

CITY MANAGER'S AGENDA

1. Transmitting communication from Robert W. Healy, City Manager, relative to Awaiting Report Item Number 05-162, regarding the status of gating off Fort Washington Park to allow for a dog run.
2. Transmitting communication from Robert W. Healy, City Manager, relative to Awaiting Report Item Number 05-180, regarding the possibility of same day trash pick-up.
3. Transmitting communication from Robert W. Healy, City Manager, relative to Awaiting Report Item Number 05-182, regarding the process by which a property owner is notified that a recommendation to designate their property as a protected landmark has been placed on the City Council agenda.
4. Transmitting communication from Robert W. Healy, City Manager, relative to Awaiting Report Item Number 05-177, regarding why there was no North Cambridge site for the Summer Food Service Program.
5. Transmitting communication from Robert W. Healy, City Manager, relative to the appropriation of a FY06 grant from the Office of the Attorney General, Local Consumer Aid Fund for \$10,000 to the Grant Fund License Commission (Consumer's Council) Salaries and Wages account (\$9,000) and Travel and Training account (\$1,000) to be used to cover the cost of interns, special project assistants and summer staff mediators, as well as support travel and training activities.
6. Transmitting communication from Robert W. Healy, City Manager, the appropriation of an Urban Areas Security Initiative Grant (UASI) from the U.S. Department of Homeland Security through the Metro Boston Homeland Security Office for \$104,709 to the Grant Fund Police Department Extraordinary Expenditures account to be used to purchase approximately 300 personal protective jackets and pants.
7. Transmitting communication from Robert W. Healy, City Manager, relative to the transfer of funds within the statutory categories of the School General Fund Budget as follows: \$37,385 from the General Fund School Other Ordinary Maintenance account to the School Salary and Wage account and \$59,645 from the Travel and Training account to the School Extraordinary Expenditures account (\$40,445) and to the School Salary and Wage account (\$19,200) and include reallocations related to school improvement plans, plant maintenance/summer projects and various other operating transfers including a transfer to cover the cost of an in-house special education transition program and a modified Challenge Prep program which has now been relocated to a CHA location.
8. Transmitting communication from Robert W. Healy, City Manager, relative to the appropriation of the Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration (SAMHSA) grant for \$100,000.00 received from the U.S. Department of Health & Human Services to the Grant Fund Human Service Salary and Wages account (\$65,336.00) and the Grant Fund Human Service Other Ordinary Maintenance account (\$33,914.00) and to the Grant Fund Human Service Travel and Training account (\$750.00) to be used to fund the Cambridge Prevention Coalition's continuing work implementing the "Cambridge Community Mobilizing for Change Around Alcohol Project".
9. Transmitting communication from Robert W. Healy, City Manager, relative to the appropriation of the Massachusetts Family Literacy Consortium Grant from the Massachusetts Department of Education for \$50,000.00 to the Grant Fund Human Service Salary and Wages account (\$9,366.00) and to the Grant Fund Human Services Other Ordinary Maintenance account (\$40,634.00) to provide funds for a portion of the salaries for two full-time and one part time instructional staff, contractual services to provide literacy enhancing activities and supplies for the Coordinated Family Literacy and Family Support Pilot Project (Pathways to Family Success) at the CLC in order to implement improvements in coordination of family literacy services throughout Cambridge.
10. Transmitting communication from Robert W. Healy, City Manager, relative to the appropriation of a Summer Food Program Grant from the U.S. Department of Agriculture through the Massachusetts Department of Education for \$246,153.00 to the Grant Fund Human Services Salary and Wages account (\$33,698.00) and the Grant Fund Human Services Other Ordinary Maintenance account (\$212,455.00) to be used to provide nutritious meals to Cambridge children and youth at 26 sites throughout the City, during the summer months when schools are closed. The grant supports two program monitors, a food service contract, and program supplies.
11. Transmitting communication from Robert W. Healy, City Manager, relative to the appropriation of a grant from the MetroNorth Regional Employment Board for \$25,316 to the Grant Fund Human Service Salary and Wages account (\$20,816.00) and to the Grant Fund Human Services Other Ordinary Maintenance account (\$4500.00) to provide summer employment opportunities for low-income teens.
12. Transmitting communication from Robert W. Healy, City Manager, relative to the appropriation of a grant from the Massachusetts Executive Office of Elder Affairs for \$71,232.00 to the Grant Fund Human Service Salary and Wages account (\$19,427.00) and the Grant Fund Human Service Other Ordinary Maintenance account (\$50,580.00) and to the Grant Fund Human Service Travel and Training account (\$1,225.00) to be used to provide substance abuse prevention services for Cambridge seniors and transportation for Cambridge seniors to medical appointments and weekly food shopping trips.
13. Transmitting communication from Robert W. Healy, City Manager, relative to Awaiting Report Item Number 05-176, regarding a report on establishing a citywide youth sports commission.
14. Transmitting communication from Robert W. Healy, City Manager, relative to Awaiting Report Item Number 05-187, regarding a report on the status of the North Massachusetts Avenue Facade Improvement Program.
15. Transmitting communication from Robert W. Healy, City Manager, relative to Awaiting Report Item Number 05-173,

