

# **CITY MANAGER'S CONSENT AGENDA FOR MONDAY, APRIL 10, 2000**

1. Transmitting communication from Robert W. Healy, City Manager, relative to the FY01 submitted budget and appropriation orders.
2. Transmitting communication from Robert W. Healy, City Manager, relative to the Green Ribbon Open Space Committee Report.
3. Transmitting communication from Robert W. Healy, City Manager, relative to **Awaiting Report Item Number 00-13**, regarding a report on increased enforcement at the pedestrian crossing at Magazine and Green Streets.

## **MASSACHUSETTS**

### **City Council Calendar No. 7 MONDAY, APRIL 10, 2000**

**At 5:30 P.M.**

#### **UNFINISHED BUSINESS**

1. Relative to considering an amendment to the Municipal Code of the City of Cambridge entitled "Historical Buildings and Landmarks" by inserting a subsection at the end of Section 2.78.050. The question comes on passing to be ordained on or after December 20, 1999.  
NO ACTION TAKEN.

## **APPLICATIONS AND PETITIONS FOR CITY COUNCIL ACTION CITY COUNCIL MEETING OF MONDAY, APRIL 10, 2000**

1. An application was received from Paul Hickey, Forest City Development, requesting a curb cut at the premises numbered 91 Sidney Street; approval was received from Inspectional Services, Traffic, Parking and Transportation, Historical Commission and Public Works Department and abutters. One response has been received from neighborhood association.  
ORDER ADOPTED
2. An application was received from Paul Hickey, Forest City Development, requesting a curb cut at the premises numbered 35 Landsdowne Street; approval was received from Inspectional Services, Traffic, Parking and Transportation, Historical Commission and

Public Works Department and abutters. One response has been received from neighborhood association.

ORDER ADOPTED

3. An application was received from Paul Hickey, Forest City Development, requesting a curb cut at the premises numbered 80 Landsdowne Street; approval was received from Inspectional Services, Traffic, Parking and Transportation, Historical Commission and Public Works Department and abutters. One response has been received from neighborhood association.

ORDER ADOPTED

4. An application was received from Paul Hickey, Forest City Development, requesting a curb cut at the premises numbered 100 Landsdowne Street; approval was received from Inspectional Services, Traffic, Parking and Transportation, Historical Commission and Public Works Department and abutters. One response has been received from neighborhood association.

ORDER ADOPTED

5. An application was received from Paul Hickey, Forest City Development, requesting a curb cut at the premises numbered 88 Sydney Street; approval was received from Inspectional Services, Traffic, Parking and Transportation, Historical Commission and Public Works Department and abutters. Two responses have been received from neighborhood association.

ORDER ADOPTED

6. An application was received from John Clifford, President, Green Street Productions, requesting permission to hang a banner across Massachusetts Avenue advertising the Central Square World's Fair. Approval has been received from abutters.

REFERRED TO THE CITY MANAGER WITH POWER

## **CONSENT COMMUNICATIONS - CITY COUNCIL MEETING OF MONDAY, APRIL 10, 2000**

1. A communication was received from Chris Woolf, Press Officer, Fifth Regt. of Foot, and Sean Theiss, Adjutant, Fifth Regt. of Foot, requesting permission to walk through the City in uniform on April 14, 2000 as part of the commemorations of the 225<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the start of the American Revolution.

REFERRED TO THE CITY MANAGER

2. A communication was received from Kevin P. Crane, Esq., in response to a City Council resolution relative to 65, 65A, B, C and 71 Dana Street.

