

Date Posted: June 25, 2018

**CITY OF EAST PROVIDENCE  
RHODE ISLAND  
DOCKET OF SPECIAL COUNCIL MEETING  
June 27, 2018  
7:00 P.M.**

**Council Chambers, City Hall, 145 Taunton Avenue, East Providence, RI 02914**

**I. CALL TO ORDER**

**II. SALUTE TO THE FLAG**

**III. OPEN SESSION**

**IV. COUNCIL MEMBERS**

- A. Discussion and Vote Regarding City Council Member  
Access to City Hall (*by Mayor Briden*)  
Motion\_\_\_By\_\_\_2<sup>nd</sup>\_\_\_  
Botelho\_\_\_Britto \_\_\_Faria\_\_\_Sousa\_\_\_Briden\_\_\_
- B. Discussion and Vote Regarding Elimination of the City  
Council Office in City Hall (*by Mayor Briden*)  
Motion\_\_\_By\_\_\_2<sup>nd</sup>\_\_\_  
Botelho\_\_\_Britto \_\_\_Faria\_\_\_Sousa\_\_\_Briden\_\_\_
- C. Discussion and Vote Regarding Elimination of Council  
Swipe Keys to City Hall (*by Assistant Mayor Britto*)  
Motion\_\_\_By\_\_\_2<sup>nd</sup>\_\_\_  
Botelho\_\_\_Britto \_\_\_Faria\_\_\_Sousa\_\_\_Briden\_\_\_
- D. Discussion and Vote Regarding Charter Amendment to  
Address Issues of Removal of Council Member (*by  
Councilman Botelho*)  
Motion\_\_\_By\_\_\_2<sup>nd</sup>\_\_\_  
Botelho\_\_\_Britto \_\_\_Faria\_\_\_Sousa\_\_\_Briden\_\_\_

**V. NEW BUSINESS**

**A. Resolutions**

**RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE CITY COUNCIL TO APPOINT POLICE CHIEF  
CHRISTOPHER J. PARELLA AS ACTING CITY MANAGER OF THE CITY OF EAST  
PROVIDENCE**

**WHEREAS**, on March 28, 2018, the City Council of the City of East Providence appointed Malcolm Moore Acting City Manager and provided a new salary to him effective May 15, 2018 as Acting City Manager; and

**WHEREAS**, on June 27, 2018 the City Council of the City of East Providence appoints Christopher J. Parella as Acting City Manager, a position he will serve concurrently with the position of Chief of Police replacing Malcolm Moore of his duty as Acting City Manager; and

**WHEREAS**, in the role as Acting City Manager, Christopher J. Parella will retain an administrative assistant from within the ranks of the East Providence Police Department, of his selection, to serve under his leadership as Acting City Manager; and

**WHEREAS**, Chief Christopher J. Parella will divide time jointly between the positions of Acting City Manager and Chief of Police both in his duties and personal presence at his discretion and as needed; and

**WHEREAS**, Chief Christopher J. Parella shall retain his continuous benefits with no alteration concerning his police pension and longevity or any other current police compensation; and

**WHEREAS**, Chief Christopher J. Parella shall receive a stipend for the added duty of Acting City Manager at an amount to be determined by the City Council which shall be in effect from the date of appointment until the date of discharge from the duties of Acting City Manager. The former Acting City Manager Malcolm Moore shall no longer receive compensation approved for him as Acting City Manager and shall resume receiving compensation of his salary as Director of Finance; and

**WHEREAS**, upon the installation of the Mayor of the City of East Providence or at any time prior to if his services are no longer needed, Chief Christopher J. Parella will return to the sole duty of Chief of Police.

**NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED** that this resolution authorizes the City Council to appoint Christopher J. Parella as Acting City Manager for the City of East Providence at the City Council's discretion or until the duly elected Mayor is installed.

This resolution shall become effective upon its passage.

Requested By: Councilman Botelho

Motion\_\_\_By\_\_\_2<sup>nd</sup>\_\_\_  
Botelho\_\_\_Britto\_\_\_Faria\_\_\_Sousa\_\_\_Briden\_\_\_

## **VI. EXECUTIVE SESSION**

***The City Council of the City of East Providence may meet in Executive Session pursuant to RIGL 42-46-5 (a)(2)***

A. Discussion and Vote Regarding Acting City Manager  
Terms and Conditions

**VII. RECONVENE IN OPEN SESSION: Report of votes if any taken in Executive Session.**

**VIII. ADJOURNMENT**

Motion\_\_\_By\_\_\_2<sup>nd</sup>\_\_\_  
Botelho\_\_\_Britto\_\_\_Faria\_\_\_Sousa\_\_\_Briden\_\_\_

*\*If communications assistance is needed or any other accommodations to ensure equal participation please contact the City Clerk's at 435-7590.*