regarding rodent infestation on Warren Street.

16. Transmitting communication from Robert W. Healy, City Manager, relative to Awaiting Report Item Number 05-186, regarding a report on summarizing the 10-year process to fund and site a West Cambridge youth center.

ON THE TABLE

1. Placed on the Table on the motion of Councillor Simmons relative to Awaiting Report Item Number 03-137 of December 22, 2003, regarding a report on the number of investment managers for the pension fund with the list to reflect the number of women-owned and minority-owned investment managers.
2. Placed on Table on the motion of Mayor Sullivan relative to Committee Report #1 of March 7, 2005 from the University Relations Committee, for a meeting held on February 8, 2005 to discuss the M.I.T. Payment in Lieu of Taxes (PILOT).
3. Placed on Table on the motion of Councillor Simmons on April 11, 2005 on an order adopted relative to a communication from Robert W. Healy, City Manager, transmitting a recommendation from the License Commission to deny a jitney license application from Nautical Tours, Inc.
4. Placed on Table on the motion of Councillor Toomey on May 9, 2005 on an order requesting the City Solicitor draft a home rule petition to amend the City Charter to provide for popular election of the Mayor in the next municipal election.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS

5. A communication was received from D. Margaret Drury, City Clerk, transmitting a report from Councillor Timothy J. Toomey, Jr., Co-Chair of the Ordinance Committee, for a meeting held on November 18, 2004 for the purpose of considering proposed amendments to Chapter 2.74 of the Cambridge Municipal Code, the Police Review and Advisory Board Ordinance. The question comes on passing to be ordained on or after February 14, 2005. [Four sections of the proposed amendment were passed to be ordained as amended. Ordinance #1284. The remaining proposed amendments to chapter 2.74 remain on unfinished business.]

APPLICATIONS AND PETITIONS

1. An application was received from Paul Fiore, requesting a curb cut at the premises numbered 98 Otis Street; said petition has received approval from Inspectional Services, Traffic, Parking and Transportation, Historical, Public Works. Approval has been received from the neighborhood association.
2. An application was received from Broadway Bicycle School Ltd., requesting permission for an awning at the premises numbered 351 Broadway. Approval has been received from Inspectional Services, Department of Public Works, Community Development Department and abutters.
3. An application was received from the Planet Smoothie Cafe, requesting permission for four tables and sixteen chairs for restaurant seating at the premises numbered 350 Sydney St.

COMMUNICATIONS

1. A communication was received from Ariella Darsa Amshalem, 17 Howard Street, Cambridge, supporting the dance groups at the VFW.