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3. A communication was received from State Representative Paul C. Demakis, relative to proposed increased toll rates on the Massachusetts Turnpike.  
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4. Constable bond was received from Albert T. Darling for approval of the surety.  
SURETY APPROVED.
5. A communication was received from Sister Mary Mark, Administrator, Sancta Maria Nursing Facility, transmitting written protest to the proposed zoning ordinance amendment petition of Ann M. Tennis, et al. to downzone the Parkway Overlay District, as owner of:  
  
799 Concord Avenue  
REFERRED TO THE PETITION
6. A communication was received from the Department of Telecommunications and Energy, transmitting a notice of filing and public hearing of petition of Cambridge Electric Light Company for approval of amendment to power contract obligations with Vermont Yankee Nuclear Power Company on April 13, 2000 at 10:00 a.m.  
REFERRED TO THE CITY MANAGER
7. A communication was received from Peter Valentine, relative to guidelines for actualizing the second phase of the American Revolution.  
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8. A communication was received from Peter Valentine, relative to the overview of humanities.  
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9. A communication was received from the family of **Thomas F. French, Sr.**, transmitting grateful appreciation for the resolution adopted by the City Council on his behalf.  
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10. A communication was received from Gail Graves, transmitting concern relative to the possible relocation of the Public Library.  
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11. A communication was received from the family of **Conchetta "Kitty" Manganella**, transmitting deep appreciation for the resolution adopted by the City Council on behalf her behalf.  
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12. A communication was received from James M. Williamson, thanking the City Council for supporting Lori Berenson who remains in prison in Peru.  
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# RESOLUTION LIST FOR CITY COUNCIL MEETING OF MONDAY, APRIL 10, 2000

1. Happy Birthday to Mayor Emeritus Alfred E. Vellucci and proclaim April 23, 2000 as "Mayor Emeritus Alfred E. Vellucci Day" in Cambridge.  
**Mayor Galluccio and entire membership**  
ORDER ADOPTED.
2. Congratulate Jobs for Bay State Graduates on their success rate for in job preparation, placement of high school seniors who chose to enter the labor force.  
**Mayor Galluccio**  
ORDER ADOPTED.
3. Resolution on the death of Katherine Anne Paynter Carr.  
**Mayor Galluccio and entire membership**  
ORDER ADOPTED.
4. Speedy recovery to John Kenneth Galbraith.  
**Councillor Sullivan**  
ORDER ADOPTED.
5. Get well wishes to Deputy Chief Walter J. Ellis.  
**Councillor Toomey**  
ORDER ADOPTED.
6. Resolution on the death of Ruth E. Desellier.  
**Mayor Galluccio and entire membership**  
ORDER ADOPTED.
7. Resolution on the death of Michael P. Fosher.  
**Councillor Toomey, Mayor Galluccio, Councillor Sullivan, Vice Mayor Maher and entire membership**  
ORDER ADOPTED.
8. Get well wishes to Anthony Carvello.  
**Councillor Toomey**  
ORDER ADOPTED.
9. Proclaim June 7, 2000 as Dean Michael Shinagel Day in Cambridge.  
**Mayor Galluccio**  
ORDER ADOPTED.
10. Welcome The Good Life Restaurant to Cambridge and wish them much success in the years to come.  
**Mayor Galluccio**

ORDER ADOPTED.

11. Resolution on the death of Joseph P. DiGiovanni.

**Councillor Sullivan, Mayor Galluccio and entire membership**

ORDER ADOPTED.

12. Resolution on the death of Katherine "Kitty" Fogarty.

**Councillor Sullivan and entire membership**

ORDER ADOPTED.

13. Resolution on the death of Fred E. Sateriale, Sr.

**Councillor Sullivan, Mayor Galluccio and entire membership**

ORDER ADOPTED.

14. Declare April 14 and April 15 CITYSTEP DAYS in Cambridge and encourage one and all to attend "SCHOOL DAZE CITYSTEP SHOW 00" at Sanders Theater.

**Mayor Galluccio**

ORDER ADOPTED.

15. Resolution on the death of Jewel L. Massello.

**Councillor Toomey and entire membership**

ORDER ADOPTED.

16. Welcome the elected officials from the City of Belfast who will be visiting the area on an Economic Development mission during the week of April 10, 2000.

**Mayor Galluccio and Councillor Braude**

ORDER ADOPTED.

17. Congratulate Reverend Jeffrey Brown on his 12<sup>th</sup> year anniversary and thank him for all his years of service to our city's youth.

**Councillor Reeves**

ORDER ADOPTED.

