 2005 and the first half of 2006.

65. Resolution Requesting to cancel or abate, in whole the taxes assessed upon Assessor's Plat 63, Lot 553 (14 Pelham Street), in accordance with Rhode Island General Law Section 44-7-23, including 2005 and the first half of 2006.

66. Resolution Requesting to cancel or abate, in whole the taxes assessed upon Assessor's Plat 63, Lot 418 (11 Curtis Street), in accordance with Rhode Island General Law Section 44-7-23, including 2005 and the first half of 2006.

67. Resolution Requesting to cancel or abate, in whole the taxes assessed upon Assessor's Plat 63, Lot 560 (2 Curtis Street), in accordance with Rhode Island General Law Section 44-7-23, including 2005 and the first half of 2006.

68. Resolution Requesting to cancel or abate, in whole the taxes assessed upon Assessor's Plat 63, Lot 448 (14-16 Hillard Street), in accordance with Rhode Island General Law 44-7-23, including prior year 2005 and the first half of 2006.

69. Resolution Requesting to cancel or abate, in whole the taxes assessed upon Assessor's Plat 63, Lot 449 (18-20 Hillard Street), in

accordance with Rhode Island General Law 44-7-23, including prior year 2005 and the first half of 2006.

70. Resolution Requesting to cancel or abate, in whole the taxes assessed upon Assessor's Plat 63, Lot 552 (23-25 Hillard Street), in accordance with Rhode Island General Law 44-7-23, including prior year 2005 and the first half of 2006.

71. Resolution Requesting to cancel or abate, in whole the taxes assessed upon Assessor's Plat 35, Lot 52 (1577 Westminster Street), in accordance with Rhode Island General Law Section 44-7-23, in the amount of Four Thousand Eight Hundred Twenty Seven Dollars and Seventy Six (\$4,827.76) Cents, or any taxes accrued, including 2004 taxes, plus any interest accrued, as requested by West Broadway Neighborhood Association.

72. Resolution Amending Resolution No. 318, Approved May 2, 2003,

to cancel or abate, in whole the taxes assessed upon Assessor Plat 63, Lot 293 (13 Steere Street), in accordance with Rhode Island General Law 44-7-23, in the amount of One Thousand Two Hundred Fourteen Dollars and Sixty Eight (\$1,214.68) Cents, for the years 2003 & 2004, or any taxes accrued plus any interest accrued, as requested by Habitat for Humanity of Rhode Island.

73. Resolution Requesting to cancel or abate in whole the taxes assessed upon Assessor's Plat 34, Lot 158 (689 Manton Avenue), along with any associated interest, penalties and intervening taxes, are hereby abated in whole, in accordance with Rhode Island General Law 44-7-23 and that the property is declared exempt in accordance with Rhode Island General Law 45-32-40, in the amount of Seven Thousand Two Hundred Ninety Two Dollars and Seventy Six (\$7,292.76) Cents.

74. Resolution Requesting to cancel or abate, in whole the taxes assessed upon Assessor's Plat 23, Lots 58 & 59 (27 Linden Street), along with any associated interest, penalties and intervening taxes, in

accordance with Rhode Island General Law 44-7-23 and that the property is declared exempt in accordance with Rhode Island General Law 45-32-40 while under PRA ownership, in the amount of Four Thousand Eight Hundred Sixty Dollars and Sixty (\$4,860.60) Cents.

75. Resolution Requesting to cancel or abate, in whole the taxes assessed upon Assessor's Plat 48, Lot 547 (29 Miner Street), along with any associated interest, penalties and intervening taxes, in accordance with Rhode Island General Law 44-7-23 and that the property is declared exempt in accordance with Rhode Island General Law 45-32-40 while under PRA ownership, in the amount of Two Thousand Fifty Four Dollars and Seventy Six (\$2,054.76) Cents.

76. Resolution Requesting to cancel or abate, in whole the taxes assessed upon Assessor's Plat 110 Lot 161 (692 Plainfield Street), along with any associated interest, penalties and intervening taxes, in accordance with Rhode Island General Law 44-7-23 and that the property is declared exempt in accordance with Rhode Island General Law 45-32-40 while under PRA ownership.

77. Resolution Requesting to cancel or abate, in whole the taxes assessed upon Assessor's Plat 107, Lot 238 (6 Queen Street), along with any associated interest, penalties and intervening taxes, in accordance with Rhode Island General Law 44-7-23 and that the property is declared exempt in accordance with Rhode Island General Law 45-32-40 while under PRA ownership.