2. A communication was received from Sharon Hatfield, 7 Temple Street, Cambridge, supporting the dance groups at the VFW.
3. A communication was received from Mark Lahoud, 1369 Coffee House-Central Square, 757 Massachusetts Avenue, Cambridge, supporting the dance groups at the VFW.
4. A communication was received from Audrey Benevento, supporting the dance groups at the VFW.
5. A communication was received from Arthur A. Munisteri, 165 West 91st Street, New York, NY, supporting the dance groups at the VFW.
6. A communication was received from Lucia deLeiris, 44 Moody Street, Waltham, supporting the dance groups at the VFW.
7. A communication was received from Diana Webber, supporting the dance groups at the VFW.
8. A communication was received from Harry Pizer, 287 Harvard Street, Cambridge, supporting the dance groups at the VFW.
9. A communication was received from the Dana Park Neighborhood Association, Inc., regarding their concerns of the Urban Ring and related roadway construction
10. A communication was received from Edward Kuh, transmitting thanks for the resolution on his appointment as Head of School of Fayerweather Street School.
11. A communication was received from Joanna Williams, EBI Consulting, regarding notice of a proposed telecommunications facility installation at 80 Erie Street.
12. A communication was received from Roy Bercaw, regarding abuses and the right to privacy.
13. A communication was received from Representative Barney Frank, regarding the resolution on the death on his mother.

RESOLUTIONS

1. Resolution on the death of Esdelle C. Crockett. Councillor Galluccio
2. Happy Birthday to a special person. Mayor Sullivan
3. Wishes for a speedy recovery to Mrs. Scondras. Mayor Sullivan
4. Condolences to Mrs. Alice Simpson on the death of her husband. Councillor Simmons
5. Well wishes to Ulysses Gore. Mayor Sullivan
6. October 2005 proclaimed as National Arts and Humanities Month in Cambridge. Mayor Sullivan
7. Congratulations to the Quebec Delegate to New England, Madame France Dionne, as she opens the delegation's new office at One Boston Place in Boston, and October 13, 2005 is proclaimed as Quebec Day in Cambridge. Mayor Sullivan
8. Support for the U.S. Postal Service to commission a stamp in memory of legendary composer and Director of the Harvard University Band, Leroy Anderson on the 100th anniversary of his birth in 2008. Mayor Sullivan
9. Congratulations to Joe Power on being elected Conductor of the New England Regional Council of Carpenters. Councillor Murphy

