CITY MANAGER'S AGENDA

- 1. Transmitting communication from Robert W. Healy, City Manager, relative to Awaiting Report Item Number 00-135, regarding a report on loud noise emanating form the Flag/Bank Streets area during the Harvard/Yale Game.
- 2. Transmitting communication from Robert W. Healy, City Manager, relative to Awaiting Report Item Number 00-132, regarding the lack of cable coverage on Veteran's Day.
- 3. Transmitting communication from Robert W. Healy, City Manager, relative to Awaiting Report Item Number 00-124, regarding a report on the use of touch screen technology as used by Riverside County, California.
- 4. Transmitting communication from Robert W. Healy, City Manager, relative to Awaiting Report Item Number 00-121, regarding a report on how to help increase opportunities to showcase the artists of Cambridge.
- 5. Transmitting communication from Robert W. Healy, City Manager, relative to an order requesting the appropriation of \$3,570 in the Grant Fund of the Historical Commission Salary & Wages Account from the Mass Cultural Council to support a portion of the temporary Archival Assistant position.
- 6. Transmitting communication from Robert W. Healy, City Manager, relative to an order requesting the appropriation of \$15,300 in the Grant fund of the Human Rights Commission Salary & Wages Account from MCAD for various fair housing activities as well as to cover training activities, a portion of the full-time Attorney investigator, part-time legal interns with workstudy assistance, and a full-time summer intern.
- 7. Transmitting communication from Robert W. Healy, City Manager, relative to an order requesting the appropriation of \$81,561,60 in the Grant Fund of the Human Rights Commission Salary & Wages Account (\$56,561.60) and Travel and Training Account (\$25,000) from the U.S. Department of Housing & Urban Development for various fair housing activities as well as to cover training activities, a portion of the full-time Attorney investigator, part-time legal interns with work-study assistance, and a full-time summer intern.
- 8. Transmitting communication from Robert W. Healy, City Manager, relative to Planning Board recommendations on the initial Citywide Rezoning Petition recommendation: Residential Zoning Districts (Part I(a) of the Petition) and Revisions to Parking Requirements (Part IV of the Petition).

 Transmitting notification of the appointment of the following persons as Constables for a term of three years, effective the first day of Jan 2001: With Power

Jan Aceti, 19 Allen Street, #2, Arlington 02474 James Mack Smith, 51 Moffett Road, Lynn 01905 Mark L. Edwards, 107 Brighton Avenue, Allston 02134 Lee Leanders Smith, 14 Loomis Street, Camb. 02138 Without Power

Kenneth E. Bailey, 25 Lee Street, #6, Cambridge 02139

CHARTER RIGHT

- Charter Right exercised by Councillor Davis on an application from Margaret Morrissey requesting a curb cut at the premises numbered 96-98 Ellery Street.
- Charter Right exercised by Councillor Toomey on an order introduced by Councillor Toomey regarding the 25th anniversary of MIT in giving to the city.

ON THE TABLE

- 3. Consent Agenda #17, relative to a Preservation Easement for 2 Holyoke Place (Fly Club).
- 4. Order submitted by Councillor Davis to draft new rezoning proposal for Riverside Neighborhood adjacent to Western Avenue.
- Landmark Designation Study Report for Shady Hill Square, 1-11 Shady Hill Square and 36 Holden Street.
- 6. An order introduced by Councillor Reeves regarding an allocation for a planning study for Riverside.
- 7. Committee Report from Councillor Henrietta Davis, Chair of the Health and Environment Committee and Councillor Kathleen L. Born, Chair of the Public Facilities, Art, and Celebrations Committee for a joint meeting held on November 16, 2000 to discuss the Fresh Pond Reservation Master Plan.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS

- Proposed amendment to the Zoning Ordinances to amend the zoning relating to lodging houses in Residence C and C-1 districts. The question comes on passing to be ordained on or after December 18, 2000. The deadline for this petition is January 30, 2001.
- 10. Appropriation and authorization to borrow \$31,785,495 for the purpose of constructing and making extraordinary repairs to the Cambridge Public Library. The question comes on adoption on or after January 1, 2001.

