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2	THE CITY OF WARWICK
4	STATE OF RHODE ISLAND AND PROVIDENCE PLANTATIONS
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6	RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL
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10	APPROVEDMAYOR
11 12	RESOLUTION IN REGARDS TO YIELD SIGNS AT THE FOLLOWING LOCATIONS:
13	(1) WEST SHORE ROAD, PRIOR TO THE RIGHT LANE SPLIT, (2) ON THE RIGHT
14	HAND SIDE OF WEST SHORE ROAD ACROSS FROM THE SIGN CURRENTLY
15	THERE, AND (3) FACING NORTH BOUND TRAFFIC ON WEST SHORE ROAD
16 17	Resolved that,
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19	WHEREAS, the health, safety and welfare of the citizens of the City of Warwick are
20 21	matters of paramount importance to the City Council; and
22	WHEREAS, a traffic study was conducted by the Warwick Police Department in or
23	around March 2020 and July 2020 of the intersection of West Shore Road and Warwick Neck
24	Avenue; and
25	WHERE AS, this traffic study contained a thorough observation of the traffic at and
26 27	WHEREAS, this traffic study contained a thorough observation of the traffic at and leading up to this intersection, as well as traffic flow accessing local businesses located on West
28	Shore Road; and
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30	WHEREAS, it was determined that there have been a handful of accidents at the
31 32	intersection of West Shore Road and Warwick Neck Avenue in the last two (2) years, as well as accidents occurring at the ingresses and egresses of parking lots for the surrounding business;
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35	WHEREAS, it was the ultimate recommendation of the traffic study that the following
36 37	signs be placed in designated areas on West Shore Road:
38	(1) A "Yield Sign Ahead" sign to be placed on West Shore Road, prior to the right lane
39	split merge, to signal that there is already a Yield Sign ahead further up the road;
40	(2) A Yield Sign on the right-hand side of West Shore Road across from the one that
41	presently exists; (3) A sign which reads "Vield to Oncoming Traffic" or "Vield When Turning Left into
42 43	(3) A sign which reads "Yield to Oncoming Traffic" or "Yield When Turning Left into the Parking Lot" facing north bound traffic on West Shore Road.
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WHEREAS, the traffic study also concluded that a Yield Sign should not be placed on Warwick Neck Avenue in the north bound direction.

1	NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the City Council hereby requests that the
2	aforementioned signs be placed in the areas recommended by the traffic study.
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4	The City Clerk is hereby directed to forward a copy of this Resolution to the Director of
5	the Department of Public Works, the Finance Director, and the Mayor.
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7	This Resolution shall take effect upon passage.
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10	SPONSORED BY: COUNCILMAN LADOUCEUR
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12	COMMITTEE: PUBLIC SAFETY