

**HEARING SCHEDULE
CITY COUNCIL MEETINGS BEGINNING APRIL 8, 2002**

Monday, April 8, 2002	5:30 P.M.	Regular City Council Meeting (Sullivan Chamber) MEETING HELD.
Monday, April 22, 2002	5:00 P.M.	<i>Two Special Presentations:</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• <i>Cambridge video prepared by Office of Tourism and</i>• <i>New magazine, Human Services Connection, published by Larry Ward.</i> (Sullivan Chamber)
Monday, April 22, 2002	5:30 P.M.	Regular City Council Meeting (Sullivan Chamber)
Monday, April 29, 2002	5:30 P.M.	Regular City Council Meeting (Sullivan Chamber)
Wednesday, May 1, 2002	10:30 A.M.	The Finance Committee will conduct a public meeting to discuss the FY03 City Budget. (Sullivan Chamber)
Thursday, May 2, 2002	11:00 A.M.	The Economic Development, Training and Employment Committee will conduct a public meeting to discuss the procurement law with the Purchasing Agent and any general business that comes before the committee. (Ackermann Room)
Monday, May 6, 2002	5:30 P.M.	Regular City Council Meeting (Sullivan Chamber)

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Wednesday, May 8, 2002	10:30 A.M.	The Finance Committee will conduct a public meeting to discuss the FY03 City Budget. (Sullivan Chamber)
Thursday, May 9, 2002	6:00 P.M.	The Finance Committee will conduct a public meeting to discuss the FY03 School Department Budget. (Sullivan Chamber)
Monday, May 13, 2002	5:30 P.M.	Regular City Council Meeting (Sullivan Chamber)
Wednesday, May 15, 2002	4:00 P.M.	The Finance Committee will conduct a public meeting to discuss the FY03 City Budget. (IF NECESSARY) (Sullivan Chamber)
Monday, May 20, 2002	5:00 P.M.	<i>Special Presentation by the award recipients of the Cambridge Partnership for Public Education Mini-Grants.</i> (Sullivan Chamber)
Monday, May 20, 2002	5:30 P.M.	Regular City Council Meeting (Sullivan Chamber)
Monday, June 3, 2002	5:30 P.M.	Roundtable Meeting Public Health infrastructure and infant mortality rate. Informal meeting with no public comment, at which time no votes will be taken. Meeting will not be televised. (Sullivan Chamber)
Monday, June 10, 2002	5:30 P.M.	Regular City Council Meeting (Sullivan Chamber)

Monday, June 17, 2002	5:30 P.M.	Regular City Council Meeting (Sullivan Chamber)
Monday, June 24, 2002	5:30 P.M.	Regular City Council Meeting (Sullivan Chamber)

**CAMBRIDGE CITY COUNCIL - COMMITTEE ON FINANCE
BUDGET HEARING SCHEDULE**

The Committee on Finance will conduct public hearings on the city and school budgets covering the fiscal period July 1, 2002 to June 30, 2003.

These hearings will be held in the Sullivan Chamber, City Hall, broadcast on the municipal cable station and will follow the schedule outlined below. The proposed budget will include recommendations from the City Manager concerning capital and operating budgets.

All interested individuals are invited to attend and be heard and/or submit written testimony. Those wishing to testify will be given the opportunity either at the outset or conclusion of each day's hearings. Copies of the budget may be viewed at the main and branch libraries and will be available on a one to one basis at the Budget Office at City Hall after April 23, 2002. Additionally, the budget will be available on the Internet through the City Home Page: www.ci.cambridge.ma.us

WEDNESDAY, MAY 1, 2002 -- commencing at 10:30 A.M.

Budget Overview	Finance	Public Celebrations
License Commission	Administration	Reserve
Executive	Budget	Animal Commission
Tourism	Personnel	Fire Department
Affirmative Action	Assessing	Police
Positive Edge	Purchasing	Traffic, Parking & Transportation
Public Information Officer	Auditing	Police Review & Advisory
Mayor's Office	Treasury/Revenue	Inspectional Services
City Council	MIS	Weights & Measures
City Clerk	Employee Benefit	Electrical
Law Department	General Services	Emergency Management
	Election Commission	Emergency Communications

WEDNESDAY, MAY 8, 2002 -- commencing at 10:30 A.M.

Public Works	Cable TV	Veterans
Water	Debt Service	MWRA
Community Development	Library	Cherry Sheet
Historical	Human Services	Cambridge Health Alliance
Conservation	Women's Commission	Public Investment
Peace Commission	Human Rights	

THURSDAY, MAY 9, 2002 -- commencing at 6:00 P.M.

Public Schools

WEDNESDAY, MAY 15, 2002 -- commencing at 4:00 P.M.

If necessary

MONDAY, MAY 20, 2002

Budget Adoption

APRIL 8, 2002

1. Transmitting communication from Robert W. Healy, City Manager, relative to the appointment of the following persons as Constable Without Power for a term of three years, effective the first day of January, 2002:

Edward D. Tatum, Jr. 34 Pearl Street, Apt. A, Stoughton
Paul A. Carter, 6 Ashburton Place, Cambridge

2. Transmitting communication from Robert W. Healy, City Manager, relative to the appropriation of \$97,500 to the Traffic, Parking & Transportation Department Other Ordinary Maintenance Account (\$47,500) and Extraordinary Expenditures Account (\$50,000) from excess parking fund revenues to cover increased energy, service repairs & maintenance and advertising costs and to purchase three S10 Chevy pick-up trucks.
3. Transmitting communication from Robert W. Healy, City Manager, relative to the appropriation of \$150,000 in the Public Investment Fund of the Cable Department Extraordinary Expenditures Account from AT&T Franchise Revenues to provide relocation expenses for the Cable Office during the construction of the Main Library.
4. Transmitting communication from Robert W. Healy, City Manager, relative to the appropriation of \$62,200 in the Public Investment Fund of the Fire Department Extraordinary Expenditures Account from MIT as a result of a contract for confined space services provided by the Fire Department to be used to purchase rescue equipment.
5. Transmitting communication from Robert W. Healy, City Manager, relative to the appropriation of a grant from FEMA through the United Way of Mass for \$8,400 to the Human Services Other Ordinary Maintenance Account to provide funds to increase and extend currently available emergency resources for clients in need through the Fuel Assistance Program.

1. **PLACED ON FILE.**

2. **ORDER ADOPTED.
8-0-1.**

3. **ORDER ADOPTED.
8-0-1.**

4. **ORDER ADOPTED.
8-0-1.**

5. **ORDER ADOPTED.
8-0-1.**

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6. Transmitting communication from Robert W. Healy, City Manager, relative to the appropriation of a grant from the Disability Law Center for \$25,000 to the grant fund Human Services Salary & Wages Account (\$2,750) and Other Ordinary Maintenance Account (\$22,250) to provide funds to create more opportunities for inclusion of children with disabilities in out-of-school programs. **6. ORDER ADOPTED. 8-0-1.**
7. Transmitting communication from Robert W. Healy, City Manager, relative to the transfer of \$25,000 from the Finance (MIS) Other Ordinary Maintenance to the Finance (MIS) Travel & Training Account to provide funds for PeopleSoft and SQL training as well as attendance at conferences. **7. ORDER ADOPTED. 8-0-1.**
8. Transmitting communication from Robert W. Healy, City Manager, relative to the appropriation of \$1,090,000 to the Public Investment Fund Schools Extraordinary Expenditures Account to provide funds for renovations to the Rindge School of Technical Arts and the acquisition of equipment for the programs that the school offers. **8. ORDER ADOPTED. 8-0-1.**
9. Transmitting communication from Robert W. Healy, City Manager, relative to **Awaiting Report Item Number 02-21**, regarding a complaint received from an employee of the Market Theater relative to the recycling program. **9. PLACED ON FILE.**
10. Transmitting communication from Robert W. Healy, City Manager, relative to the transfer of \$30,000 from the Mayor's Office Salary & Wages Account to the Mayor's Office Other Ordinary Maintenance Account. **10. ORDER ADOPTED. 8-0-1.**
11. Transmitting communication from Robert W. Healy, City Manager, relative to the transfer of \$6,000 in the General Fund from the City Council Travel & Training Account to the Other Ordinary Maintenance Account to augment the office supplies budget. **11. ORDER ADOPTED. 8-0-1.**

MASSACHUSETTS

**City Council Calendar No. 7
Monday, April 8, 2002**

At 5:30 P.M.

CHARTER RIGHT

1. Charter Right exercised by Councillor Toomey on Consent Agenda #8 of March 25, 2002 on the reappointment of Lynne Molnar as an Election Commissioner for a term of four-years, effective April 1, 2002.

