

**CITY OF PROVIDENCE**

**RHODE ISLAND**

**DOCKET OF THE REGULAR MEETING**

**OF THE**

**CITY COUNCIL**

**ON**

**THURSDAY, MARCH 17, 2005**

**COUNCIL PRESIDENT**

**JOHN J. LOMBARDI**

**PRESIDING**

**1. John J. Lombardi, Council President**

**Councilman Ward 13 (D)**

**48 Grove Street 02909**

**2. Kevin Jackson**

**Councilman Ward 3 (D)**

**91 Jenkins Street 02906**

**3. Ronald W. Allen**

**Councilman Ward 8 (D)**

**328 Bucklin Street 02907**

**4. Carol A. Romano**

**Councilwoman Ward 4 (D)**

**31 Manhattan Street 02904**

**5. Terrence M. Hassett**

**Councilman Ward 12 (D)**

**15 Higgins Avenue 02908**

**6. Joseph DeLuca, Deputy Majority Leader**

**Councilman Ward 6 (D)**

**191 Carleton Street 02908**

**7. Peter S. Mancini**

**Councilman Ward 14 (D)**

**104 Meridian Street 02908**

**8. Josephine DiRuzzo**

**Councilwoman Ward 15 (D)**

**141 Roosevelt Street 02909**

**9. Luis A. Aponte, Majority Leader**

**Councilman Ward 10 (D)**

**208 Washington Avenue 02905**

**10. Rita M. Williams, Deputy Majority Leader**

**Councilwoman Ward 2 (D)**

**76 Savoy Street 02906**

**11. Patrick K. Butler**

**Councilman Ward 5 (D)**

**63 Hilltop Avenue 02908**

**12. David A. Segal, Minority Leader**

**Councilman Ward 1 (G)**

**335 Ives Street 02906**

**13. Miguel C. Luna**

**Councilman Ward 9 (D)**

**146 Warrington Street 02907**

**14. Balbina A. Young, Council President Pro Tempore**

**Councilwoman Ward 11 (D)**

**489 Public Street 02907**

**15. John J. Igliazzi**

**Councilman Ward 7 (D)**

**19 Legion Memorial Drive 02909**

**1. ROLL CALL**

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**INVOCATION**

**2. The Invocation will be given by Councilman Joseph DeLuca.**

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**PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE**

**3. Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag of the United States of America led by Councilwoman Rita M. Williams.**

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**ORDINANCES SECOND READING**

**The Following Ordinances were in City Council March 3, 2005, Read and Passed the First Time and are Severally Returned for Passage the**

**Second Time:**

**4. An Ordinance in Amendment of Chapter 2004-48, Approved December 7, 2004, Establishing a Compensation Plan for the City of Providence, As Amended.**

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**5. An Ordinance in Amendment of Chapter 2004-49, Approved December 7, 2004, Establishing the Classes of Positions, the Maximum Number of Employees and the Number of Employees in Certain Classes in the City Departments, As Amended.**

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**6. An Ordinance Establishing and Granting a Tax Stabilization Plan for Wildcat Equities, Inc. on behalf of Tax Assessor's Lots 44 and 370 of Plat 52, being designated the 669 Elmwood Avenue Mill Project, so-called.**

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**7. An Ordinance in Amendment of Chapter 2004-3, No. 3 Dated**

**January 16, 2004, Establishing and Granting a Tax Stabilization Plan for Capitol Hill Properties, LLC, with Respect to Assessor's Plat 19, Lot 102 of the City of Providence, and Hereby Establishing and Granting a Revised Tax Stabilization Plan for Intercontinental Fund IV Waterplace, LLC, Successor in interest to Capitol Hill Properties, LLC with Respect to the same Parcel.**

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**PRESENTATION OF ORDINANCES**

**COUNCILMAN APONTE (By Request):**

**8. An Ordinance Relating to Art. IV, Chapter 17, Section 17-189(5) of the Code of Ordinances. (Police Detective Kerion O'Mara)**

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**9. An Ordinance Relating to Art. IV, Chapter 17, Section 17-189(5) of the Code of Ordinances. (Roberta L. Lambert)**

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**COUNCILMAN LUNA and COUNCILMAN SEGAL:**

**10. An Ordinance Establishing a First Source List, As Amended.**

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**COUNCILWOMAN WILLIAMS (By Request):**

**11. An Ordinance Amending Section 10-21 of the Code of Ordinances  
Entitled: "Definitions".**

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**12. An Ordinance Amending Section 10-22 of the Code of Ordinances  
Entitled: "Classification of Restaurants".**

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**13. An Ordinance Amending Section 10-24 of the Code of Ordinances  
Entitled: "Same - Issuance, Fee, Posting".**

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**14. An Ordinance Amending Section 10-76 of the Code of Ordinances Entitled: “Same-fees designated; proration of fees”.**

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**15. An Ordinance Amending Section 14-1 of the Code of Ordinances Entitled: “Closing Hours; License Fees, Regulations for Commercial Establishments”.**

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**16. An Ordinance Amending Section 14-8 of the Code of Ordinances Entitled: “Petroleum products; permit fees for bulk storage”.**

