

THE CITY OF WARWICK  
STATE OF RHODE ISLAND AND PROVIDENCE PLANTATIONS

RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL

No. \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Approved \_\_\_\_\_ Mayor

RESOLUTION RELATIVE TO  
RATIFICATION OF NEW THREE-YEAR FIRE UNION CONTRACT

RESOLVED, that

WHEREAS, Section 2-18 of the Warwick Code of Ordinances requires all collective bargaining agreements between the City of Warwick (sometimes referred to as the “City”) and any labor organization to be ratified by the City Council to be effective; and

WHEREAS, the Mayor of the City of Warwick and Local 2748, International Association of Firefighters, AFL-CIO (the “Union”) have reached a tentative collective bargaining agreement to modify the existing contract between the Union and the City and to establish a new three-year agreement effective for the period from July 1, 2019 to June 30, 2022 (the “Tentative Agreement”); and

WHEREAS, the members of the bargaining agreement represented by the Union have ratified the terms and conditions of the Tentative Agreement; and

WHEREAS, the City Council has reviewed the Tentative Agreement, a copy of which is attached hereto; and

WHEREAS, the City Council has been provided a fiscal note concerning the Tentative Agreement; and

WHEREAS, the City Council is satisfied that the provisions of the Tentative Agreement are reasonable, fiscally sound and advance the public health, safety and welfare of the City; and

WHEREAS, the City Council finds that the Tentative Agreement serves the best interest of the City of Warwick and should be ratified to promote and further the health, safety and welfare of the public; and

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED THAT the City Council hereby authorizes the Mayor to execute any and all necessary documents, the form of which shall be subject to approval of the City Solicitor, to effectuate the provisions of the Tentative Agreement and to establish a new three-year contract between the City and the Union.

The City Clerk is hereby directed to forward a copy of this Resolution to the Director of Finance.

This Resolution shall take effect upon passage.

SPONSORED BY: Councilman Howe, Councilman McElroy,  
Councilwoman Travis, Councilman McAllister,  
Councilman Sinapi, Councilman Corley  
ON BEHALF OF MAYOR SOLOMON

COMMITTEE: FINANCE