**PLACED ON FILE.
COUNCILLOR TOOMEY RECORDED IN THE NEGATIVE.**

2. Charter Right exercised by Councillor Toomey on Consent Agenda #21 of March 25, 2002 on Awaiting Report Item Number 02-06, regarding additional funds for the Election Commission for mailing to individual households in large buildings.

**PLACED ON FILE.
COUNCILLOR TOOMEY RECORDED IN THE NEGATIVE.**

3. Charter Right exercised by Councillor Maher on Order #2 of March 25, 2002 introduced by Councillor Decker requesting the City Manager to confer with the Assistant City Manager for Community Development, the City Solicitor and other appropriate staff to report back to the City Council on what other communities have done and what Cambridge can do to control exterior light.

ORDER ADOPTED.

4. Charter Right exercised by Councillor Murphy on Order #14 of March 25, 2002 introduced by Vice Mayor Davis requesting the Council go on record in support of House Bill #4912 regarding the installation of red light cameras in Cambridge and Boston.

ORDER FAILED ADOPTION ON A ROLL CALL VOTE.

4-4-1.

ON THE TABLE

5. Landmark Designation Study Report for Shady Hill Square, 1-11 Shady Hill Square and 36 Holden Street.

6. Landmark Designation Study Report for designating as a protected landmark the Tulip Tree at 1436 and 1446 Cambridge Street.

7. Consent Communication #3 of March 18, 2002 regarding opposition to a curb cut application at the premises of 64 Garfield Street.

8. Consent Communication #6 of March 18, 2002 regarding opposition to a curb cut application at the premises of 64 Garfield Street.

ITEMS #5-8 - NO ACTION TAKEN.

9. Order #1 of March 25, 2002 regarding the City Council petitioning the Massachusetts Great and General Court to enact the attached home rule petition entitled “An Act Relative To The Retirement Of Cambridge Police Officers Hired From The 1972 Police Examination.”

ORDER ADOPTED.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS

10. Petition from Harvard University requesting a sub-surface easement located between 1720 and 1737 Cambridge Street for the purpose of constructing an underground pedestrian and service tunnel beneath Cambridge Street.

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Calendar Item #3

~~March 25, 2002~~
April 8, 2002

COUNCILLOR DECKER
VICE MAYOR DAVIS
COUNCILLOR GALLUCCIO
COUNCILLOR MAHER
COUNCILLOR MURPHY
COUNCILLOR REEVES
COUNCILLOR SIMMONS
MAYOR SULLIVAN
COUNCILLOR TOOMEY

WHEREAS: Uncontrolled exterior lighting is extinguishing the night sky as well as wasting energy and producing unnecessary glare; and

WHEREAS: In just the past decade, sky glow has doubled in intensity; and

WHEREAS: Controlling sky glow not only brings back the stars, it improves safety, health, energy conservation, fiscal responsibility and protection of the natural environment (see attached); and

WHEREAS: Several cities, including Raleigh, North Carolina, Flagstaff, Arizona, Taos, New Mexico, and Melbourne, Australia, have enacted ordinances to set standards for exterior lighting; now therefore be it

RESOLVED: That the City Manager be and hereby is requested to confer with the Assistant City Manager for Community Development, the City Solicitor and other appropriate staff to report back to the City Council on what other communities have done and what Cambridge can do to control exterior light, including a draft ordinance or suggestions for an ordinance, along with possibilities for other actions such as public education and incentives to make progress on this important issue.

In City Council April 8, 2002.
Adopted by the affirmative vote of eight members.
Attest:- D. Margaret Drury, City Clerk.

A true copy;

ATTEST:-

D. Margaret Drury
City Clerk

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Calendar Item #4

~~March 25, 2002~~
April 8, 2002

VICE-MAYOR DAVIS
COUNCILLOR DECKER
COUNCILLOR GALLUCCIO
COUNCILLOR MAHER
COUNCILLOR REEVES
COUNCILLOR SIMMONS
MAYOR SULLIVAN
COUNCILLOR TOOMEY

WHEREAS: House Bill #4912 would permit the cities of Cambridge and Boston to install red light cameras at dangerous intersections in an effort to enhance driver and pedestrian safety and to reduce the incidents of drivers running red lights; now therefore be it

RESOLVED: That the City Council go on record in support of House Bill #4912 regarding the installation of red light cameras in Cambridge and Boston; and be it further

RESOLVED: That the City Clerk be and hereby is requested to forward a suitably engrossed copy of this resolution to the Cambridge Legislative delegation and the Committee on Public Safety.

In City Council April 8, 2002.
Failed Adoption on a roll call vote.
Yeas 4; Nays 4; Absent 1.
Attest:- D. Margaret Drury, City Clerk.

A true copy;

ATTEST:-

D. Margaret Drury
City Clerk

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Calendar Item #9

~~March 25, 2002~~
April 8, 2002

COUNCILLOR TOOMEY
MAYOR SULLIVAN
COUNCILLOR DECKER
COUNCILLOR GALLUCCIO
COUNCILLOR MAHER
COUNCILLOR REEVES
VICE MAYOR DAVIS
COUNCILLOR MURPHY
COUNCILLOR SIMMONS

ORDERED: That the City Council hereby petitions the Massachusetts Great and General Court to enact the attached home rule petition entitled "AN ACT RELATIVE TO THE RETIREMENT OF CAMBRIDGE POLICE OFFICERS HIRED FROM THE 1972 POLICE EXAMINATION." This petition allows:

1. The Cambridge Retirement Board to reduce the percentage retirement deductions from 7% to 5% of all police officers appointed to the Cambridge Police Department from the 1972 police examination and
2. To further reimburse said officers the difference for the period of their current starting date with the City to the present. Said officers shall be deemed to have entered the service of the City of Cambridge on December 17, 1974 for the purposes of retirement only.

In City Council April 8, 2002.
Adopted by the affirmative vote of eight members.
Attest:- D. Margaret Drury, City Clerk.

A true copy;

ATTEST:-

D. Margaret Drury
City Clerk

AN ACT RELATIVE TO THE RETIREMENT OF CAMBRIDGE POLICE OFFICERS HIRED
FROM THE 1972 POLICE EXAMINATION

Notwithstanding the provisions of any general or special law or rule to the contrary, solely for the purpose of determining the rate of withholdings required by paragraph (b) of subdivision (1) of section twenty-two of chapter thirty-two of the General Laws, that all current police officers in the City of Cambridge that were hired from the 1972 police examination, shall be deemed to have entered the service of said City on December seventeen, nineteen hundred and seventy-four.

The retirement system of the City of Cambridge is hereby authorized and directed to pay to these officers in one sum the amount equal to the difference between (i) the amounts actually withheld from the compensation of said officers and deposited in the annuity savings fund system; and (ii) the amounts which would have been withheld had said officers become members in service of said system on said date, together with regular interest on said difference, as determined by the division of public employee retirement commission.

**APPLICATIONS AND PETITIONS -
CITY COUNCIL MEETING OF MONDAY, APRIL 8, 2002**

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| 1. An application was received from Kendall Square, LLC, requesting two curb cuts for Parcel A and three curb cuts for Parcel B at the premises numbered 364 Third Street; said petition has received approval from Inspectional Services, Traffic, Parking and Transportation, Historical and Public Works. Approval has been received from both neighborhood associations. | 1. ORDER ADOPTED. |
| 2. An application was received from Low Price Jewels & Merchandise, requesting permission for two tables to display merchandise Thursdays - Saturday from 11:00 A.M. to 6:00 P.M. at the premises numbered 577 Massachusetts Avenue. | 2. REFERRED TO CITY MANAGER WITH POWER AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT, TRAINING AND EMPLOYMENT COMMITTEE. |
| 3. An application was received from Daedalus, requesting permission for a sandwich board sign at the premises numbered 45 1/2 Mount Auburn Street. | 3. REFERRED TO CITY MANAGER WITH POWER. |
| 4. An application was received from Cambridge Rindge and Latin School, Department of Drama and Dance, requesting permission to hang a temporary banner at Prospect Street and Massachusetts Avenue announcing their Annual Dance Concert on May 10 th and 11 th at 7:30 P.M. | 4. ORDER ADOPTED. |
| 5. An application was received from Bayside Realty, requesting permission for a sandwich board sign at the premises numbered 720 Massachusetts Avenue. | 5. REFERRED TO CITY MANAGER WITH POWER. |
| 6. An application was received from Tello's, requesting permission for a table to display merchandise at the premises numbered 596 Massachusetts Avenue. | 6. REFERRED TO CITY MANAGER WITH POWER. |
| 7. An application was received from CambridgePort Bank, requesting permission for a canopy and two banners at the premises numbered 689 Massachusetts Avenue. Approval has been received from Inspectional Services, Community Development Departments and one abutter. | 7. ORDER ADOPTED. |

**APPLICATIONS AND PETITIONS -
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8. An application was received from Fleet National Bank, requesting permission for a canopy and four signs at the premises numbered 1414 Massachusetts Avenue. Approval has been received from Inspectional Services, Community Development Departments and abutters.

