

***CITY OF PROVIDENCE
RHODE ISLAND***



DOCKET OF THE REGULAR COUNCIL MEETING

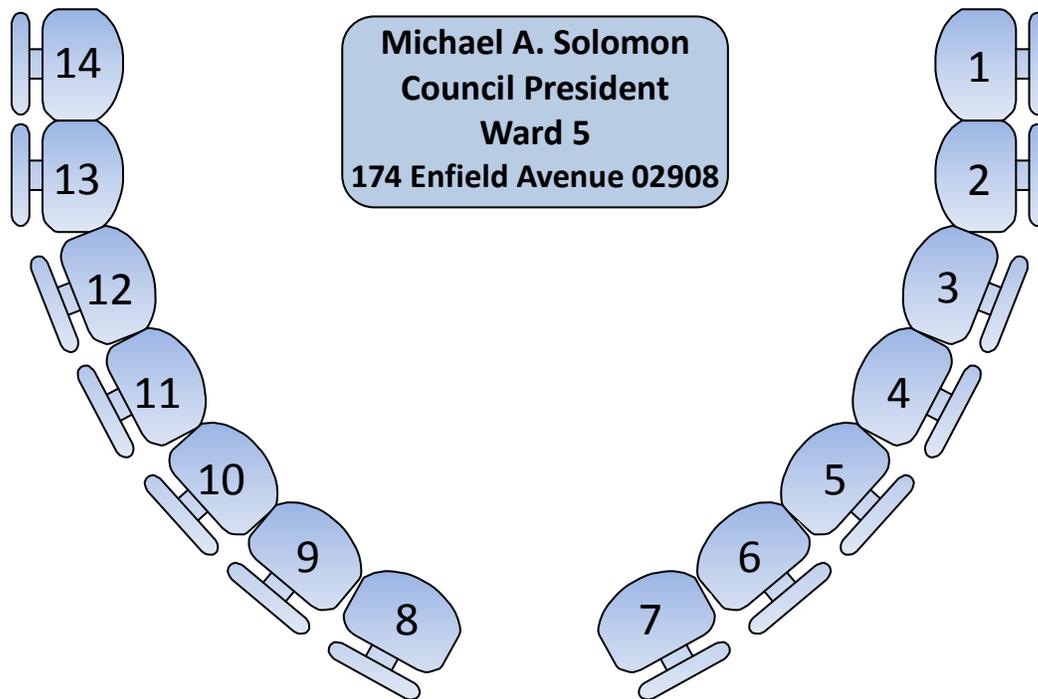
OF THE CITY COUNCIL

ON

THURSDAY, MAY 15, 2014

***COUNCIL PRESIDENT
MICHAEL A. SOLOMON***

PRESIDING



1. Sabina Matos
Councilwoman Ward 15
55 Pocasset Avenue 02909

2. Bryan Principe
Councilman Ward 13
89 Hudson Street 02909

3. Nicholas J. Narducci, Jr.
Deputy Majority Leader
Councilman Ward 4
36 Langdon Street 02904

4. Wilbur W. Jennings, Jr.
Councilman Ward 8
115 Sinclair Avenue 02907

5. Michael J. Correia
Councilman Ward 6
195 Sisson Street 02909

6. Seth Yurdin
Majority Leader
Councilman Ward 1
148 Governor Street 02906

7. Terrence M. Hassett
Council President Pro Tempore
Councilman Ward 12
15 Higgins Avenue 02908

8. Kevin Jackson
Councilman Ward 3
91 Jenkins Street 02906

9. Luis A. Aponte
Councilman Ward 10
14 Blundell Street 02905

10. Carmen Castillo
Councilwoman Ward 9
381 Potters Avenue 02907

11. Davian Sanchez
Councilman Ward 11
35 Wesleyan Avenue 02907

12. Samuel D. Zurier
Councilman Ward 2
330 Grotto Avenue 02906

13. David Salvatore
Councilman Ward 14
250 Nelson Street 02908

14. John J. Igliazzi
Councilman Ward 7
19 Legion Memorial Drive 02909

ROLL CALL

INVOCATION

1. The Invocation will be given by Councilman Wilbur W. Jennings, Jr.
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PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

2. Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag of the United States of America Led by Councilwoman Sabina Matos.
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APPOINTMENTS BY HIS HONOR THE MAYOR