78. Resolution Authorizing the Providence Redevelopment Agency to cause the transfer of Assessor's Plat 5, Lot 459 (90 Cypress Street), Assessor's Plat 5, Lot 460 (86 Cypress Street), Assessor's Plat 5, Lot 461 (82 Cypress Street), Assessor's Plat 8, Lot 10 (34 Pleasant Street), Assessor's Plat 23, Lot 137 (53 Myrtle Street), Assessor's Plat 23, Lot 143 (466 Friendship Street), Assessor's Plat 23, Lot 144 (45 Myrtle Street), Assessor's Plat 23, Lot 204 (55 Myrtle Street), Assessor's Plat 48, Lot 780 (61 Baxter Street) and Assessor's Plat 48, Lot 781 (57

Baxter Street), to the City of Providence, as said lots have been transformed into parks.

79. Resolution Authorizing the Providence Redevelopment Agency to cause the transfer of Assessor's Plat 5, lot 114 (22 Western Street), Assessor's Plat 5, Lot 116 (41 Padelford Street) and Assessor's Plat 20, Lot 368 (85 Dyer Street) to the City of Providence, as said lots have been transformed into streets.

80. Resolution Requesting to cancel or abate, in whole the taxes assessed upon Assessor's Plat 68, Lot 85 (217 Douglas Avenue), in accordance with Rhode Island General Law 44-7-23, in the amount of Two Thousand Six Hundred Dollars and Ninety-Six Cents (\$2,600.96), along with any associated interest, penalties and intervening taxes, and that the property is declared exempt in accordance with Rhode Island General Law 45-32-40 while under PRA ownership.

81. Resolution Requesting to cancel or abate, in whole the taxes assessed upon Assessor's Plat 68, Lot 87 (223 Douglas Avenue), in accordance with Rhode Island General Law 44-7-23, in the amount of Two Thousand Six Hundred Dollars and Ninety-Six Cents (\$2,600.96), along with any associated interest, penalties and intervening taxes, and that the property is declared exempt in accordance with Rhode Island General Law 45-32-40 while under PRA ownership.

82. Resolution Requesting to cancel or abate, in whole the taxes assessed upon Assessor's Plat 68, Lot 86 (219 Douglas Avenue), in accordance with Rhode Island General Law 44-7-23, in the amount of Two Thousand Six Hundred Dollars and Ninety-Six Cents (\$2,600.96), along with any associated interest, penalties and intervening taxes, and that the property is declared exempt in accordance with Rhode Island General Law 45-32-40 while under PRA ownership.

83. Resolution Requesting to cancel or abate, in whole the taxes assessed upon Assessor's Plat 68, Lot 84 (211 Douglas Avenue), in

accordance with Rhode Island General Law 44-7-23, in the amount of Two Thousand Six Hundred Dollars and Ninety-Six Cents (\$2,600.96), along with any associated interest, penalties and intervening taxes, and that the property is declared exempt in accordance with Rhode Island General Law 45-32-40 while under PRA ownership.

84. Resolution Requesting to cancel or abate, in whole the taxes assessed upon Assessor's Plat 48, Lot 744 (151 Potters Avenue), in accordance with Rhode Island General Law 44-7-23, in the amount of Four Hundred Fifty Nine Dollars and Sixty (\$459.60) Cents, or any taxes accrued plus any interest, as requested by Southside Community Land Trust.

85. Resolution Requesting to cancel or abate, in whole the taxes assessed upon Assessor's Plat 63, Lot 249 (61 Joslin Street), in the amount of Two Thousand Seven Hundred Ninety Dollars and Twenty Six (\$2,790.26) Cents along with any associated interest, penalties and intervening taxes, in accordance with Rhode Island General Law 44-7-23, and that the property is declared exempt in accordance with Rhode Island General Law 45-32-40 while under PRA ownership and

also to execute a deed and transfer to the Providence Redevelopment Agency.)

86. Resolution Requesting to cancel or abate, in whole the taxes assessed upon Assessor's Plat 47, Lot 751 (133 Oxford Street), in the amount of Two Thousand Eight Hundred Forty Nine Dollars and Sixteen (\$2,849.16) Cents along with any associated interest, penalties and intervening taxes, in accordance with Rhode Island General Law 44-7-23, and that the property is declared exempt in accordance with Rhode Island General Law 45-32-40 while under PRA ownership and also to execute a deed and transfer to the Providence Redevelopment Agency.