9. An application was received from Muireann Glenmullen, Trustee, 13 Follen Street Trust, requesting permission for a change of name on the property at 13 Follen Street to 1 Follen Lane.

8. **ORDER ADOPTED.**

9. **REFERRED TO
CITY MANAGER
WITH POWER.**

**CONSENT COMMUNICATIONS -
CITY COUNCIL MEETING OF MONDAY, APRIL 8, 2002**

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| 1. A communication was received from Maya Emily Hadley-Walker, regarding knocking down “Faces” on Route 2 and plant trees and make a park or put a McDonald’s there. | 1. PLACED ON FILE. |
| 2. A communication was received from Eloise Forte, transmitting gratitude for the resolution on behalf of Charles A. Forte. | 2. PLACED ON FILE. |
| 3. A communication was received from Sandra Gamble, expressing her displeasure regarding the library location and allowing 17-year-old children the right to vote. | 3. PLACED ON FILE. |
| 4. A communication was received from Roy Bercaw, regarding city employees. | 4. PLACED ON FILE. |
| 5. A communication was received from Roy Bercaw, regarding cable access TV mission. | 5. PLACED ON FILE. |
| 6. A communication was received from Stephen Kaiser, regarding correction of the Cambridge/Somerville boundary at North Point. | 6. REFERRED TO
CITY MANAGER. |

**RESOLUTION LIST FOR CITY COUNCIL MEETING
OF MONDAY, APRIL 8, 2002**

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| 1. Expressing support for the 2 nd Annual Black and Green Diversity Celebration.
Mayor Sullivan and entire membership | 1. ORDER ADOPTED. |
| 2. Congratulations to Barbara Sullivan and wishing her well on her retirement.
Mayor Sullivan and entire membership | 2. ORDER ADOPTED. |
| 3. Congratulations to the graduates of the Massachusetts Fire Fighting Academy.
Mayor Sullivan and entire membership | 3. ORDER ADOPTED. |
| 4. Expressing support for the Cambridge Pop Warner Football and Cheerleading Committee on holding its first Annual Fashion and Talent Show.
Mayor Sullivan and entire membership | 4. ORDER ADOPTED. |
| 5. Extending congratulations to Edward J. Lawlor, Jr. and wishing him well in his retirement.
Mayor Sullivan and entire membership | 5. ORDER ADOPTED. |
| 6. Resolution on the death of Joseph H. McCaffrey.
Mayor Sullivan, Councillor Galluccio and entire membership | 6. ORDER ADOPTED. |
| 7. Congratulations to Jullie Gillis and wishing her well in her retirement.
Mayor Sullivan and entire membership | 7. ORDER ADOPTED. |
| 8. Expressing appreciation to the Keypals Project for all its work with the students of the Longfellow School.
Mayor Sullivan and entire membership | 8. ORDER ADOPTED. |
| 9. Congratulations to Laura C. Pini and wishing her well in her retirement.
Mayor Sullivan and entire membership | 9. ORDER ADOPTED. |
| 10. Congratulations to Mary E. Collari and wishing her well in her retirement.
Mayor Sullivan and entire membership | 10. ORDER ADOPTED. |
| 11. Congratulations to Merilyn A. Holleran and wishing her well on her retirement.
Mayor Sullivan and entire membership | 11. ORDER ADOPTED. |

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| 12. Congratulations to Priscilla M. Goss and wishing her well on her retirement.
Mayor Sullivan and entire membership | 12. ORDER ADOPTED. |
| 13. Congratulations to Terrence W. O'Reilly and wishing him well on his retirement.
Mayor Sullivan and entire membership | 13. ORDER ADOPTED. |
| 14. Congratulating and wishing the best of luck to Bettye Robinson, who is retiring as the Executive Director of the Massachusetts Legislative Black Caucus.
Councillor Reeves and entire membership | 14. ORDER ADOPTED. |
| 15. Welcoming the Robert Johnson Foundation on its visit to Cambridge to assess the Them of Color Health Program for significant funding.
Councillor Reeves and entire membership | 15. ORDER ADOPTED. |
| 16. Welcoming back, Joseph Sater, who recently returned from his first trip back to his native Lebanon in more than twenty-five years.
Councillor Reeves and entire membership | 16. ORDER ADOPTED. |
| 17. Congratulating the Aids Action Committee on its annual Backyard Rustin Breakfast.
Councillor Reeves and entire membership | 17. ORDER ADOPTED. |
| 18. Extending Happy 80 th Birthday wishes to Mrs. Manning.
Mayor Sullivan and entire membership | 18. ORDER ADOPTED. |
| 19. Extending best wishes to the eighth grade class of the Tobin School for a spectacular performance of their interpretation of our nations historical events.
Vice Mayor Davis and entire membership | 19. ORDER ADOPTED. |
| 20. Extending congratulations to WHERE Magazine on the occasion of its 15 th Annual Silver Plume Awards.
Mayor Sullivan and entire membership | 20. ORDER ADOPTED. |
| 21. Resolution on the death of William G. Urquhart.
Councillor Galluccio and entire membership | 21. ORDER ADOPTED. |
| 22. Resolution on the death of Rita E. Ritza.
Councillor Galluccio and entire membership | 22. ORDER ADOPTED. |

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| 23. Resolution on the death of Josephine Cahill.
Councillor Galluccio and entire membership | 23. ORDER ADOPTED. |
| 24. Resolution on the death of William Mumford, Jr.
Councillor Reeves and entire membership | 24. ORDER ADOPTED. |
| 25. Extending congratulations to Rachael Splaine Rollins on being selected as a recipient of the Boston Jaycees 51 st Annual Ten Outstanding Young Leader Award.
Mayor Sullivan and entire membership | 25. ORDER ADOPTED. |
| 26. Resolution on the death of Erasmo “Ray” Santilli.
Councillor Toomey, Mayor Sullivan and entire membership | 26. ORDER ADOPTED. |
| 27. Resolution on the death of Helen G. Devine.
Mayor Sullivan and entire membership | 27. ORDER ADOPTED. |
| 28. Resolution on the death of Alfred F. Sullivan.
Mayor Sullivan and entire membership | 28. ORDER ADOPTED. |
| 29. Extending congratulations and thanks to the men and women who have dedicated their time to work with the youth of the Cambridge Little League Baseball for the past fifty years.
Mayor Sullivan and entire membership | 29. ORDER ADOPTED. |
| 30. Extending wishes for a glorious day for the annual “Cambridge Day” to be held on Sunday, July 21, 2002 in Falmouth heights.
Mayor Sullivan and entire membership | 30. ORDER ADOPTED. |
| 31. Resolution on the death of Arthur E. Callender.
Councillor Galluccio and entire membership | 31. ORDER ADOPTED. |
| 32. Extending an invitation to all in Cambridge to attend the report-back from the Cambridge delegation visit to El Salvador, which is a Sister City, on Thursday, May 9 from 6:30- 9:00 p.m. at the Cambridge Senior Center.
Councillor Decker | 32. ORDER ADOPTED. |
| 33. Congratulations to Dr. Langer on receiving the 2002 Draper Prize for his extraordinary contributions to the bioengineering of revolutionary medical drug delivery systems.
Mayor Sullivan and entire membership | 33. ORDER ADOPTED. |

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| 34. Wishing Lena Sanford a speedy recovery.
Mayor Sullivan and entire membership | 34. ORDER ADOPTED. |
| 35. Resolution on the death of Rose L. Ferdinand.
Councillor Toomey and entire membership | 35. ORDER ADOPTED. |
| 36. Resolution on the death of the Queen Mother.
Mayor Sullivan and entire membership | 36. ORDER ADOPTED. |
| 37. Welcoming Fred Cabral as Community Relations Manager at the Department of Public Works and wishing him well in this position.
Vice Mayor Davis, Councillors Toomey, Galluccio, Decker and entire membership | 37. ORDER ADOPTED. |
| 38. Congratulating Lucy Lueders-Booth on being accepted to graduate school in education.
Vice Mayor Davis, Councillors Toomey, Galluccio, Decker and entire membership | 38. ORDER ADOPTED. |
| 39. Extending congratulations to the Cambridge Health Alliance on receiving a prestigious grant and wishing them great success in the future of healthcare.
Mayor Sullivan and entire membership | 39. ORDER ADOPTED. |
| 40. Congratulating Anne Strong and Charlie Allen on their recently adopted daughter.
Vice Mayor Davis, Councillors Toomey, Galluccio, Decker and entire membership | 40. ORDER ADOPTED. |
| 41. Thanking Leonard J. Solo for his twenty-eight years of dedicated service to the students as well as the City of Cambridge and wishing him much happiness on his retirement.
Mayor Sullivan and entire membership | 41. ORDER ADOPTED. |
| 42. Thanking Teresa Phillips for her twenty-five years of dedicated service to the City of Cambridge and wishing her much happiness in her retirement.
Mayor Sullivan and entire membership | 42. ORDER ADOPTED. |
| 43. Extending condolences to Stash Horowitz and Niki Baccus on the recent death of Stash's mother.
Vice Mayor Davis and entire membership | 43. ORDER ADOPTED. |