3. Communication from His Honor the Mayor, dated April 24, 2014, 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 Melissa DuBose of 33 Ninth Street, Providence, Rhode Island 02906, to the Board of Investment Commissioners for a term to expire in January 2017. (Ms. DuBose will replace Mr. Aaron Simon who has resigned)
 4. Communication from His Honor the Mayor, dated April 24, 2014, Informing the Honorable Members of the City Council that pursuant to Article III, Sec. 3.03 of Community Action Partnership of Providence (formerly known as ProCAP) by laws, he is this day appointing Obed Papp of 88 Dexter Street Providence, Rhode Island 02909, as a public member of the Providence Community Action Program. (Ms. Papp will replace Ani Haroian who has resigned)
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5. Communication from His Honor the Mayor, dated May 5, 2014, 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 Public Law Chapter 45-50, Sections 1 through 31 passed in 1987, and Providence Code of Ordinances, Article II, Sec. 21-52(1), he is this day appointing Carmen Manuela Raposo of the Latino Policy Institute, to the Providence Commission on Minority and Women Business Development.
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ORDINANCE(S) SECOND READING

The Following Ordinances were in City Council May 1, 2014, Read and Passed the First Time and are Severally Returned for Passage the Second Time:

6. An Ordinance in Amendment of Chapter 14, "Licenses," of the Code of Ordinances of the City of Providence, Article X, "Shows and Amusements," Section 14-196, "Entertainment License Conditions." *(Sponsored by Council President Solomon and Councilman Narducci)*
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7. An Ordinance In Amendment of the Code of Ordinances of the City of Providence Section 16-57, "Unlawful Employment Practices," Article II, "Discrimination" *(Sponsored by Council President Solomon, Councilwomen Castillo, Matos, Councilmen Yurdin, Aponte, Correia, Hassett, Igliazzi, Jackson, Jennings, Narducci, Principe, Salvatore, Sanchez and Zurier)*
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PRESENTATION OF RESOLUTIONS

8. **COUNCIL PRESIDENT SOLOMON, (By Request):**

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

Narragansett Improvement (Department of Public Works)	\$25,000.00
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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.

Parkside Utility Construction (Providence Water Supply Board)	\$8,300,000.00
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10. Resolution Requesting the City Council to endorse and ratify the consent judgment dated April 7, 2014, resolving certain pension issues related to certain non-union police and fire employees and certain non-union police and fire retirees of the City of Providence.

11. **COUNCIL PRESIDENT SOLOMON, COUNCILMAN APONTE, COUNCILWOMAN CASTILLO, COUNCILMAN CORREIA, COUNCILMAN HASSETT, COUNCILMAN IGLIOZZI, COUNCILMAN JACKSON, COUNCILMAN JENNINGS, COUNCILWOMAN MATOS, COUNCILMAN NARDUCCI, COUNCILMAN PRINCIPE, COUNCILMAN SALVATORE, COUNCILMAN SANCHEZ, COUNCILMAN YURDIN, COUNCILMAN ZURIER**

Resolution Requesting the General Assembly to establish a holiday to observe, recognize and honor Blue Star Parents Day in Rhode Island.

12. **COUNCILMAN CORREIA**

Resolution Requesting the Traffic Engineer to Prohibit Parking on the even side of Wisdom Avenue.

13. Resolution Requesting the Traffic Engineer to cause installation of a "Handicap Parking" Sign located at 78 Fairview Street.
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14. Resolution Requesting the Traffic Engineer to cause the replacement of the missing Street Sign located on Wealth Avenue at Huron Street.
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15. Resolution Requesting the Traffic Engineer to cause the replacement of the missing Street Sign located on Sybaris Street at Sisson Street.
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16. Resolution Requesting the Acting Director of Public Works to cause the Clean and Lien of the vacant lot located next to 39 Unit Street.
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17. Resolution Requesting the Acting Director of Public Works to cause the Clean and Lien of the property located at 147 Pomona Avenue.

18. Resolution Requesting the Acting Director of Public Works to cause the cleaning of the catch basins along Harold Street.

19. Resolution Requesting the Acting Director of Public Works to the cause the repair of sewer line depressions at the following locations:

Harold Street at Harvest Street
Carleton Street at Hendrick Street
Huron Street at Regent Avenue

20. Resolution Requesting the Acting Director of Public Works to cause the repair of the sidewalk located at 25 Cambridge Street on the Academy Avenue side as it is a trip hazard.

21. Resolution Requesting the Acting Director of Public Works to cause the repair of the catch basin located in front of 9 Mount Pleasant Avenue.

22. Resolution Requesting the Director of Public Property to cause the repair of the roof at the Joslin Recreation Center.

23. Resolution Requesting the Forestry Division of the Parks Department to cause the removal of the dead tree located at 16 Maplehurst Avenue.

24. **COUNCILMAN NARDUCCI, COUNCILMAN PRINCIPE**

Resolution Regarding the Providence Redevelopment Agency amending various leases.

25. **COUNCILMAN PRINCIPE**

Resolution Requesting the Traffic Engineer to cause the installation of a "Two-Hour Parking" Sign located in front of 214 Broadway.