APPLICATIONS AND PETITIONS

- An application was received from Ariel and Juliana Pakes requesting a curb cut at the premises numbered 215 Brattle Street; said petition has received approval from Inspectional Services, Historical Commission, Public Works and Traffic, Parking and Transportation Department; three abutter approvals. Two neighborhood association letters sent September 26, 2000. No response has been received.
- 2. A petition was received from the City Council to amend the Zoning Ordinance in the Alewife area. (Refiled)
- 3. A petition was received from John R. Moot, Ellen G. Moot and Cornelia B. Wheeler to amend Section 11.501 of the Zoning Ordinances of the City of Cambridge to extend IPOP to October 15, 2001.

CONSENT COMMUNICATIONS

- A communication was received from the Kajunski family, transmitting appreciation for the resolution adopted by the City Council on behalf of Wanda Kajunski.
- A communication was received from Arthur A. Klipfel, Oaktree Development, LLC, transmitting written opposition to the Citywide Rezoning Petition as owner of 30 CambridgePark Drive and 1008 Massachusetts Avenue.
- 3. A communication was received from Thomas Ragno, Senior Vice President, Beacon Capital, transmitting written opposition to the Citywide Rezoning Petition as owner of:
 - 575 Main Street
 - 565 Main Street
 - 549 Main Street
 - 160 Broadway
 - 1 Kendall Square-3
 - 1 Kendall Square-2200
 - 1E Kendall Square
 - 1 Kendall Square-2
 - 1C Kendall Square
 - 1A Kendall Square
- 4. A communication was received from Patrick J. Hurley, Vice President, The Dodge Company, transmitting written opposition to the Citywide Rezoning Petition as owner of 1165 and 181 CambridgePark Drive.
- 5. A communication was received from Andrew C.G. Uprichard, M.D.,F.R.C.P. Chief Operating Officer, Curis, Inc., transmitting concern on "Special District 8" of the Citywide Rezoning Petition.
- 6. A communication was received from Owen O'Riordan, City Engineer, transmitting notification of new addresses for 330, 332,334 Broadway.

- A communication was received from Owen
 O'Riordan, City Engineer, transmitting
 notification of a temporary address for a trailer at
 73 Vassar Street.
- 8. A communication was received from Marie Sullivan, transmitting appreciation for the resolution adopted by the City council on behalf of her husband Teddy.
- A communication was received from The Hamilton Company, transmitting written opposition to the Citywide Rezoning Petition as owner of 275 Third Street and 117 Rogers Street.
- 10. A communication was received from Mary Harris, Harris Administrators, Inc., transmitting written opposition to the Citywide Rezoning Petition as owner of 229-231 Third Street.
- 11. A communication was received from Ira C. Foss, Jr., Trustee, Eastern Realty Trust, transmitting written opposition to the Citywide Rezoning Petition as owner of 140-158 Sixth Street.
- 12. A communication was received from Albert W. Brown, Austin C. Brown and Charles S. Adams, Trustees, Canal Realty Trust, transmitting written opposition to the Citywide Rezoning Petition as owner of 303 Binney Street.
- 13. A communication was received from Joseph H. Matkin, Tr., Sixcam Realty Trust, transmitting written opposition to the Citywide Rezoning Petition as owner of 101-117 Sixth Street.
- 14. A communication was received from Community Legal Services and Counseling Center, Inc., transmitting appreciation for the resolution adopted by the City Council on their many years of service.

RESOLUTIONS

- 1. Resolution on the death of Lucy Izzicupo. Councillor Toomey and entire membership
- Resolution on the death of Salvatore "Sam"
 Bontempo. Mayor Galluccio, Councillor Toomey and entire membership
- 3. Resolution on the death of Arthur Galvin. Councillor Toomey and entire membership
- Resolution on the death of Elaine Glavin. Mayor Galluccio, Councillor Sullivan and entire membership
- 5. Resolution on the death of Valdemar Lopes. Councillor Toomey and entire membership
- 6. Resolution on the death of Michael J. Michalski, Sr. Mayor Galluccio and entire membership
- 7. Resolution on the death of James Scanlan, Jr. Councillor Sullivan and entire membership
- 8. Resolution on the death of John D. Scott. Mayor Galluccio, Councillors Reeves, Davis and entire membership