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| 44. Welcoming Tom Joyner to the City of Cambridge.
Councillor Reeves and entire membership | 44. ORDER ADOPTED. |
| 45. Welcoming the new magazine Human Services Connection and congratulating publisher Larry Ward.
Councilor Decker and entire membership | 45. ORDER ADOPTED. |
| 46. Expressing appreciation to the men and women who volunteer at the North Cambridge Senior Center and thanking them for their dedication to the Cambridge Community.
Mayor Sullivan and entire membership | 46. ORDER ADOPTED. |
| 47. Expressing appreciation to the men and women who volunteer at the Senior Center located on 806 Massachusetts Avenue and thanking them for their dedication to the Cambridge Community.
Mayor Sullivan and entire membership | 47. ORDER ADOPTED. |
| 48. Extending congratulations and best wishes to Mr. William G. Keegan, Jr. on his new position as the Town Administrator for the Town of Dedham.
Mayor Sullivan and entire membership | 48. ORDER ADOPTED. |
| 49. Congratulating CCTV on the grant and their new community-focused program.
Vice Mayor Davis, Councillors Toomey, Galluccio, Decker and entire membership | 49. ORDER ADOPTED. |
| 50. Support of House bill 4716, An Act to Require the Take Back of Used Cathode Ray Tubes.
Vice Mayor Davis, Councillors Galluccio and Decker | 50. ORDER ADOPTED. |
| 51. Extending deep sympathy to the family of Bob Lefebvre at their time of personal loss.
Vice Mayor Davis, Mayor Sullivan, Councillors Toomey, Galluccio, Decker and entire membership | 51. ORDER ADOPTED. |
| 52. Congratulating Vice Mayor Davis on her appointment to the National League of Energy, Environment, and Natural Resources Steering Committee.
Mayor Sullivan and entire membership | 52. ORDER ADOPTED. |

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| 53. Congratulating Jada Simmons on her upcoming graduation from Cambridge College and thanking her for her commitment to pursuing a career in education.
Mayor Sullivan and entire membership | 53. ORDER ADOPTED. |
| 54. Expressing appreciation to John Tucker for his thirteen years of dedicated service and wishing him much happiness in his retirement.
Mayor Sullivan and entire membership | 54. ORDER ADOPTED. |
| 55. Expressing appreciation to Catherine Blake for her twenty-five years of dedicated service and wishing her much happiness in her retirement.
Mayor Sullivan and entire membership | 55. ORDER ADOPTED. |
| 56. Expressing appreciation to Joseph Sullivan for his fourteen ½ years of dedicated service and wishing him much happiness in his retirement.
Mayor Sullivan and entire membership | 56. ORDER ADOPTED. |
| 57. Expressing appreciation to Joan Cullen for her thirty-six years of dedicated service and wishing her much happiness in her retirement.
Mayor Sullivan and entire membership | 57. ORDER ADOPTED. |
| 58. Expressing appreciation to David Ligon for his twenty-six years of dedicated service and wishing him much happiness in his retirement.
Mayor Sullivan and entire membership | 58. ORDER ADOPTED. |
| 59. Extending best wishes for a great retirement brunch in honor of Ralph Sennot and continued happiness in his retirement.
Mayor Sullivan and entire membership | 59. ORDER ADOPTED. |
| 60. Congratulations to the young men and women who will be presented to the Greater Boston and Cambridge at the St. Paul A.M.E. Church Cotillion and Beautillion Millitaire Ball.
Councillors Simmons, Galluccio and entire membership | 60. ORDER ADOPTED. |
| 61. Welcoming the National Building Service Division Leadership Assembly, President Andy Stern and the local leadership to Boston.
Councillor Toomey and entire membership | 61. ORDER ADOPTED. |
| 62. Congratulations and best wishes to Joe and Helen Travers on the occasion of their fiftieth Wedding Anniversary.
Councillor Toomey and entire membership | 62. ORDER ADOPTED. |

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| 63. Congratulating Debbie Adelman Klein and Abram Klein on the birth of their son Daniel Adelman Klein.
Councillor Murphy and entire membership | 63. ORDER ADOPTED. |
| 64. Prepare a suitable resolution on Black Massachusetts in the Twenty-first Century.
Councillor Reeves | 64. ORDER ADOPTED. |
| 65. Congratulations to Joseph Fournier on receiving the United States National Award for English from the United States Achievement Academy.
Councillor Galluccio and entire membership | 65. ORDER ADOPTED. |
| 66. Congratulating all city employees involved in the notification to the public of street cleaning in April.
Vice Mayor Davis and entire membership | 66. ORDER ADOPTED. |
| 67. Resolution on the death of Thomas P. Moquin.
Councillor Galluccio and entire membership | 67. ORDER ADOPTED. |
| 68. Resolution on the death of John B. Cotter.
Councillor Galluccio, Mayor Sullivan, Councillor Toomey and entire membership | 68. ORDER ADOPTED. |
| 69. Resolution on the death of Joseph Lund.
Councillor Toomey and entire membership | 69. ORDER ADOPTED. |
| 70. Resolution on the death Michael Stephen Calvert.
Councillor Toomey and entire membership | 70. ORDER ADOPTED. |
| 71. Expressing congratulations and appreciation to the Cambridge residents, businesses and other entities that have made outstanding achievements to fair housing and are recognized with Fair Housing Awards.
Vice Mayor Davis and entire membership | 71. ORDER ADOPTED. |
| 72. Extending thanks to Alderman Kevin Tarpley for his public service and wishing him well in his future endeavors.
Councillor Galluccio and entire membership | 72. ORDER ADOPTED. |
| 73. Congratulating Allison Mills and Scott Farmelant on the birth of their daughter Lilly Theresa Farmelant.
Councillor Decker and entire membership | 73. ORDER ADOPTED. |

**RESOLUTION LIST FOR CITY COUNCIL MEETING
OF MONDAY, APRIL 8, 2002**

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| 74. Expressing best wishes to First Steps Day Care on the occasion of their Annual Spring Breakfast on Wednesday, April 10 th .
Councillor Toomey and entire membership | 74. ORDER ADOPTED. |
| 75. Congratulating Out of The Blue Gallery on its 5 th Anniversary and extending best wishes for a wonderful anniversary celebration.
Vice Mayor Davis, Councillor Murphy, Mayor Sullivan and entire membership | 75. ORDER ADOPTED. |
| 76. Extending best wishes to Goody, Clancy and Associates on their presentation at the American Planning Association Conference in Chicago on “Complicated Public Participation.”
Vice Mayor Davis and entire membership | 76. ORDER ADOPTED. |
| 77. Expressing appreciation for the outstanding care that Mount Auburn Hospital and Marino Centers for Progressive Health provide to the citizens of Cambridge.
Councillor Toomey and entire membership | 77. ORDER ADOPTED. |

**POLICY ORDER AND RESOLUTION LIST FOR CITY COUNCIL MEETING
OF MONDAY, APRIL 8, 2002**

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| 1. The City Manager is requested to look into the possibility of the City creating its own cable company.
Mayor Sullivan | 1. ORDER ADOPTED. |
| 2. The City Manager is requested to take all necessary steps to make the underpass under the commuter rail track between Walden Square and Yerxa Road open to the public and to give the City Council an update on the permanent renovations that were supposed to have happened years ago.
Councillor Galluccio | 2. ORDER ADOPTED. |
| 3. The City Council summer meeting be scheduled for Monday, July 29, 2002.
Mayor Sullivan | 3. ORDER ADOPTED. |
| 4. Dedicating a suitable location in the vicinity of Saint John the Evangelist School in North Cambridge in honor of Lucille Kelly.
Councillor Maher | 4. ORDER ADOPTED. |
| 5. The City Manager is requested to direct the Department of Traffic, Parking and Transportation to review Leonard Avenue with respect to providing traffic calming methods.
Councillor Reeves | 5. ORDER ADOPTED. |
| 6. The City Manager is requested to provide an update on the status of stream video on our website.
Councillor Toomey | 6. ORDER ADOPTED. |
| 7. The City Manager is requested to instruct the Cambridge Election Commission to contact the State Ethics Commission for assistance in developing an “on-line” capability for filing the Statement of Financial Interest.
Councillor Toomey | 7. ORDER ADOPTED. |
| 8. The Mayor is requested to convene the Cambridge legislative delegation and City Councillors for the purpose of a legislative breakfast to further the dialogue between members of both legislative bodies relative to the state budget.
Vice Mayor Davis and Councillors Galluccio and Decker | 8. ORDER ADOPTED. |