26. Resolution Requesting the Traffic Engineer to cause a "Student Drop Off Loading Zone between the hours of 9:00 o'clock A.M. and 4:00 o'clock P.M." Sign, located in front of 35 Swiss Street.

27. Resolution Requesting the Traffic Engineer to cause the installation of two Handicap Parking spaces located in front of 35 Swiss Street.

28. **COUNCILMAN SANCHEZ**

Resolution Requesting the Traffic Engineer to cause the installation of a "No Parking-Funeral Service Only" Sign in front of Bell's Funeral Home located at 571 Broad Street.

29. **COUNCILMAN YURDIN**

Resolution Endorsing and Urging Passage by the General Assembly of House Bill 2014-H 7904, An Act Relating to Health and Safety - Climate Change Adaption and Mitigation - Resilient Rhode Island Act 2014.

30. **COUNCILMAN ZURIER**

Resolution Endorsing and Urging Passage by the General Assembly of House Bill 2014-H 7896 and Senate Bill 2014-S 2397, Joint Resolution to Approve and Publish and Submit to the Electors a Proposition of Amendment to the Constitution - Right to and Adequate Education.

REPORT(S) FROM COMMITTEE(S)

**COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC WORKS
COUNCILMAN TERRENCE M. HASSETT, Chairman**

Transmits the Following with Recommendation the Same Be Severally Approved:

31. Resolution Requesting the Traffic Engineer to cause the installation of a "15 Minute Parking" Sign located at 50 Pocasset Avenue.
(Sponsored by Councilwoman Matos)
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32. Resolution Requesting the Traffic Engineer to cause the installation of two "30 Minute Parking" Signs located at 936 Chalkstone Avenue. *(Sponsored by Councilman Hassett)*
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33. Resolution on behalf of Allens Providence Recycling, LLC, requesting the relocation of a Transfer Station to 471 Allens Avenue and 140 Adoption Way (formerly known as Terminal Road).
(Sponsored by Council President Solomon, By Request)
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37. 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.

Rosciti Construction Company \$4,200,000.00
(Water Supply Board)
(Sponsored by Council President Solomon, By Request)

38. 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.

CBS Therapy \$56,850.00
(School Department)
(Sponsored by Council President Solomon, By Request)

**COMMITTEE ON ORDINANCES
COUNCILMAN SETH YURDIN, Chairman
AND
SPECIAL COMMITTEE ON WAYS AND MEANS, JOINTLY
COUNCILMAN DAVID SALVATORE, Chairman**

Transmits the Following with Recommendation the Same be Received:

39. Communication from Alan Litwin, Chairman, Task Force on Economic Development, submitting the final report of the commission.
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**SPECIAL COMMITTEE ON EDUCATION
COUNCILMAN SAMUEL D. ZURIER, Chairman**

Transmits the Following with Recommendation the Same Be Approved:

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

EA Engineering & Technology \$46,700.00 for the
2014-2015 school year
(School Department)
(Sponsored by Council President Solomon, By Request)

COMMUNICATIONS AND REPORTS

41. Communication from His Honor the Mayor, dated April 24, 2014, Informing the Honorable Members of the City Council and James S. Bennett, Executive Director, Providence Economic Development Partnership, that pursuant to Section 302(b) of the Providence Home Rule Charter of 1980, as amended, and Article II, Section 2, of the Providence Economic Development Partnership, Inc., bylaws, he is this day appointing Mr. James Salome of 12 Wyndcliff Drive, Saunderstown, RI, as a member of the Board of Directors of the Providence Economic Development Partnership for a term to expire on June 30, 2015. (Mr. Salome will replace Mr. Clay Rockefeller who has resigned)

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42. Communication from Jeffrey M. Padwa, City Solicitor, dated April 29, 2014, submitting the Annual Report of Civil Suits and Legal Proceedings.
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FROM THE CLERK'S DESK

43. Petitions for Compensation for Injuries and Damages.
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**PRESENTATION OF RESOLUTIONS
"IN CONGRATULATIONS"**

44. **COUNCIL PRESIDENT SOLOMON AND MEMBERS OF
THE CITY COUNCIL**

Resolution Extending Congratulations.

**PRESENTATION OF RESOLUTIONS
"IN MEMORIAM"**

45. **COUNCIL PRESIDENT SOLOMON AND MEMBERS OF
THE CITY COUNCIL**

Resolution Extending Sympathy.

CONVENTION

The City Council will Convene in the Chamber of the City Council, City Hall
on **Thursday, May 15, 2014 at 7:00 o'clock PM.**



**LORI L. HAGEN
SECOND DEPUTY CLERK**