- Resolution on the death of Martin J. Stackpole. Mayor Galluccio, Councillor Sullivan and entire membership
- 10. Resolution on the death of Alice M. Ford. Vice Mayor Maher and entire membership
- 11. Thanks to Fire Department, Police Department, Inspectional Services Department and Electrical Department for response to a potential dangerous situation. Councillor Toomey
- 12. Condolences to Win Poor on the death of his father, Ernest Poor. Councillor Decker
- 13. Congratulations to Falun Dafa on their weeklong celebration. Councillor Decker
- 14. Speedy recovery to Anthony Calabrese. Councillor Sullivan
- Resolution on the death of Beatrice Deyab.
 Councillor Sullivan, Vice Mayor Maher and entire membership
- Resolution on the death of Malvena Colozzi.
 Mayor Galluccio and entire membership
- 17. Resolution on the death of Mary Hanley. Mayor Galluccio and entire membership
- Resolution on CRLS students being named to the Boston Globe Greater Boston League All-Star Cross Country Team. Mayor Galluccio
- Resolution on CRLS students being named Boston Herald and Boston Globe Greater Boston League All-Stars for Girls soccer. Mayor Galluccio
- Congratulations to Felipe Vega-Arango for being named Coach of the Year. Mayor Galluccio
- 21. Congratulations to CRLS students for being named to the Boston Globe Greater Boston League All-Stars Girls Cross Country Team. Mayor Galluccio
- 22. Congratulations to CRLS students for being named to the Boston Herald Greater Boston Eastern Massachusetts League All-Star Soccer Team. Mayor Galluccio
- 23. Congratulations to CRLS students who were named to the Boston Globe League All-Star Volleyball Team. Mayor Galluccio
- 24. Congratulations to Nikias Stefanakis of CRLS on being named All Scholastic for the Boston Globe 2000 Boys Soccer Mayor Galluccio
- 25. Congratulations to Zack Habtemichael of CRLS on being named All Scholastic for the Boston Globe 2000 Boys Cross Country. Mayor Galluccio
- 26. Resolution on the death of Carol House, CRLS teacher. Mayor Galluccio, Councillor Born, Vice Mayor Maher and entire membership

- 27. Congratulations to Chrislain Desrosiers of CRLS on being names All Scholastic for the Boston Globe 2000 Boys Soccer. Mayor Galluccio
- Congratulations to Lindsay Gittens on her academic and athletic achievements. Mayor Galluccio
- 29. Resolution on the death of Stella M. Berrigan. Mayor Galluccio and entire membership
- 30. Resolution on the death of Vincent P. Dolan. Councillor Sullivan and entire membership
- 31. Resolution on the death of Patricia R. Hennessy. Mayor Galluccio and entire membership
- 32. Resolution on the death of Christopher Winston McEvoy. Mayor Galluccio and entire membership
- 33. Resolution on the death of Eleanor A. Murphy. Councillor Sullivan, Mayor Galluccio and entire membership
- 34. Resolution on the death of Attorney James M. O'Connor. Vice Mayor Maher, Mayor Galluccio, Councillors Sullivan and Toomey
- 35. Resolution on the death of Pasquale A. Paris. Mayor Galluccio and entire membership
- 36. Resolution on the death of Mary E. Robillard. Mayor Galluccio and entire membership
- 37. Resolution on the death of Arthur W.
 "Booty"Russell. Vice Mayor Maher, Councillor Sullivan and entire membership
- 38. Resolution on the death of Helen Snopley. Mayor Galluccio and entire membership
- 39. Resolution on the death of Michael B. Murphy. Councillor Toomey, Mayor Galluccio and entire membership
- 40. Resolution on the death of Walter E. Clark, Jr. Councillor Sullivan and entire membership
- 41. Resolution on the death of Roger E. Girard. Mayor Galluccio and entire membership
- 42. Resolution on the death of Agnes C. Laverty. Mayor Galluccio and entire membership
- 43. Congratulations to Thea Plante and Walter Garland on their upcoming nuptials. Councillor Sullivan
- 44. Best wishes to Carleton and Chantal Hart in their new endeavors. Councillor Davis
- 45. Thanks for installation of a bench at bus stop of Garfield Street and Massachusetts Avenue. Councillor Davis
- 46. Happy 100th Birthday to Mildred L. Fowle. Councillor Toomey
- 47. Retirement of Claudette Chambers from the School Department. Mayor Galluccio and entire membership