**POLICY ORDER AND RESOLUTION LIST FOR CITY COUNCIL MEETING
OF MONDAY, APRIL 8, 2002**

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| 9. The City Manager is requested to confer with the Director of Traffic, Parking and Transportation, to investigate and respond to concerns about bus traffic and vibrations caused by said busses in the area of Newton Street and Putnam Avenue.
Mayor Sullivan | 9. ORDER ADOPTED. |
| 10. Notify appropriate city staff of the Area IV walk and encourage their participation in this much needed conversation about safety and beautification.
Mayor Sullivan | 10. ORDER ADOPTED. |
| 11. Report on the economic conditions of Arthur D. Little as it pertains to its office and employees in Cambridge, the recent news of filing Chapter 11 bankruptcy, and plummeting stock prices.
Mayor Sullivan | 11. ORDER ADOPTED. |
| 12. Report to the City Council on the eligibility status of students who live in dormitories for resident parking permits, visitor parking passes, and other matters related to parking.
Vice Mayor Davis and Councillors Galluccio and Decker | 12. ORDER ADOPTED. |
| 13. Take advantage of the free opportunity to promote city information and services online through the NLC/AOL partnership and the AOL Government Guide.
Vice Mayor Davis, Councillors Toomey, Galluccio and Decker | 13. ORDER ADOPTED. |
| 14. Recommend a method for private entities, and possibly non-profits, to enter into a sponsorship and maintenance agreement with the city for public toilets.
Vice Mayor Davis and Councillors Galluccio and Decker | 14. ORDER ADOPTED. |
| 15. Study the feasibility of installing pedestrian mileage signs throughout the city, particularly in the heavily traveled areas between squares and business center.
Vice Mayor Davis, Councillors Toomey, Galluccio and Decker | 15. ORDER ADOPTED. |
| 16. Present the City Council with a method to engage Harvard in a traffic study of River Street, Western Avenue, Putnam Avenue, and Memorial Drive relative to development at One Western Avenue.
Vice Mayor Davis, Councillors Toomey, Galluccio and Decker | 16. ORDER ADOPTED. |

**POLICY ORDER AND RESOLUTION LIST FOR CITY COUNCIL MEETING
OF MONDAY, APRIL 8, 2002**

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| 17. Study the feasibility of creating a regional board to make decisions on watershed and water quality issues affecting the lower Mystic/Alewife area.
Vice Mayor Davis, Councillors Toomey, Galluccio and Decker | 17. ORDER ADOPTED. |
| 18. Publish information on the municipal cable station to make seniors aware that by completing a readily available form at the phone company the cost of 411 calls would be waived.
Mayor Sullivan | 18. ORDER ADOPTED. |
| 19. City Manager to report to the City Council on developing a Cambridge Artist Survey similar to the Boston Redevelopment Authority survey.
Councillor Murphy and Mayor Sullivan | 19. ORDER ADOPTED.
REFERRED TO
PUBLIC FACILITIES
ARTS AND
CELEBRATIONS
COMMITTEE. |
| 20. City Manager is requested to report back to the City Council on the feasibility of Cambridge developing an Artist Space Initiative to support the creation of live/work and work space permanently dedicated to artist.
Councillor Murphy and Mayor Sullivan | 20. ORDER ADOPTED.
REFERRED TO
PUBLIC FACILITIES
ARTS AND
CELEBRATIONS
COMMITTEE. |
| 21. Appropriate staff to identify outreach for Police Department to support the goal of the Agenda for Children that all children in all families will read.
Vice Mayor Davis | 21. ORDER ADOPTED.
SEE COMMITTEE
REPORT #1. |

O-1.

April 8, 2002

MAYOR SULLIVAN
VICE MAYOR DAVIS
COUNCILLOR GALLUCCIO
COUNCILLOR MAHER
COUNCILLOR MURPHY
COUNCILLOR REEVES
COUNCILLOR SIMMONS
COUNCILLOR TOOMEY

ORDERED: That the City Manager be and hereby is requested to look into the possibility of the City creating its own cable company.

In City Council April 8, 2002.
Adopted by the affirmative vote of eight members.
Attest:- D. Margaret Drury, City Clerk.

A true copy;

ATTEST:-

D. Margaret Drury
City Clerk

O-2.

April 8, 2002

COUNCILLOR GALLUCCIO
VICE MAYOR DAVIS
COUNCILLOR MAHER
COUNCILLOR MURPHY
COUNCILLOR REEVES
COUNCILLOR SIMMONS
MAYOR SULLIVAN
COUNCILLOR TOOMEY

ORDERED: That the City Manager be and hereby is requested to take all necessary steps to make the underpass under the commuter rail track between Walden Square and Yerxa Road open to the public and to give the City Council an update on the permanent renovations that were supposed to have happened years ago.

In City Council April 8, 2002.
Adopted by the affirmative vote of eight members.
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D. Margaret Drury
City Clerk

O-3.

April 8, 2002

MAYOR SULLIVAN
VICE MAYOR DAVIS
COUNCILLOR GALLUCCIO
COUNCILLOR MAHER
COUNCILLOR MURPHY
COUNCILLOR REEVES
COUNCILLOR SIMMONS
COUNCILLOR TOOMEY

ORDERED: That the City Council summer meeting be scheduled for Monday, July 29, 2002.

In City Council April 8, 2002.
Adopted by the affirmative vote of eight members.
Attest:- D. Margaret Drury, City Clerk.

A true copy;

ATTEST:-

D. Margaret Drury
City Clerk

O-4.

April 8, 2002

COUNCILLOR MAHER
COUNCILLOR DAVIS
COUNCILLOR GALLUCCIO
COUNCILLOR MURPHY
COUNCILLOR REEVES
COUNCILLOR SIMMONS
MAYOR SULLIVAN
COUNCILLOR TOOMEY

WHEREAS: Lucille Kelly has devoted more than twenty years of service to the Saint John the Evangelist School; and

WHEREAS: The work of Lucille Kelly at Saint John's School has benefited hundreds of Cambridge children; now therefore be it

ORDERED: That the City Council go on record dedicating a suitable location in the vicinity of Saint John the Evangelist School in North Cambridge after consultation with the family in honor of Lucille Kelly; and be it further

ORDERED: That the Assistant to the City Council arrange a dedication ceremony and make arrangements for a sign to be made by the Public Works Department.

In City Council April 8, 2002.

Adopted by the affirmative vote of eight members.

Attest:- D. Margaret Drury, City Clerk.

A true copy;

ATTEST:-

D. Margaret Drury
City Clerk

O-5.

April 8, 2002

COUNCILLOR REEVES
VICE MAYOR DAVIS
COUNCILLOR GALLUCCIO
COUNCILLOR MAHER
COUNCILLOR MURPHY
COUNCILLOR SIMMONS
MAYOR SULLIVAN
COUNCILLOR TOOMEY

ORDERED: The City Manager be and hereby is requested to direct the Department of Traffic, Parking and Transportation to review Leonard Avenue with respect to providing traffic calming methods, be they speed bumps or other means. Resident Stephen Hodgkins, 12 Leonard Avenue is knowledgeable, about this issue and its history.

In City Council April 8, 2002.

Adopted by the affirmative vote of eight members.

Attest:- D. Margaret Drury, City Clerk.

A true copy;

ATTEST:-

D. Margaret Drury
City Clerk

O-6.

April 8, 2002

COUNCILLOR TOOMEY
VICE MAYOR DAVIS
COUNCILLOR GALLUCCIO
COUNCILLOR MAHER
COUNCILLOR MURPHY
COUNCILLOR REEVES
COUNCILLOR SIMMONS
MAYOR SULLIVAN

WHEREAS: The Cambridge City Council adopted an order requesting the City Manager to provide City Council meetings on streaming video on the City's website; and be it further

ORDERED: That the City Manager be requested to provide an update on the status of stream video of our website.

