

1. ROLL CALL

INVOCATION

2. The Invocation will be given by Councilman Ronald W. Allen.

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

3. Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag of the United States of America led by Councilman Peter S. Mancini.

APPROVAL OF RECORDS

4. Journal of Proceedings No. 1 of the Regular Meeting of the City Council held January 5, 2006, Journal of Proceedings No. 2 of the Regular Meeting of the City Council held January 19, 2006, Journal of Proceedings No. 3 of the Regular Meeting of the City Council held

February 2, 2006, Journal of Proceedings No. 39 of the Regular Meeting of the City Council held April 1, 2004 and Journal of Proceedings No. 40 of the Regular Meeting of the City Council held April 15, 2004.

APPOINTMENTS BY HIS HONOR THE MAYOR

5. Communication dated May 23, 2006, Informing the Honorable Members of the City Council that pursuant to Sections 302(b) and 815 of the Providence Home Rule Charter of 1980, as amended, he is this day appointing Mr. Craig Baker of 183 Medway Street, Providence, Rhode Island 02906, as a member of the Board of Investment Commissioners for a term to expire in January 2008. (Mr. Baker is replacing Mark Harriman, whose term has expired)

6. Communication dated May 23, 2006, Informing the Honorable Members of the City Council that pursuant to Section 302(b) of the Providence Home Rule Charter of 1980, as amended, he is this day appointing Mr. Gary Glassman of 601 Elmgrove Avenue, Providence, RI 02906, as a member of the Providence Economic Development

Partnership for a term to expire in June 2009. (Mr. Glassman is replacing Robbie Mann whose term has expired.

7. Communication dated May 23, 2006, Informing the Honorable Members of the City Council that pursuant to Sections 302(b) of the Providence Home Rule Charter of 1980, as amended and Rhode Island Public Law of 1980, Chapter 84, he is this day appointing Ms. Kibbe Reilly of 572 Elmgrove Avenue, Providence, RI 02906, as a member of the Providence Tourism Council for a term to expire in June 2007. (Ms. Reilly is replacing Jeneata Aldrich, whose term has expired)

8. Communication dated May 26, 2006, Informing the Honorable Members of the City Council that pursuant to Sections 302(b) and 1003 of the Providence Home Rule Charter of 1980, as amended, he is this day appointing Sarah McConnell of 750 Elmgrove Avenue, Providence, RI 02906, as a member of the Board of Park Commissioners for a term to expire in January 2009. (Mrs. McConnell is replacing John Kelly, who has resigned)

The Following Appointment was re-submitted for consideration. Due to unavoidable circumstances said appointee was unable to attend the hearing of the Finance Committee, and in accordance with protocol was denied without prejudice.

9. Communication dated June 8, 2006, Informing the Honorable Members of the City Council that pursuant to Sections 302(b) and 1103 of the Providence Home Rule Charter of 1980, as amended, he is this day re-appointing Bishop Robert Farrow of 20 Legion Memorial Drive, Providence, RI 02909, as a member of the Human Relations Commission for a term to expire in January 2009, and respectfully submits the same for your approval.

PRESENTATION OF ORDINANCE

COUNCILMAN BUTLER (By Request):

10. An Ordinance Relating to Article IV, Chapter 17, Section 17-189(5) of the Code of Ordinances.

PRESENTATION OF RESOLUTIONS

COUNCIL PRESIDENT LOMBARDI:

11. Resolution Requesting the City of Providence to donate a 1994 Ford E350 Mini Bus an obsolete vehicle, to Ruben Cruz, Governor of Halto Mayor, Dominican Republic.

12. Resolution Requesting the City of Providence to donate a 1990 Ford E350 Special Response Unit, an obsolete vehicle, to the Hope of Life, Inc., in Llanoverde, Zacapa, Guatemala.

COUNCILMAN APONTE (By Request):

13. Resolution Requesting the Traffic Engineer to cause the installation of a “Four-Way” Stop Sign at the intersection of Oxford Street and Prairie Avenue.

COUNCILMAN BUTLER (By Request):

14. Resolution Requesting the Traffic Engineer to cause the installation of a “Stop” Sign on the telephone pole located at the corner of Farm Street and Webb Street.

COUNCILMAN MANCINI (By Request):

15. Resolution Requesting the Traffic Engineer to cause the installation of “Four-Way” Stop Signs on River Avenue and Augusta Street.

16. Resolution Requesting the Chief Electrical Inspector to cause the upgrade of street lighting on LaSalle Drive to 27,500 lumen.

**COUNCILMAN MANCINI, COUNCILWOMAN ROMANO and
COUNCILWOMAN DIRUZZO:**

17. Resolution Urging all tax exempt colleges, universities and hospitals to support direct financial aid, or an “Adopt a Fire Station Program” for the maintenance and repair of fire stations located within the City of Providence.

COUNCILWOMAN YOUNG:

18. Resolution the Requesting the Director of Public Works to cause the pot holes to be repaired at various locations within the 11th Ward.

REPORTS FROM COMMITTEE

COUNCILMAN KEVIN JACKSON, Chairman

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

19. Communication from His Honor the Mayor dated April 24, 2006, Informing the Honorable Members of the City Council that pursuant to Sections 302(b) and 1103 of the Providence Home Rule Charter of 1980, as amended, he is this day appointing Ms. Joan Gelch, of 83 Loring Avenue, Providence Rhode Island 02906, as a member of the Human Relations Commission for a term to expire in January 2009, and respectfully submits the same for your approval. (Ms. Gelch will fill an existing vacancy on the board)

Transmits the Following with Recommendation the Same be Denied:

20. Communication from His Honor the Mayor dated April 24, 2006, Informing the Honorable Members of the City Council that pursuant to Sections 302(b) and 1103 of the Providence Home Rule Charter of 1980, as amended, he is this day re-appointing Bishop Robert Farrow, of 20 Legion Memorial Drive, Providence, Rhode Island 02909, as a member of the Human Relations Commission for a term to expire in January 2009, and respectfully submits the same for your approval.

COMMUNICATIONS AND REPORTS

21. Communication from Councilman Kevin Jackson, dated June 1, 2006, Informing the City Clerk of his re-appointment of Mr. Kenneth Brown, 130 Evergreen Street, Providence, RI 02906, to the Providence External Review Authority (PERA).

FROM THE CLERK'S DESK

22. Petition from Erica P. Bigelow, Tillinghast Licht, LLP, Ten Weybosset Street, Providence, RI 02903, requesting to abandon a portion of Russell Street.

23. Petitions for Compensation for Injuries and Damages.

PRESENTATION OF RESOLUTIONS

"IN CONGRATULATIONS"

COUNCIL PRESIDENT LOMBARDI and MEMBERS OF THE CITY COUNCIL:

24. Resolution Extending Congratulations.

PRESENTATION OF RESOLUTIONS

“IN MEMORIAM”

COUNCIL PRESIDENT LOMBARDI and MEMBERS OF THE CITY COUNCIL:

25. Resolution Extending Sympathy.

CONVENTION

The City Council will Convene in the Chamber of the City Council, City Hall on THURSDAY, JUNE 15, 2006 at 7:30 o'clock P.M. (E.D.T)

ANNA M. STETSON

CITY CLERK