18. Welcome to the City of Cambridge Mark and Rhoda Berenson, parents of Lori Berenson, who will be speaking at Harvard Law School on April 10<sup>th</sup>.

**Mayor Galluccio, Councillors Born and Braude**

ORDER ADOPTED.

19. Prepare a resolution on the retirement of Lauren Preston, Deputy Director of Traffic, Parking and Transportation.

**Councillor Davis and entire membership**

ORDER ADOPTED.

20. Congratulations to Just-A-Start, Homeowners Rehab, Inc., the Cambridge Housing Authority and Transition House on receiving state funds to carry on their work in providing housing to those in need.

**Councillor Toomey**  
ORDER ADOPTED.

21. Congratulations to Dr. T. Berry Brazelton on receiving the Cambridge Guidance Center Award.

**Councilor Born**  
ORDER ADOPTED.

22. Resolution on the perspective, insights and reflections on the challenges facing African Americans in the 21<sup>st</sup> Century.

**Councillor Reeves**  
ORDER ADOPTED.

23. Resolution on the death of Rose Phillips.

**Mayor Galluccio and entire membership**  
ORDER ADOPTED.

24. Resolution on the death of Mary C. Loder.

**Councillor Sullivan, Mayor Galluccio and entire membership**  
ORDER ADOPTED.

25. Resolution on the death of Thomas R. Fratto.

**Councillor Sullivan, Mayor Galluccio and entire membership**  
  
ORDER ADOPTED.

26. Resolution on the death of Anna G. Ford.

**Mayor Galluccio and entire membership**  
ORDER ADOPTED.

27. Resolution on the death of Mary G. D'Amora.

**Councillor Sullivan, Mayor Galluccio and entire membership**  
ORDER ADOPTED.

28. Resolution on the death of Alice M. O'Brien.

**Mayor Galluccio and entire membership**  
ORDER ADOPTED.

29. Resolution on the death of Mary Ruth O'Rourke.

**Mayor Galluccio and entire membership**  
ORDER ADOPTED.

30. Resolution on the death of Dorothy Coleman Wallace.

**Councillor Born and entire membership**  
ORDER ADOPTED.

31. Resolution on the death of Florence T. DeGuglielmo.  
**Councillor Sullivan and entire membership**  
ORDER ADOPTED.
32. Resolution on the death of Leona Alice Clark.  
**Mayor Galluccio and entire membership**  
ORDER ADOPTED.
33. Resolution on the death of John J. Jakutis.  
**Councillor Sullivan and entire membership**  
ORDER ADOPTED.
34. Resolution on the death of John Falletti.  
**Councillor Sullivan and entire membership**  
ORDER ADOPTED.
35. Declare the week of April 12th through 18<sup>th</sup> as National Telecommunicator's Week in Cambridge.  
**Councillor Sullivan and entire membership**  
ORDER ADOPTED.
36. Thanks to Brian Santos and Keith Fitzpatrick for their heroism in saving a young man's life at the MDC Ice Skating Rink in Somerville last December.  
**Mayor Galluccio and entire membership**  
ORDER ADOPTED.
37. Thanks to Captain Robert Kotowski and Firefighter Chris Towski and members of the Cambridge Fire Department for their prompt attention to a default alarm at the home of a City Councillor.  
**Councillor Decker and entire membership**  
ORDER ADOPTED.
38. Urge all residents to be cognizant of Patriots Day, April 17, 2000.  
**Councillor Toomey, Mayor Galluccio and entire membership**  
ORDER ADOPTED.
39. The 10<sup>th</sup> Annual Young Authors' Club Celebration will take place on May 18<sup>th</sup> from 9:00 AM - 10:30 AM at the Morse School Auditorium, 40 Granite Street.  
**Councillor Born, Mayor Galluccio and entire membership**  
ORDER ADOPTED.
40. Resolution on the death of Cecilia DaRosa.  
**Councillor Toomey and entire membership**  
ORDER ADOPTED.

