

THE CITY OF WARWICK
STATE OF RHODE ISLAND AND PROVIDENCE PLANTATIONS

RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL

NO. DATE.....

APPROVED.....MAYOR

**RESOLUTION REQUESTING THAT THE RHODE ISLAND DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION
INVESTIGATE COMPLAINTS REGARDING SPECIAL EDUCATION SERVICES IN THE
WARWICK SCHOOL DEPARTMENT**

Resolved that,

WHEREAS, the health, safety and welfare of the citizens of the City of Warwick are matters of paramount importance to the City Council; and

WHEREAS, the education of the City of Warwick's youth is especially critical; and

WHEREAS, special education services, in addition to being vital, are strictly regulated by state and federal law; and

WHEREAS, periodically members of the public, including parents of children utilizing special education services, have raised complaints regarding special education services within the Warwick School Department; and

WHEREAS, the complaints are serious in nature and should be investigated by an agency familiar with special education services.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Warwick City Council requests that the Rhode Island Department of Education investigate complaints regarding special education services in the Warwick School Department.

The City Clerk is hereby directed to forward a copy of this Resolution to the Rhode Island Commissioner of Education.

This Resolution shall take effect upon passage.

SPONSORED BY: COUNCILMAN LADOUCEUR
COMMITTEE: INTERGOVERNMENTAL