- 48. Resolution on the death of Maria J. (Carvalho) Rodrigues. Councillor Toomey and entire membership
- 49. Resolution on the death of Armando V. Tome. Councillor Toomey and entire membership
- 50. Happy 50th Birthday wishes to Paul McCann. Councillor Toomey
- Resolution on the death of Alfred I. Priest.
 Councillor Sullivan, Mayor Galluccio, Councillor Toomey and entire membership
- 52. Resolution on the death of Lena Ferracane. Councillor Toomey and entire membership
- 53. Congratulations to Charles C. Yancey on being elected Boston City Council president. Councillors Born and Toomey
- 54. Resolution on the death of Mary R. Donaldson. Mayor Galluccio and entire membership
- 55. Resolution welcoming Reverend Julius C. Hope, the Keynote Speaker for the NAACP 16th Annual Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. Memorial Breakfast. Mayor Galluccio
- 56. Proclaiming the month of March as American Red Cross Month. Mayor Galluccio
- 57. Congratulations to Kevin Tarpley on being elected as President of the Somerville Board of Aldermen. Councillor Reeves
- 58. Martin Luther King Birthday Holiday. Councillor Reeves
- Resolution on the death of Teresa Lorraine Backman. Councillor Reeves and entire membership
- 60. Resolution on the death of Charles Edward Ballard. Councillor Reeves and entire membership
- 61. Resolution on the death of Adalyn Bigelow. Mayor Galluccio and entire membership
- 62. Resolution on the death of Kwang-chih Chang. Mayor Galluccio and entire membership
- 63. Speedy recovery wishes to Francis O'Brien. Councillor Sullivan
- 64. Resolution on the death of Richard G. Flaherty. Mayor Galluccio and entire membership
- 65. Resolution on the death of Donald J. O'Hare. Mayor Galluccio and entire membership
- 66. Commendation to the Fire and Police
 Departments for their quick response to a fire on
 Winter Street on January 3, 2001. Councillor
 Toomey
- 67. Resolution on the retirement of Judy Reiner Platt from the Public Health Commission. Mayor Galluccio and entire membership
- 68. Resolution on the retirement of Kenneth W. Clark from the Fire Department. Mayor Galluccio and entire membership

- 69. Resolution to be prepared on the death of Armando Fulginite. Councillors Toomey, Sullivan, Mayor Galluccio and entire membership
- 70. Happy Birthday wishes to State Representative Alice K. Wolf. Councillor Decker
- 71. Congratulations to Robert J. Cordy on his confirmation by the Governor's Council as an Associate Justice of the Supreme Judicial Court. Councillor Decker
- 72. Congratulations to Ben P. Bruckner on becoming an Eagle Scout. Councillor Davis
- 73. Retirement of Jean M. Doyle from the Public Health Commission. Mayor Galluccio and entire membership
- 74. Thanks to John Woods for his years of service in the Community Development Department. Councillor Decker
- 75. Congratulations to the Cambridge Rindge and Latin School on being selected as a winner of the College Board's New England Regional Office 2001 Inspiration Award. Councillor Davis
- 76. Retirement of Ronald Mason from the Police Department. Mayor Galluccio and entire membership

ORDERS

- Encourage Cambridge residents to contribute to the fund for fire victims of Decatur Street. Councillor Davis
- 2. Dedication of new city park at Neville Manor to former City Councillor and long-time Cambridge Police Officer William Maher. Councillor Toomey, Vice Mayor Maher, Councillor Sullivan, Mayor Galluccio and entire membership
- 3. Survey the stop signs in the vicinity of Bent, Third and Fulkerson Streets to ensure that said signs are not creating unsafe conditions. Councillor Sullivan
- Access to educational channel "Animal Planet." Councillors Toomey and Sullivan
- Annual description of all housing programs and tenant protections available to residents of Cambridge. Mayor Galluccio
- Compliance with "No Left Turn" postings in the Central Square intersection of Prospect Street, Western and Massachusetts Avenues. Councillor Braude
- 7. Report from the Election Commission clarifying rules and operating procedures. Councillor Braude
- 8. Legal basis for denying public comment at roundtable meetings. Councillor Braude
- 9. Status of the West Cambridge Youth Center Feasibility Study. Mayor Galluccio