87. Resolution Requesting to cancel or abate, in whole the taxes assessed upon Assessor's Plat 53, Lot 715 (1040 Broad Street), in accordance with Rhode Island General Law 44-7-23, in the amount of Twenty Two Thousand Two Hundred Forty Six Dollars and Eighty Six

(\$22,246.86) Cents, along with any associated interest, penalties and intervening taxes and that the property is declared exempt in accordance with Rhode Island General Law 45-32-40 while under PRA ownership.

88. Resolution Requesting to cancel or abate, in whole the taxes assessed upon Assessor's Plat 123, Lot 463 (473 Admiral Street), in accordance with Rhode Island General Law 44-7-23, in the amount of Nine Thousand One Hundred Forty Four Dollars and Sixty Five (\$9,144.65) Cents, along with any associated interest, penalties and intervening taxes and that the property is declared exempt in accordance with Rhode Island General Law 45-32-40 while under PRA ownership.

89. Resolution Requesting to cancel or abate, in whole the taxes assessed upon Assessor's Plat 123, Lot 486 (24 Addeo Street), in accordance with Rhode Island General Law 44-7-23, in the amount of Four Thousand Four Hundred Forty Six Dollars and Thirty Seven (\$4,446.37) Cents, along with any associated interest, penalties and intervening taxes and that the property is declared exempt in

accordance with Rhode Island General Law 45-32-40 while under PRA ownership.

90. Resolution Requesting to cancel or abate, in whole the taxes assessed upon Assessor's Plat 123, Lot 487 (28 Addeo Street), in accordance with Rhode Island General Law 44-7-23, in the amount of Three Thousand Three Hundred Forty Two Dollars and Fifty Nine (\$3,342.59) Cents, along with any associated interest, penalties and intervening taxes and that the property is declared exempt in accordance with Rhode Island General Law 45-32-40 while under PRA ownership.

COMMUNICATIONS

91. Communication from Laurence K. Flynn, Executive Secretary, Board of Canvassers, informing Michael R. Clement, City Clerk of the election results of the Employees' Retirement System election held on September 21, 2005.

92. Communication from Robert Rocchio, P.E., Acting Managing Engineer, Traffic Design, Rhode Island Department of Transportation, Engineering Division, Two Capitol Hill, Providence, RI 02903-1124, dated September 9, 2005, submitting the High Hazard Ramps Interstate C-2 Construction & Maintenance Agreement I-195, Exit 2, Point Street Traffic Signal Improvements to Exit 2, South Main Street Ramps.

93. Communication from Joseph M. Henderson and Thomas P. Weidman, dated July 12, 2005, requesting to purchase a piece of property located on a part of Assessor's Plat 98, Lot 233.

FROM THE CLERK'S DESK

94. Petition from Richard P. Leone, Sr. President, Nick's Auto Body, Inc., 44 Bradford Street, Providence, Rhode Island 02903, requesting reconsideration of Resolution No. 163, effective April 17, 2005 which

approved the abandonment of Enterprise Row, running from Atwells Avenue to the northern boundary of Lot 214, on the basis of failure of personal notification to the abutting land owners.

95. Petition from John J. Bolton, Esquire, Hinckley, Allen & Snyder LLP, 1500 Fleet Center, Providence, RI 02903, requesting to abandon a portion of Lyman Street and Stewart Street.

96. Petition from Ethan Colaiace, Development Director, Paragon Mills, LLC, c/o SBER, Inc., 166 Valley Street, Building 6M, Suite 103, Providence, RI 02909, requesting to abandon Esther Street.

97. Petitions for Compensation for Injuries and Damages.

PRESENTATION OF RESOLUTIONS

“IN CONGRATULATIONS”

COUNCIL PRESIDENT LOMBARDI and the MEMBERS OF THE CITY COUNCIL:

98. Resolution Extending Congratulations.

PRESENTATION OF RESOLUTIONS

“IN MEMORIAM”

COUNCIL PRESIDENT LOMBARDI and the MEMBERS OF THE CITY COUNCIL:

99. Resolution Extending Sympathy.

CONVENTION

**The City Council will Convene in the Chamber of the City Council,
City Hall on THURSDAY, OCTOBER 6, 2005 at 7:30 o'clock P.M.
(E.D.T)**

CLAIRE E. BESTWICK
ACTING CITY CLERK