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**17. An Ordinance Amending Section 14-14 of the Code of Ordinances Entitled: “Registration of persons working as doorkeepers, bouncers, so-called, and crowd controllers”.**

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**18. An Ordinance Amending Section 14-64 of the Code of Ordinances Entitled: “License Required”.**

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**19. An Ordinance Amending Section 14-197 of the Code of Ordinances Entitled: “Fees for designated licenses; additional charges and costs”.**

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**20. An Ordinance Amending Section 14-202.1 of the Code of Ordinances Entitled: “Amusement centers and mechanical amusement devices-Definitions”.**

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**21. An Ordinance Amending Section 14-206 of the Code of Ordinances Entitled: “License fees for mechanical amusement devices bagatelle, billiard, pool or sippio tables -and amusement centers”.**

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**22. An Ordinance Amending Section 14-262 of the Code of Ordinances Entitled: “License application; fee”.**

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**23. An Ordinance Amending Section 24-2 of the Code of Ordinances Entitled: “Authority to issue licenses for operators and drivers”.**

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**24. An Ordinance Amending Section 24-6 of the Code of Ordinances Entitled: “Issuance of licenses, collection of fees therfor”.**

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**25. An Ordinance Amending Section 24-7 of the Code of Ordinances Entitled: “License Fees”.**

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**PRESENTATION OF RESOLUTIONS**

**COUNCIL PRESIDENT LOMBARDI (By Request):**

**26. Resolution In Support of Senate Bill 2005-S-0064, an Act Relating to Education.**

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**COUNCIL PRESIDENT LOMBARDI:**

**27. Resolution Requesting that the General Assembly Enact Legislation Relating to Licensing of Rental Dwellings in the City of Providence.**

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**28. Resolution Requesting that the Providence Police Department Establish a Policy for “Party Houses”.**

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**29. Resolution Urging the Rhode Island Congressional Delegation to Oppose the proposed “Bankruptcy Reform Bill,” S.256 and H.R. 685, which would amend title 11 of the United States Code.**

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**COUNCIL PRESIDENT LOMBARDI, COUNCILMEN APONTE and LUNA:**

**30. Resolution Extending Sincere Best Wishes to Dr. Pablo Rodriguez for a complete and speedy recovery.**

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**31. Resolution Extending Sincere Best Wishes to Raphael Rodriguez for a complete and speedy recovery.**

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**32. Resolution Extending Sincere Best Wishes to Dawn Titcomb for a complete and speedy recovery.**

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**33. Resolution Extending Sincere Best Wishes to John Titcomb for a complete and speedy recovery.**

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**COUNCILMAN HASSETT:**

**34. Resolution Requesting the Traffic Engineer to cause the installation of a “No Thru Trucks” Sign along Newark Street.**

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**COUNCILMAN SEGAL:**

**35. Resolution Requesting the Traffic Engineer to cause the installation of various street name signs in the 1st Ward.**

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## **REPORTS FROM COMMITTEE**

### **COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC WORKS**

**COUNCILMAN TERRENCE M. HASSETT, Chairman**

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

**36. Resolution Requesting the Traffic Engineer to cause a “Time Restriction-No Parking” Sign located at the corner of 11 Lucille Street.**

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**Transmits the Following with Recommendation the Same be Severally Approved:**

**37. Resolution Permitting Providence Black Repertory, 276 Westminster Street, to cause the installation of two-complete sets of removable ballards at the two side exits located on Clemence Street, to be removed after each performance.**

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**38. Resolution Requesting the Traffic Engineer to cause the installation of “Four-Way Stop” Signs at the corner of Sharon Street and Moorland Avenue.**

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**39. Resolution Requesting the Traffic Engineer to cause the installation of a sign that reads “No Parking Between Signs” on Thayer Street, in front of Brown’s Watson Institute. Only one such sign stands there now so that the end of the “No Parking” Zone is not clear.**

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**40. Resolution Requesting the Traffic Engineer to cause the installation of “No Littering” Signs within the 14th Ward.**

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**41. Resolution Requesting the Traffic Engineer to cause the installation of two “Slow Children” Signs on Cumberland Street.**

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**42. Resolution Requesting the Traffic Engineer to cause the installation of “Slow Children” Signs along Clarence Street from Laurel Hill Avenue through to Whitehall Street.**

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**43. Resolution Requesting the Traffic Engineer to cause the installation of “Stop” Signs on both sides of Merino Street between Laban Street and Plainfield Street.**

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**44. Resolution Requesting the Traffic Engineer to cause the installation of “No Parking” Signs on both sides of East River Drive from the Henderson Bridge to the Richmond Square parking lot.**

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**45. Resolution Requesting the Traffic Engineer to cause the removal of the “No Parking” Signs on Brown Street between Power Street and**

**George Street.**

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**46. Resolution Requesting the Traffic Engineer to cause the installation of “Loading Zone” Signs at 230-232 Atwells Avenue.**

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**47. Resolution Requesting the Traffic Engineer to cause the installation of “No Parking to Corner” Signs at Manton Avenue and Ortoleva Drive.**