- 10. Status of the planned improvements to Russell Field. Mayor Galluccio
- 11. Status of the City's plans to restore the cityowned site at 238 Broadway. Mayor Galluccio
- 12. Dedication of the corner at Highland Avenue and Cambridge Street in honor of James R. Polley. Mayor Galluccio
- 13. Complaints about broken street lights. Councillor Davis
- 14. Incomplete information on the City Council web page. Councillor Davis
- Procedure to be used on weekends and holidays in regards to ice and snow around public buildings. Councillor Davis
- 16. Publicizing the West Nile Virus hearing taking place on January 31, 2001 at the Senior Center. Councillor Davis
- 17. Creation of a process to monitor the City Council goals. Councillor Davis
- 18. Report regarding the amount of payment Harvard University remitted to the city in lieu of taxes for Fiscal Year 2000 and 2001. Councillor Toomey
- Status of negotiations with a second cable provider for the City of Cambridge. Councillor Toomey

COMMITTEE REPORTS

- 1. A communication was received from Donna P. Lopez, Deputy City Clerk, transmitting a report from Councillor Michael A. Sullivan, Chair of the Finance Committee for a meeting held on September 27, 2000 to discuss the status of the rehabilitation of the firehouses in the city.
- 2. A communication was received from Donna P. Lopez, Deputy City Clerk, transmitting a report from Councillor Henrietta Davis, Chair of the Transportation, Traffic and Parking Committee for a meeting held on November 30, 2000 to discuss and receive comments on the Environmental Protection Agency's (EPA) extension of the comment period on the proposal to substitute the Vehicle Trip Reduction Plan for the Commercial Parking Control measure.
- 3. A communication was received from Donna P. Lopez, Deputy City Clerk, transmitting a report from Councillor Henrietta Davis, Chair of the Economic Development, Training and Employment Committee for a meeting held on December 12, 2000 to discuss the services offered by Career Source.

COMMUNICATIONS AND REPORTS FROM CITY OFFICERS

 A communication was received from Councillor Jim Braude, transmitting an update on the Cambridgeport Bank since its change in status was approved last year.

HEARING SCHEDULE

Mon, Jan 8

5:30pm Regular City Council Meeting (Sullivan Chamber)

Thurs, Jan 11

6:00pm The Public Safety Committee will conduct a public meeting to continue discussions on issues concerning NSTAR, Com Gas and Electric. (Sullivan Chamber)

Wed, Jan 17

6:00pm The Finance Committee will hold a public meeting for discussion of issues relating to the Fiscal Year 02 Operating and Capital Budget. (Sullivan Chamber)

Mon, Jan 22

5:30pm Regular City Council Meeting (Sullivan Chamber)

Tues, Jan 23

12:30pm The Economic Development, Training, and Employment Committee will conduct a public meeting to discuss the City's web site, and receive an update on service of Career Source and Bunker Hill Community College. (Sullivan Chamber)

Wed, Jan 24

- 8:30am The Government Operations, Rules and Claims Committee will hold a public meeting to evaluate its goal setting and City Manager evaluation processes. (Ackermann Room)
- 4:30pm The Ordinance Committee will conduct a public meeting to continue discussion of the Citywide Rezoning petition. (Sullivan Chamber)
- 5:30pm The Civic Unity Committee will conduct discussion (Sullivan Chamber)

Mon, Jan 29

5:30pm Regular City Council Meeting (Sullivan Chamber)

Wed, Jan 31

12 noon The Human Services Committee will hold a public meeting to receive an update on the pilot after school program at the Harrington School, the youth center program and to consider other business that many come before the committee. (Ackermann Room)

Mon, Feb 5

5:30pm Regular City Council Meeting (Sullivan Chamber)

Wed, Feb 7

8:45am The Government Operations, Rules and Claims Committee will hold a public meeting to evaluate the process by which the performance of the City Manager was evaluated.