In City Council April 8, 2002.
Adopted by the affirmative vote of eight members.
Attest:- D. Margaret Drury, City Clerk.

A true copy;

ATTEST:-

D. Margaret Drury
City Clerk

O-7.

April 8, 2002

COUNCILLOR TOOMEY
VICE MAYOR DAVIS
COUNCILLOR GALLUCCIO
COUNCILLOR MAHER
COUNCILLOR MURPHY
COUNCILLOR REEVES
COUNCILLOR SIMMONS
MAYOR SULLIVAN

WHEREAS: Under Chapter 2.118 of the Cambridge Municipal Code (“Ethics Ordinance”), elected officials and certain municipal employees are required to file annually a Statement of Financial Interest with the Cambridge Election Commission by June 1st of each year for the preceding calendar year, and candidates are required to file by the last day on which nomination papers are due; and

WHEREAS: The Commonwealth of Massachusetts, through the State Ethics Commission, requires annual filings of a Statement of Financial Interest by state and country elected officials and certain state and country employees; and

WHEREAS: The State Ethics Commission provides for “on-line” filing of a Statement of Financial Interest; now therefore be it

ORDERED: That the City Manager be requested to instruct the Cambridge Election Commission to contact the State Ethics Commission for assistance in developing an “on-line” capability for filing the Statement of Financial Interest as required by the Cambridge Ethics Ordinance and that such capability be available for volunteer testing for filings required by June 1, 2002.

In City Council April 8, 2002.
Adopted by the affirmative vote of eight members.
Attest:- D. Margaret Drury, City Clerk.

A true copy;

ATTEST:-

D. Margaret Drury
City Clerk

O-8.

April 8, 2002

VICE MAYOR DAVIS
COUNCILLOR GALLUCCIO
COUNCILLOR DECKER
COUNCILLOR MAHER
COUNCILLOR MURPHY
COUNCILLOR REEVES
COUNCILLOR SIMMONS
MAYOR SULLIVAN
COUNCILLOR TOOMEY

WHEREAS: The current budget shortfalls at the State House have raised concerns for cities and towns across the Commonwealth about proposed budget cuts in human services, education, and environmental programs; and

WHEREAS: Open dialogue between members of this City Council and members of the Cambridge Legislative Delegation about the state budget, university relations, and other salient issues is in the best interest of Cambridge residents; now therefore be it

ORDERED: That the Mayor convene the Cambridge legislative delegation and City Councillors for the purpose of a legislative breakfast to further this dialogue between members of both legislative bodies.

In City Council April 8, 2002.

Adopted by the affirmative vote of eight members.

Attest:- D. Margaret Drury, City Clerk.

A true copy;

ATTEST:-

D. Margaret Drury
City Clerk

O-9.

April 8, 2002

MAYOR SULLIVAN
VICE MAYOR DAVIS
COUNCILLOR GALLUCCIO
COUNCILLOR MAHER
COUNCILLOR MURPHY
COUNCILLOR REEVES
COUNCILLOR SIMMONS
COUNCILLOR TOOMEY

ORDERED: That the City Manager be and hereby is requested to confer with the Director of Traffic, Parking and Transportation, to investigate and respond to concerns about bus traffic and vibrations caused by said busses in the area of Newton Street and Putnam Avenue.

In City Council April 8, 2002.

Adopted by the affirmative vote of eight members.

Attest:- D. Margaret Drury, City Clerk.

A true copy;

ATTEST:-

D. Margaret Drury
City Clerk

O-10.

April 8, 2002

MAYOR SULLIVAN
VICE MAYOR DAVIS
COUNCILLOR GALLUCCIO
COUNCILLOR MAHER
COUNCILLOR MURPHY
COUNCILLOR REEVES
COUNCILLOR SIMMONS
COUNCILLOR TOOMEY

WHEREAS: Concerned residents of Area IV will host a community forum and walk through the neighborhood to discuss issues of safety and beautification with Middlesex District Attorney Martha Coakley, Mayor Michael A. Sullivan, the City Council, City Manager, city staff, and all others interested in participating on April 27 beginning at 10:00 a.m.; now therefore be it

ORDERED: That the City Manager be and hereby is requested to notify appropriate city staff of the Area IV walk and encourage their participation in this much needed conversation about safety and beautification.

In City Council April 8, 2002.

Adopted by the affirmative vote of eight members.

Attest:- D. Margaret Drury, City Clerk.

A true copy;

ATTEST:-

D. Margaret Drury
City Clerk

O-11.

April 8, 2002

MAYOR SULLIVAN
VICE MAYOR DAVIS
COUNCILLOR GALLUCCIO
COUNCILLOR MAHER
COUNCILLOR MURPHY
COUNCILLOR REEVES
COUNCILLOR SIMMONS
COUNCILLOR TOOMEY

ORDERED: That the City Manager be and hereby is requested to report on the economic conditions of Arthur D. Little as it pertains to its office and employees in Cambridge, the recent news of filing Chapter 11 bankruptcy, and plummeting stock prices; and be it further

ORDERED: That the City Manager report back to the City Council on this matter by April 22, 2002.

In City Council April 8, 2002.
Adopted by the affirmative vote of eight members.
Attest:- D. Margaret Drury, City Clerk.

A true copy;

ATTEST:-

D. Margaret Drury
City Clerk

O-12.

April 8, 2002

VICE MAYOR DAVIS
COUNCILLOR GALLUCCIO
COUNCILLOR DECKER
COUNCILLOR MAHER
COUNCILLOR MURPHY
COUNCILLOR REEVES
COUNCILLOR SIMMONS
MAYOR SULLIVAN
COUNCILLOR TOOMEY

ORDERED: That the City Manager be and hereby is requested to report to the City Council on the eligibility of students who live in dormitories for resident parking permits, visitor parking passes, and other matters related to parking; and be it further

ORDERED: That the City Manager be and hereby is requested to report back to the City Council on this matter by April 29, 2002.

In City Council April 8, 2002.
Adopted by the affirmative vote of eight members.
Attest:- D. Margaret Drury, City Clerk.

A true copy;

ATTEST:-

D. Margaret Drury
City Clerk

O-13.

April 8, 2002

VICE MAYOR DAVIS
COUNCILLOR TOOMEY
COUNCILLOR GALLUCCIO
COUNCILLOR DECKER
COUNCILLOR MAHER
COUNCILLOR MURPHY
COUNCILLOR REEVES
COUNCILLOR SIMMONS
MAYOR SULLIVAN

WHEREAS: The National League of Cities (NLC) has announced a new partnership with America Online (AOL) to provide cities with a powerful new tool to reach their citizens through the Internet; and

WHEREAS: This innovative partnership will give cities the ability to submit their official city website free-of-charge for listing in the AOL Government Guide, a one-stop resource to help online users locate government information and connect with elected officials and government agencies at the federal, state, and local level; and

WHEREAS: It is an expressed goal of this City Council to improve and simplify public access to city services and provide more and better opportunities for the public to participate in governing; now therefore be it

ORDERED: That the City Manager be and hereby is requested to make every effort to take advantage of this free opportunity to promote city information and services online through the NLC/AOL partnership and the AOL Government Guide.

In City Council April 8, 2002.
Adopted by the affirmative vote of eight members.
Attest:- D. Margaret Drury, City Clerk.

A true copy;

ATTEST:-

D. Margaret Drury
City Clerk

O-14.

April 8, 2002

VICE MAYOR DAVIS
COUNCILLOR GALLUCCIO
COUNCILLOR DECKER
COUNCILLOR MAHER
COUNCILLOR MURPHY
COUNCILLOR REEVES
COUNCILLOR SIMMONS
MAYOR SULLIVAN
COUNCILLOR TOOMEY

WHEREAS: A February 2001 report on establishing permanent public toilet facilities, drafted and issued by the Cambridge Public Health Department, focused on public toilets maintained by the city and public toilets maintained by private institutions; and

WHEREAS: The proposed solution in this report looked at adopting the placement of toilets and street furniture in various areas of the city and did not look at ways that public/private partnership can be engaged to maintain and keep open to the existing public restrooms; now therefore be it

ORDERED: That the City Manager be and hereby is requested to recommend a method for private entities, and possibly non-profits, to enter into a sponsorship and maintenance agreement with the city for public toilets; and be it further

ORDERED: That the City Manager be and hereby is requested to report back to the City Council on this matter.

In City Council April 8, 2002.
Adopted by the affirmative vote of eight members.
Attest:- D. Margaret Drury, City Clerk.

A true copy;

ATTEST:-

D. Margaret Drury
City Clerk

O-15.