**CONSENT ORDER LIST FOR CITY COUNCIL  
MEETING  
OF MONDAY, APRIL 10, 2000**

1. Proclaim May 3, 2000 as "Asthma Awareness Day" in Cambridge.  
**Councillor Davis**  
ORDER ADOPTED.
2. Install a four way stop signal at the corner of Sciarappa Street and Otis Street which has a senior center on one corner and a tot lot on another corner.  
**Councillor Toomey**  
ORDER ADOPTED.
3. Appreciation to the Friends of Alewife Reservation and all of the participants in the April 15<sup>th</sup> Clean Up Day and urge Cantabrigians to be cognizant of this worthwhile event.  
**Councillors Braude, Born and Davis**  
ORDER ADOPTED.
4. Seek legal opinions and report back to the City Council on the jurisdiction of Cambridge regarding notice, affordable housing impact regarding Port Financial and convene a special task force to address the commitment of all banks in Cambridge.  
**Councillors Braude and Decker**  
  
CHARTER RIGHT EXERCISED BY COUNCILLOR SULLIVAN.
5. Request Harvard University to work with the tenants at 3 Sumner Road to find alternative affordable housing in Cambridge.  
**Vice Mayor Maher**  
ORDER ADOPTED.
6. Report to the City Council by May 1, 2000 when the Cambridgeport Neighborhood Study will be available to the public.  
**Councillor Davis**  
ORDER ADOPTED.
7. Propose a timeline for finalizing the decision on a site for the Main Library.  
**Councillor Davis**  
ORDER ADOPTED.
8. Provide a legal opinion to the City Council whether a quorum is required for Ordinance Committee hearings on zoning amendments.  
**Councillor Born and Vice Mayor Maher**  
ORDER ADOPTED.



9. Assist the organizers of the annual May Day celebration in their organization of their May 1<sup>st</sup> rally on City Hall steps.  
**Councillor Born**  
ORDER ADOPTED.
10. Contact W. R. Grace regarding a report about any past manufacturing activities involving the use of tremolite asbestos.  
**Councillor Born**  
ORDER ADOPTED AS AMENDED.
11. Provide a schedule for replacing the inadequate lights at the Pemberton Tennis Courts.  
**Councillor Born**  
ORDER ADOPTED.
12. Prepare a zoning amendment limiting the amount of space in new construction, which can be designated as storage, or mechanical space and be exempt from the FAR requirements of the Zoning Ordinance.  
**Councillor Born**  
ORDER ADOPTED.
13. Support recommendations of the MMA for certain portions of the House Ways and Means Committee budget.  
**Councillor Davis and entire membership**  
ORDER ADOPTED.
14. Support for Jobs for Bay State Grads and request the School Committee to retain this program in the FY01 Budget.  
**Mayor Galluccio, Vice Mayor Maher, Councillors Sullivan, Reeves, Decker and entire membership**  
ORDER ADOPTED.

## **COMMITTEE REPORTS FOR THE CITY COUNCIL MEETING OF MONDAY, APRIL 10, 2000**

1. A communication was received from D. Margaret Drury, City Clerk, transmitting a report from Councillor Sullivan, Chair of the Finance Committee, for a committee meeting held on March 28, 2000 for the purpose of a preliminary overview of the FY 2001 budget.
2. A communication was received from Donna P. Lopez, Deputy City Clerk, transmitting a report from Councillor Sullivan, Chair of the Finance Committee, for a committee meeting held on March 28, 2000 to discuss the Community School Budget.

3. A communication was received from Donna P. Lopez, Deputy City Clerk, transmitting a report from Councillor Davis, Chair of the Transportation, Traffic and Parking Committee, for a committee meeting held on April 4, 2000 to discuss transportation available for the seniors throughout the city and the best way to provide additional services.

**COMMUNICATIONS AND REPORTS FROM CITY  
OFFICERS  
FOR THE CITY COUNCIL MEETING OF MONDAY,  
APRIL 10, 2000**

1. A communication was received from Claire E. Rodley, Secretary of the School Committee, transmitting an order endorsing and supporting the "*Million Mom March.*"  
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