(Ackermann Room)

4:00pm The Ordinance Committee will conduct a public meeting to continue discussion of the Citywide Rezoning petition. (Sullivan Chamber)

Mon, Feb 12

5:30pm Regular City Council Meeting (Sullivan Chamber)

Thurs, Feb 15

6:30pm The Transportation, Traffic and Parking Committee will conduct a public meeting to discuss the issue of traffic enforcement in the City. (Sullivan Chamber)

Wed, Feb 21

5:30pm The Housing Committee will hold a public hearing on the Community Preservation Act. (Sullivan Chamber)

Mon, Feb 26

5:30pm Regular City Council Meeting (Sullivan Chamber)

TEXT OF POLICY ORDERS

O-1. January 8, 2001 COUNCILLOR DAVIS

RESOLVED: That the City Council go on record encouraging Cambridge residents to contribute to the fund for the victims of the Decatur Street fire; now therefore be it

ORDERED: That the City Manager be and hereby is requested to instruct the Cable Television Director to scroll the pertinent information for the contributions to the Decatur Street fire victims over the municipal channel.

O-2 January 8, 2001
COUNCILLOR TOOMEY
VICE MAYOR MAHER
COUNCILLOR SULLIVAN
MAYOR GALLUCCIO
COUNCILLOR BORN
COUNCILLOR BRAUDE
COUNCILLOR DAVIS
COUNCILLOR DECKER

COUNCILLOR REEVES

ORDERED: That the new city park to be constructed at Neville Manor, including the youth soccer fields and additional open space, be dedicated in honor of former Cambridge City Councillor and long-time Cambridge Police Officer William "Bill" Maher.

O-3. January 8, 2001 COUNCILLOR SULLIVAN

ORDERED: That the City Manager be and hereby is requested to instruct the Director of Traffic, Parking and Transportation to survey the stop signs in the vicinity of Bent, Third and Fulkerson Streets to ensure that the stop signs are not creating unsafe conditions for vehicles.

O-4. January 8, 2001 COUNCILLOR TOOMEY COUNCILLOR SULLIVAN

ORDERED: That the City Manager be and hereby is requested to investigate the possibility of residents of Cambridge gaining access to educational channels with specific emphasis on the educational channel entitled "Animal Planet" as outlined in the attached e-mail.

O-5. January 8, 2001 MAYOR GALLUCCIO

WHEREAS: The City of Cambridge offers a large number of programs to tenants and homeowners and state and local programs and regulations offer protections and services to Cambridge tenants; and

WHEREAS: It has been brought to the attention of this City Council that Cambridge residents are not familiar with the housing programs offered by the City of Cambridge and the protections and services available to Cambridge tenants; and

WHEREAS: All residents of the City of Cambridge should be aware of the array of housing programs made available by the City and other services providers in the City of Cambridge; now therefore be it

ORDERED: That the City Manager be and hereby is requested to work with all appropriate city agencies to annually prepare and mail a description of all housing programs and tenant protections available to residents of the City of Cambridge, including but not limited to, information about the State Condominium Conversion Protection law, the city's homeownership programs, and programs offered by the Cambridge Housing Authority and nonprofit service and housing organizations in the City; and be it further

ORDERED: That the City Manager be and hereby is requested to report back to this City Council by February 12, 2001 regarding the plans to implement this annual mailing.

O-6. January 8, 2001 COUNCILLOR BRAUDE

ORDERED: That the City Manager be and hereby is requested to confer with the Traffic, Parking and Transportation Director and the Police Commissioner to report to the City Council on compliance with "No Left Turn" postings in the prime Central Square intersection of Prospect Street, Western and Massachusetts Avenues.

O-7. January 8, 2001 COUNCILLOR BRAUDE

- ORDERED: That the City Manager be and hereby is requested to confer with the Election Commission with the view in mind of requesting a report from the Election Commission clarifying rules and operating procedures on:
- (1) Removing Cambridge residents from the active voter list and placing them on the inactive list, with specific attention to use of the city census, particularly when the landlord of a multi-family dwelling does not cooperate in census distribution to tenants; and
- (2) Obtaining an absentee ballot application form, including who can request such a form for someone else and under what circumstances, and how a voter who has completed the application but not received an absentee ballot, can ascertain whether one was mailed to him/her.