April 8, 2002

VICE MAYOR DAVIS
COUNCILLOR TOOMEY
COUNCILLOR GALLUCCIO
COUNCILLOR MAHER
COUNCILLOR MURPHY
COUNCILLOR REEVES
COUNCILLOR SIMMONS
MAYOR SULLIVAN

- WHEREAS: It is an expressed goal of this City Council to foster creative approaches to traffic, parking, and transportation needs of residents and businesses within the context of growing congestion and the need to improve air quality; and
- WHEREAS: One of the policy guidelines for achieving this goal is to develop coexistence strategies for bicyclists, pedestrians, T users, and drivers; and
- WHEREAS: A potential obstacle to encouraging walking throughout the city, for both work and play, is the lack of information about distance from one point to another; and
- WHEREAS: Mileage signs similar to those posted on highways notifying drivers of the distance between cities and towns could be utilized to notify walkers of the distance between squares and business sectors; and
- WHEREAS: The walking distance between these locations is often short enough to discourage driving and encourage walking; now therefore be it
- ORDERED: That the City Manager be and hereby is requested to study the feasibility of installing pedestrian mileage signs throughout the city, particularly in the heavily traveled areas between squares and business centers; and be it further
- ORDERED: That the City Manager be and hereby is requested to report back to the City Council on this matter by May 6, 2002.

In City Council April 8, 2002.
Adopted by the affirmative vote of eight members.
Attest:- D. Margaret Drury, City Clerk.

A true copy;

ATTEST:-

D. Margaret Drury
City Clerk

O-16.

April 8, 2002

VICE MAYOR DAVIS
COUNCILLOR TOOMEY
COUNCILLOR GALLUCCIO
COUNCILLOR DECKER
COUNCILLOR MAHER
COUNCILLOR MURPHY
COUNCILLOR REEVES
COUNCILLOR SIMMONS
MAYOR SULLIVAN

ORDERED: That the City Manager be and hereby is requested to present the City Council with a method to engage Harvard in a traffic study of River Street, Western Avenue, Putnam Avenue, and Memorial Drive relative to development at One Western Avenue; and be it further

ORDERED: That the City Manager be and hereby is request to report back to the City Council on this matter by April 29, 2002.

In City Council April 8, 2002.
Adopted by the affirmative vote of eight members.
Attest:- D. Margaret Drury, City Clerk.

A true copy;

ATTEST:-

D. Margaret Drury
City Clerk

O-17.

April 8, 2002

VICE MAYOR DAVIS
COUNCILLOR TOOMEY
COUNCILLOR GALLUCCIO
COUNCILLOR DECKER
COUNCILLOR MAHER
COUNCILLOR MURPHY
COUNCILLOR REEVES
COUNCILLOR SIMMONS
MAYOR SULLIVAN

ORDERED: That the City Manager be and hereby is requested to study the feasibility of creating a regional board to make decisions on watershed and water quality issues affecting the lower Mystic/Alewife area (see attached); and be it further

ORDERED: That the City Manager be and hereby is requested to report back to the City Council on this matter.

In City Council April 8, 2002.
Adopted by the affirmative vote of eight members.
Attest:- D. Margaret Drury, City Clerk.

A true copy;

ATTEST:-

D. Margaret Drury
City Clerk

O-18.

April 8, 2002

MAYOR SULLIVAN
VICE MAYOR DAVIS
COUNCILLOR GALLUCCIO
COUNCILLOR MAHER
COUNCILLOR MURPHY
COUNCILLOR REEVES
COUNCILLOR SIMMONS
COUNCILLOR TOOMEY

WHEREAS: It has come to the attention of the City Council that senior citizens are being charged for 411 calls, and

WHEREAS: Senior Citizens should be made aware that by completing a readily available form at the phone company these charges would be waived; now therefore be it

ORDERED: That the Consumers' Council give the necessary assistance to seniors in filling out the necessary forms; and be it further

ORDERED That the City Manager be and hereby is requested to publish this information on the municipal cable station.

In City Council April 8, 2002.

Adopted by the affirmative vote of eight members.

Attest:- D. Margaret Drury, City Clerk.

A true copy;

ATTEST:-

D. Margaret Drury
City Clerk

O-19.

April 8, 2002

COUNCILLOR MURPHY
MAYOR SULLIVAN
VICE MAYOR DAVIS
COUNCILLOR GALLUCCIO
COUNCILLOR MAHER
COUNCILLOR REEVES
COUNCILLOR SIMMONS
COUNCILLOR TOOMEY

WHEREAS: The Boston Redevelopment Authority (BRA) is working with other city offices to develop new permanent living and working space for artist (see attached news paper article); and

WHEREAS: One of the Boston Redevelopment Authority's first actions is a confidential survey of artists to determine what kind of space artists need and what they can afford to pay; now therefore be it

RESOLVED: That the City Manager be and hereby is requested to report back to the City Council on developing a Cambridge Artist Survey similar to the Boston Redevelopment Authority survey.

In City Council April 8, 2002.
Adopted by the affirmative vote of eight members.
Attest:- D. Margaret Drury, City Clerk.

A true copy;

ATTEST:-

D. Margaret Drury
City Clerk

**REFERRED TO PUBLIC FACILITIES ARTS AND CELEBRATIONS
COMMITTEE.**

O-20.

April 8, 2002

COUNCILLOR MURPHY
MAYOR SULLIVAN
VICE MAYOR DAVIS
COUNCILLOR GALLUCCIO
COUNCILLOR MAHER
COUNCILLOR REEVES
COUNCILLOR SIMMONS
COUNCILLOR TOOMEY

ORDERED: That the City Manager be and hereby is requested to confer with the Assistant City Manager for Community Development and the Executive Director of the Arts Council to report back to the City Council on the feasibility of Cambridge developing an Artist Space Initiative to support the creation of live/work and work space permanently dedicated to artists (see attached description of Boston Redevelopment Authority program.)

In City Council April 8, 2002.
Adopted by the affirmative vote of eight members.
Attest:- D. Margaret Drury, City Clerk.

A true copy;

ATTEST:-

D. Margaret Drury
City Clerk

**REFERRED TO PUBLIC FACILITIES ARTS AND CELEBRATIONS
COMMITTEE.**

O-21.

April 8, 2002

VICE MAYOR DAVIS
COUNCILLOR GALLUCCIO
COUNCILLOR MAHER
COUNCILLOR MURPHY
COUNCILLOR REEVES
COUNCILLOR SIMMONS
MAYOR SULLIVAN
COUNCILLOR TOOMEY

ORDERED: That the City Manager be and hereby is requested to ask appropriate staff to identify appropriate outreach for Police Department to support the goal of the Agenda for Children that all children in all families will read.

In City Council April 8, 2002.
Adopted by the affirmative vote of eight members.
Attest:- D. Margaret Drury, City Clerk.

A true copy;

ATTEST:-

D. Margaret Drury
City Clerk

COMMITTEE REPORTS
FOR THE CITY COUNCIL MEETING OF MONDAY, APRIL 8, 2002

1. A communication was received from Donna P. Lopez, Deputy City Clerk, transmitting a report from Vice Mayor Henrietta Davis, Chair of the Public Safety Committee, for a meeting held on March 20, 2002 to discuss community policing, community grants and block parties.

REPORT ACCEPTED. PLACED ON FILE. ORDER #21 ADOPTED.

Committee Report #1

PUBLIC SAFETY

In City Council April 8, 2002

COMMITTEE MEMBERS

Vice Mayor Henrietta Davis, Chair

Councillor David P Maher

Councillor Timothy J. Toomey

The Public Safety Committee held a public meeting on March 20, 2002 beginning at five o'clock and forty minutes P.M. in the Sullivan Chamber.

The purpose of the meeting was to discuss community policing, community grants and block parties.

Present at the meeting were Vice Mayor Davis, Chair of the Committee, Mayor Michael A. Sullivan, Councillor E. Denise Simmons; Ronnie Watson, Police Commissioner; Harold F. Murphy, Superintendent of Police; Lieutenant Michael Walsh, Community Policing; Brad Comer, Community Policing; Garrett Simonsen, Assistant to the Mayor and Vice Mayor and Donna P. Lopez, Deputy City Clerk. Also present were Eunice and Stephen L. Allsopp, First Holiness Church and Donna Bronk, Chairperson, North Cambridge Crime Task Force.

Vice Mayor Davis opened the meeting. She stated that the primary reason she called this meeting is because the City Council lists one of its goals as fostering community. There is a lot of interest in block parties in fostering community. She wanted to see if there is greater interest for more block parties, and to discuss if there are other ways to foster community.

Vice Mayor Davis thanked Superintendent of Police Harold F. Murphy who will be retiring for all his work in the area of Public Safety.

