

**THE CITY OF WARWICK  
STATE OF RHODE ISLAND**

**RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL**

**NO..... DATE.....**

**APPROVED.....MAYOR**

**RESOLUTION RATIFYING THE COLLECTIVE BARGAINING AGREEMENT  
BETWEEN THE CITY OF WARWICK AND WARWICK LODGE NO. 7,  
FRATERNAL ORDER OF POLICE FOR THE PERIOD OF  
JULY 1, 2024 THROUGH JUNE 30, 2027**

**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, Section 2-18 of the Warwick Code of Ordinances requires all collective bargaining agreements between the City of Warwick and any labor organization to be ratified by the City Council to become effective; and

WHEREAS, the Mayor of the City of Warwick and the Warwick Fraternal Order of Police, Lodge #7 have reached a tentative collective bargaining agreement to modify the existing contract between Lodge #7 and the City and to establish a new three-year contract effective on July 1, 2024 to June 30, 2027 (the "Lodge #7 Tentative Agreement")(Attached); and

WHEREAS, the membership of Lodge #7 ratified the terms and conditions of the Tentative Agreement; and

WHEREAS, the City Council has received and reviewed the Lodge #7 Tentative Agreement, and

WHEREAS, the City Council has been provided a fiscal note concerning the Lodge #7 Tentative Agreement, as well as clean and redlined drafts of the Collective Bargaining Agreement; and

WHEREAS, the City Council is satisfied that the provisions of the Lodge #7 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 Lodge #7 Tentative Agreement serves the best interest of the City of Warwick and should be ratified to promote and further the public's

1 health, safety and welfare.  
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3 NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED the City Council hereby authorizes the Mayor to  
4 execute any and all necessary documents, the form of which shall be subject to approval of the City  
5 Solicitor, to consummate the provisions of the Lodge #7 Tentative Agreement and enter into the new  
6 three-year contract for the period of July 1, 2024 to June 30, 2027 between the Warwick Fraternal  
7 Order of Police, Lodge #7 and the City.  
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9 The City Clerk is hereby directed to forward a copy of this Resolution to the Director of  
10 Finance and the City Solicitor.  
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12 This Resolution shall take effect upon passage.  
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17 SPONSORED BY: COUNCIL PRESIDENT SINAPI  
18 ON BEHALF OF MAYOR PICOZZI  
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20 COMMITTEE: FINANCE