



**STATE OF RHODE ISLAND AND PROVIDENCE PLANTATIONS**

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Diane Brennan, Chair  
East Providence Budget Commission  
East Providence City Hall  
145 Taunton Avenue  
East Providence, RI 02914

Dear Ms. Brennan,

I am in receipt of your letter dated March 12, 2013 (attached) detailing the accomplishments of the East Providence Budget Commission ("Commission") and reporting that the Commission has met its goal of returning fiscal stability to the City of East Providence. Based on the information provided in your memo, and in conjunction with the adoption of a balanced five-year plan at the February 28, 2013 meeting, I concur with the Commission's recommendation to return the control of the City's finances back to the City's administration, under the direction of an Administration and Finance Officer, as required under RIGL §45-9-10.

As such, this letter serves as notification required under RIGL §45-9-6 and RIGL §45-9-10 that the fiscal health of the City of East Providence has improved to a level such that the Budget Commission is no longer needed. The last meeting of the East Providence Budget Commission is currently scheduled for March 28, 2013 and the Commission will be officially dissolved upon the appointment of an Administration and Finance Officer for the City of East Providence under RIGL §45-9-10(c) or §45-9-10(d).

Thank you for your service to the City of East Providence and the state Department of Revenue.

Sincerely,

Rosemary Booth Gallogly  
Director

Cc: East Providence Budget Commission  
Governor Lincoln Chafee  
Susanne Greschner, Chief of Municipal Finance  
Christy Healey, Deputy Director Department of Revenue  
City Council/School Committee/Legislative Delegation