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**48. Resolution Requesting the Traffic Engineer to cause the installation of “No Parking” Signs on the odd numbered side of Greenwood Street.**

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**49. Resolution Requesting the Traffic Engineer to cause the**

**installation of a “Four-Way Stop” Sign at the intersection of Angell Street and Paterson Street.**

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**50. Resolution Requesting the Traffic Engineer to cause the installation of a “Yield” Sign on Mink Road at the intersection of Academy Avenue.**

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**51. Resolution Requesting the Traffic Engineer to cause the installation of a “No-Thru Trucking” Sign along Comstock Avenue.**

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**52. Resolution Requesting the Traffic Engineer to cause the installation of Handicap Parking Spaces, one additional space in front of 77 Dorrance Street; a second space in front of 127 Weybosset Street; and possibly two additional spaces at the curbside of 84 Dorrance Street at the request of the Office of Child Support Enforcement.**

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**53. Resolution Requesting the Traffic Engineer to cause the installation of “Four-Way Stop” Signs at the intersection of Tell Street and Courtland Street.**

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**54. Resolution Requesting the Traffic Engineer to cause the installation a “Loading Zone” Sign for 15 Montrose Street on the Ridgeland Street side from the driveway to Montrose Street.**

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**55. Resolution Requesting the Traffic Engineer to cause the installation of a “Handicap” Sign in front of 190 Veazie Street.**

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**56. Resolution Requesting the Traffic Engineer to cause the installation of a “Stop” Sign on Beaufort Street and Pemberton Street.**

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**57. Resolution Requesting the Traffic Engineer to cause the installation of a “Reserved for Handicapped” Sign in front of 50 Malbone Street.**

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**58. Resolution Requesting the Traffic Engineer to cause the installation of “No Parking Anytime” Signs between 507 and 497 Chalkstone Avenue.**

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**59. Resolution Requesting the Traffic Engineer to cause the installation of a “Four-Way Stop” Sign on Washington Street and Winter Street.**

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**60. Resolution Requesting the Traffic Engineer to cause the installation of a “Four-Way Stop” Sign at Dora Street and the Intersection of Cumerford Street.**

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**61. Resolution Requesting the Traffic Engineer to cause the installation of a “Quite Please-Sick Person” Sign in front of the “Pocasset Manor” high rise on Kelly Street.**

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**62. Resolution Requesting the Traffic Engineer to cause the installation of “Twenty Minute Parking Only” Signs sufficient for four (4) parking spaces to accommodate short-term parking at 160 Francis Street, the location of Rhode Island Credit Union.**

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**63. Resolution Requesting the Traffic Engineer to cause the installation of a “Four-Way Stop” Sign at the intersection of George Street and Hope Street.**

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**64. Resolution Requesting the Traffic Engineer to cause the installation of a “Handicapped Parking” Sign on Hope Street at the corner of Langham Road.**

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**65. Resolution Requesting the Traffic Engineer to cause the installation of a “No Parking to Corner” Sign in front of 1 Vandewater Street.**

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**66. Resolution Requesting the Traffic Engineer to cause the installation of a “Four-Way Stop” Sign at Ives Street and Power Street.**

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**67. Resolution Requesting the Traffic Engineer to cause the installation of a “No Right Turn” Sign at that point along Candace**

**Street wherein traffic from the rear parking area of the Russell J. Boyle Funeral Home located at 331 Smith Street shall be directed consistent with One Way restrictions along Candace Street.**

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**68. Resolution Requesting the Traffic Engineer to revert Kelly Street back to a Two-Way Street from Bancroft Street through to Magnolia Street.**

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**69. Resolution Requesting the Traffic Engineer to cause the motor vehicle traffic to become Two-Way along Fern Street.**

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**70. Resolution Requesting the Chief Electrical Inspector to cause the installation of street lighting along that unnamed gangway that runs from 435-443 Hope Street to 192-196 and 198 Morris Avenue and**

**between Montague Street and Doyle Avenue.**

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**REPORT**

**71. Report from Andrew J. Annaldo, Chairman & Secretary, Board of Licenses of all monies received for licenses, etc., issued during the quarter ending December 31, 2004.**

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**FROM THE CLERK'S DESK**

**72. Petition from Thomas E. Deller, Executive Director, Department of Planning & Development, requesting to abandon a portion of Fountain Street.**

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**73. Petitions for Compensation for Injuries and Damages.**

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**PRESENTATION OF RESOLUTIONS**

**“IN CONGRATULATIONS”**

**COUNCIL PRESIDENT LOMBARDI and the MEMBERS OF THE CITY COUNCIL:**

**74. Resolution Extending Congratulations.**

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**PRESENTATION OF RESOLUTIONS**

**“IN MEMORIAM”**

**COUNCIL PRESIDENT LOMBARDI and the MEMBERS OF THE CITY COUNCIL:**

## **75. Resolution Extending Sympathy.**

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### **CONVENTION**

**The City Council will Convene in the Chamber of the City Council,  
City Hall on THURSDAY, MARCH 17, 2005 at 7:30 o'clock P.M. (E.S.T)**

**MICHAEL R. CLEMENT**

**CITY CLERK**