Commissioner Watson stated that Block Grants and other grants are used to foster community. He stated that \$46,000 has been set aside for this purpose. Last year 32 block parties were funded. He stated that 98% of the applications were funded on a reimbursement basis of up to \$500. There is still enough funding left to fund 4-5 more block parties.

Lieutenant Walsh stated that relationships with the police are building in the community as a result of block parties. He stated that when funding is eliminated, hopefully, people will find ways to continue to have block parties. He informed the committee that Advising Classes have been held at the High School and this is an opportunity to talk about issues. Racial profiling was discussed to dissipate some of the perceptions and to hear from the youth and the police. He passed out brochures entitled "The Law and You." (**ATTACHMENT A**). He hoped to get more police officers involved in this type of initiative. This program was requested again by the youth.

Commissioner Watson stated that the Motor Vehicle Rule Book was brought to the high school. The police officers were surprised that students did not know about this book, he said.

Brad Comer, stated that Neighborhood Sergeants meetings were started in the last month. Information was sent to the City Council, newspapers and community leaders. The turnout was low. Attendance was increased with the use of the Reverse 911. Commissioner Watson responded that the Reverse 911 system dials and leaves a message. Reverse 911 will be used to leave a message about street cleaning and the West Nile Virus. The department does not want overkill with the use of the Reverse 911.

Brad Comer stated that at each meeting he mentions the neighborhood grants. He encourages neighborhoods to use the funding for block parties. Area Eleven and the adjoining neighborhood held separate block parties. He suggested that the two neighborhoods hold a joint block party. East Cambridge and Strawberry Hill do not utilize the block grants, he said.

Vice Mayor Davis displayed a map that highlighted the areas where block parties were held since 1996. This map was given to the Police Department.

Brad Comer stated that there is a list of future neighborhood meetings so that all neighborhoods know that grants are available for events such as block parties.

Mayor Sullivan stated that public service announcements have been run in newspapers and on Cable T.V.

Eunice Allsopp, stated that she is trying to bridge the gap between the neighborhoods by holding block parties. Funding is an issue, she said. The grants will help. She asked if an organization can be approved for more than one grant. Commissioner Watson stated that there are two different funding streams. If a group has an issue to address the police will take the proposal and give funding as approved.

Donna Bronk, highly supported the Cambridge Police Department. The North Cambridge Crime Task Force received a grant of \$3500 and used the funding for the National Night Out. Bike rodeos, safety work shops, helmets for kids and domestic violence prevention work is done, she said. Her one request, however, was to see more police presence in the trailer in North Cambridge.

A discussion ensued about 86's. Vice Mayor Davis asked what is an 86. Commissioner Watson responded that an 86 is a directed patrol to increase presence. Eighty-six's are done when there are community and crime events.

Brad Comer stated that the next neighborhood meeting at the Larry Burke trailer will be held on March 27th. Commissioner Watson stated that police presence will be increased in the spring. Ms. Bronk stated that the grants have been beneficial to the North Cambridge Crime Task Force. The Task Force has a great relationship with the Police Department, she said.

Vice Mayor Davis asked if a community group can request a crime alert. Commissioner Watson stated that a community group can make a request to the Police Department. The Public Information Officer will get the word out that there is a community alert.

Councillor Simmons spoke about the need for more surveillance around the Market Street and the Columbia Street parks. Commissioner Watson stated that park patrol will start in the spring. The Police Department, he said, has been working with the residents of the Market Street area. He suggested sending e-mail to start the 86's. Councillor Simmons stated that Market Street and Columbia Street parks are always problematic. She asked if police presence could be kept in the area more regularly. Commissioner Watson responded that when the Police Department takes an action it causes a shift in the neighborhood. He stated that presence from the narcotic division is also needed in the area of Market and Columbia Street parks. Lieutenant Walsh stated that the kids will just go elsewhere. Councillor Simmons responded that it is not just kids. There are 18-22 year olds. Councillor Simmons stated that landlords need to be more vigilant. She spoke about a policy that the Housing Authority has where a tenant can be evicted if any illicit activity is conducted. Commissioner Watson stated he will draft a letter to ask landlords to intercede with their tenants. Vice Mayor Davis asked if there is a community response when a complaint is received. Ms. Bronk informed the committee that landlords in North Cambridge got together and held regular meetings. A dialogue and friendships were established. Councillor Simmons

suggested that the Police Department contact a neighborhood representative about the incidents occurring in the Market and Columbia Street parks. Lieutenant Walsh stated that neighborhood sergeants are made aware of issues that are brewing.

Vice Mayor Davis stated that there is a publicity issue. Superintendent Murphy stated that Neighborhood Sergeant names and schedules of meetings are listed on the Web Page (**ATTACHMENT B**). Ms. Bronk stated that when the North Cambridge Crime Task Force identified itself it was inundated with information and police presence.

Vice Mayor Davis questioned if people within neighborhoods know their neighborhood sergeants. She thinks this is an unknown fact. She informed the police personnel that an annual mailing that list the neighborhood sergeants is needed. Superintendent Murphy responded that a bi-annual mailing is needed.

Commissioner Watson stated that the Police Department Web Page will be retooled. The names of the Community Sergeants will be listed on the Web Page. This information could be included with the tax bills, he said.

Vice Mayor Davis stated that the Police Department needs to take a proactive approach to get the word out to the community. Councillor Simmons suggested using the schools because people cluster around the schools. The information could be turned over to a school liaison. She also suggested using neighborhood Church bulletins.

Ms. Allsopp asked who was the neighborhood Sergeant for Area 4. The response was John Lang. (617) 349-3393.

Vice Mayor Davis stated there is continuity with the neighborhood Sergeant Program. Commissioner Watson responded that the Neighborhood Sergeant Program requires extra work being proactive and meeting people. Vice Mayor Davis stated that she was not aware that Neighborhood Sergeants were not continuous with the neighborhood they volunteered to work in. Commissioner Watson stated that the program has been adjusted to make it work better. Lieutenant Walsh stated that promotions can affect the program. The program has evolved. He told the committee of a program where a partnership was developed between the police and the Harvard Coop. The Harvard Coop donates books in an effort to prevent illiteracy that could lead to a potential life of crime. Books were also given to participants in the hockey program. This program will be done again, but with a mechanism for feed back.

Vice Mayor Davis asked what is the new Police e-mail address. Mwalsh@cambridgepolice.org. She further stressed the importance of letting people know the name of their neighborhood sergeant.

Commissioner Watson stated the Public Information Officer title will be changed to Media Information Officer. A quarterly newsletter will be published on the Web. Civilian police personnel will be also featured in the newsletter.

Ms. Allsopp requested that the Market Street park issue be referred to the Neighborhood Sergeant because the violence is increasing in the area.

Brad Comer stated that work is being done in Area Four. There is a neighborhood walk-through scheduled for April 27, 2002 at 12 noon that will end in the park. He stated that he wanted a meeting with Market Street residents and a link with the churches.

Vice Mayor Davis stated that a specific area with a specific problem needs its own focus. Positive Edge will play a role stated Commissioner Watson. The District Attorney, Police Commissioner and Public Works Commissioner are invited to walk through the park. There needs to be a close partnership with the police, community leaders and residents in order for the public safety issue to work said Lieutenant Walsh.

Vice Mayor Davis read an e-mail received from James Gondolfe into the record (**ATTACHMENT C**). He supported the block parties.

Vice Mayor Davis submitted the following motion:

ORDERED: That the City Manager be and hereby is requested to ask appropriate staff to identify appropriate outreach for Police Department to support the goal of the Agenda for Children that all children in all families will read.

The motion carried on a voice vote.

Vice Mayor Davis suggested the theme “One City – One Book.” Each department could take a grade in the schools. Commissioner Watson stated this program should be run in conjunction with the Schools and the Library.

Vice Mayor Davis again thanked Superintendent Murphy for his hard work and wished him well in his retirement. She also thanked all attendees.

The meeting was adjourned at seven o’clock and three minutes p.m.,

For the Committee,

Vice Mayor Henrietta Davis, Chair

**COMMUNICATIONS AND REPORTS FROM CITY OFFICERS -
FOR THE CITY COUNCIL MEETING OF MONDAY, APRIL 8, 2002**

1. A communication was received from Mayor Michael A. Sullivan, transmitting a letter from Jose Hernandez Bernandez, The Republic of Cuba, regarding developing a Sister City relationship between the City of Cambridge and Ciefuegos.

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2. A communication was received from Mayor Michael A. Sullivan, transmitting a letter from the Massachusetts Cultural Council recognizing the city's contribution to the Cambridge Arts Council through the Matching Incentive Program.

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