O-8. January 8, 2001 COUNCILLOR BRAUDE

ORDERED: That the City Manager be and hereby is requested to instruct the City Solicitor to report to the City Council on the legal basis for denying public comment at City Council roundtable meetings.

O-9. January 8, 2001 MAYOR GALLUCCIO

ORDERED: That the City Manager be and hereby is requested to update the City Council on the current status of the West Cambridge Youth Center Feasibility Study by January 22, 2001.

O-10. January 8, 2001 MAYOR GALLUCCIO

ORDERED: That the City Manager be and hereby is requested to update the City Council on the current status of the planned improvements to Russell Field by January 22, 2001.

O-11. January 8, 2001 MAYOR GALLUCCIO

ORDERED: That the City Manager be and hereby is requested to update the City Council on the current status of the City's plans to restore the city-owned site at 238 Broadway to community open-space by January 22, 2001.

O-12. January 8, 2001 MAYOR GALLUCCIO

- WHEREAS: James R. Polley was born in Cambridge on July 7, 1917 and resided as a child on Pemberton Street, along with his mother Jenny (Powell) and father Garfield, three brothers, Daniel, Freddie, Russell and a sister, Thurza Polley and
- WHEREAS: James enlisted in the U.S. Army during World War II and served in the Fifth Bombardment Group of the France Field and was also stationed in the Panama Canal Zone, assisting in its construction; and
- WHEREAS: James was stationed in England, France, Africa and Germany during the War and was honorably discharged from the European Theatre of Operations of the U.S. Army Air Corp. as a Sergeant in 1945; and
- WHEREAS: James was employed as an Electrical Engineer by the Raytheon Company for over thirty years, where he was especially proud of his work on the Trident Submarine Project; and
- WHEREAS: James moved to 40 Highland Ave in 1956 and resided there with his wife, Caroline and three daughters Roberta, Carolyn and Christine for thirty-eight years until his death on March 3, 1994; now therefore be it
- RESOLVED: That the City Council go on record dedicating a corner at Highland Avenue and Cambridge Street in honor of James R. Polley; and be it further

RESOLVED: That a suitable dedication be arranged after consultation with the Polley family.

O-13. January 8, 2001 COUNCILLOR DAVIS

- WHEREAS: More and more complaints are being received about street lights that are out; and
- WHEREAS: Street lights play a vital role in public safety; now therefore be it
- ORDERED: That the City Manager be and hereby is requested to transmit to the appropriate electric providers and to the appropriate state departments the dissatisfaction of this city with the response to calls for service on street lights, as per the attached letters.

O-14. January 8, 2001 COUNCILLOR DAVIS

WHEREAS: There is incomplete information on the City Council web page; now therefore be it

ORDERED: That the City Manager be and hereby is requested to post a list of City Council committees, chairs and members of said committees, and provide a link to the committee minutes.

O-15. January 8, 2001 COUNCILLOR DAVIS

ORDERED: That the City Manager be and hereby is requested to report to the City Council on the procedure to be used on weekends and holidays with regard to ice and snow around public buildings and especially public schools.

O-16. January 8, 2001 COUNCILLOR DAVIS

ORDERED: That the City Manager be and hereby is requested to direct all appropriate departments to cooperate with the Public Health Department in publicizing the January 31, 2001 hearing on the West Nile Virus to be held at the Senior Center at 7:00pm.

O-17. January 8, 2001 COUNCILLOR TOOMEY

ORDERED: That the City Council refer to the Government Operations Committee the creation of a process to monitor the City Council goals.

O-18. January 8, 2001 COUNCILLOR TOOMEY

ORDERED: That the City Manager be and hereby is requested to report to the City Council the amount of payment Harvard University remitted to the City in lieu of taxes for Fiscal Year 2000 and 2001.

O-19. January 8, 2001 COUNCILLOR TOOMEY

WHEREAS: Currently Cambridge has only one licensed Cable Provider; and

WHEREAS: Cable subscribers in the City have no recourse when presented with an increase in cable rates and or a lack of channel selection provided by the current licensed cable provider; now therefore be it

ORDERED: That the City Manager be and hereby is requested to report back to the City Council on the status of negotiations with a second cable provider for the city.