10. Congratulations to Mark Erlich on being elected Executive Secretary-Treasurer of the New England Regional Council of Carpenters. Councillor Murphy
11. Wishes for a speedy recovery to Janet Rose. Councillor Simmons
12. Wishes for a speedy recovery to Alicia Carroll. Councillor Simmons
13. Get well wishes to Ciara Harding. Mayor Sullivan
14. Support and best wishes to School Committee member Richard Harding for a speedy recovery of his daughter. Councillor Simmons
15. Resolution on the death of Idean C. Watson. Councillor Reeves, Mayor Sullivan, Councillor Galluccio
16. Resolution on the death of Maria C. Moynihan. Mayor Sullivan
17. Resolution on the death of Cristina Joyce. Mayor Sullivan
18. Resolution on the death of Anna Mae Elizabeth Gardner. Mayor Sullivan
19. Resolution on the death of Stephen Eric Sullivan. Mayor Sullivan
20. Resolution on the death of Rose A. Ennis. Mayor Sullivan
21. Resolution on the death of Clare Chamberline. Mayor Sullivan, Councillor Galluccio, Councillor Toomey
22. Resolution on the death of Doreen A. Dwyer. Mayor Sullivan
23. Resolution on the death of Arthur K. Stone. Mayor Sullivan
24. Resolution on the death of Bernadine Ranaghan. Mayor Sullivan, Councillor Toomey
25. Resolution on the death of Joseph M. Calorio. Mayor Sullivan, Councillor Galluccio, Councillor Toomey
26. Resolution on the death of John S. Peredna. Mayor Sullivan
27. Welcome and best wishes to Benny Lee as he begin his new position as Coordinator of the Green Decade/Cambridge Clean Power Campaign. Councillor Simmons
28. Congratulations to Joel and Jennifer Duckett on the birth of their son. Councillor Toomey
29. Thanks to the participants and sponsors of Science in the City, an exposition to be held on Saturday, October 22, 2005 from 10:00am to 3:00pm at Cambridge Rindge and Latin School. Mayor Sullivan
30. Congratulations to Michael McGonagle on his appointment as new Vice Principal for Ignatian Mission and Identity at Boston College High School. Mayor Sullivan
31. Happy 175th Anniversary to the Mount Auburn Cemetery. Mayor Sullivan
32. Happy Fiftieth Anniversary wishes to Sister Cities International. Mayor Sullivan
33. Congratulations to Jennifer and Richard Walsh on the birth of their second child. Mayor Sullivan
34. Resolution on the death of Gloria L. Martin. Mayor Sullivan
35. Congratulations to Sandra and Koffi Klousseh on the birth of their son. Vice Mayor Decker
36. Condolences on the death of Stanley Jules. Vice Mayor Decker, Councillor Reeves, Councillor Galluccio
37. Happy Birthday wishes to Julia Brown. Councillor Simmons
38. Wishes for a Happy 90th Birthday to Patricia Lowney. Mayor Sullivan
39. Thanks to Roxanne Davies and Carleen Perez for their hard work and accomplishment in their new positions at Jefferson Park Housing Development. Councillor Galluccio
40. Thanks to Jack Geary for his work as Director of Management at the Cambridge Housing Authority. Councillor Galluccio
41. Resolution on the retirement of Maria Roloff. Mayor Sullivan
42. Resolution on the retirement of Margaret Perry. Mayor Sullivan
43. Resolution on the retirement of Patricia Mangini. Mayor Sullivan
44. Thanks to John Sirwecinski for his efforts on behalf of the North Cambridge Crime Task Force. Councillor Galluccio
45. Thanks to Pam Curtis for her hard work and commitment as the Tenant Counsel President at the Walden Square Apartments. Councillor Galluccio
46. Resolution on the death of Alexander Roulusonis. Councillor Toomey
47. Congratulations to the City of Charlmagne, Canada on its Centennial Anniversary Celebration on November 13, 2005. Councillor Reeves, Mayor Sullivan
48. Resolution on the death of Robeson Peters. Councillor Galluccio, Mayor Sullivan
49. Resolution on the death of Marie T. McCafferty. Mayor Sullivan
50. Resolution on the death of Adam K. Simon. Mayor Sullivan
51. Resolution on the death of Private First Class Roberto Baez. Vice Mayor Decker
52. Resolution on the death of Private First Class Andrew Bedard. Vice Mayor Decker
53. Resolution on the death of Private First Class Oliver Brown. Vice Mayor Decker
54. Resolution on the death of Lance Corporal Shayne Cabino. Vice Mayor Decker
55. Resolution on the death of Private First Class Jason Frye. Vice Mayor Decker
56. Resolution on the death of Private Elijah Ortega. Vice Mayor Decker
57. Resolution on the death of Lance Corporal Patrick Kenny. Vice Mayor Decker
58. Resolution on the death of Lance Corporal Daniel McVicker. Vice Mayor Decker
59. Resolution on the death of Lance Corporal Carl Raines. Vice Mayor Decker

60. Resolution on the death of Specialist Jeremiah Robinson. Vice Mayor Decker
61. Resolution on the death of Specialist Michael Wendling. Vice Mayor Decker
62. Resolution on the death of Specialist Lee Wiegand. Vice Mayor Decker
63. Resolution on the death of Corporal Nicholas Chereva. Vice Mayor Decker
64. Resolution on the death of Private First Class Nicholas Greer. Vice Mayor Decker
65. Resolution on the death of Airman First Class Elizabeth Jacobsen. Vice Mayor Decker
66. Resolution on the death of Specialist Kevin Jones. Vice Mayor Decker
67. Resolution on the death of Sergeant Eric Slebodnik. Vice Mayor Decker
68. Resolution on the death of Specialist Jacob Vanderbosch. Vice Mayor Decker
69. Resolution on the death of Specialist William Evans. Vice Mayor Decker
70. Resolution on the death of Sergeant Eric Fifer. Vice Mayor Decker
71. Resolution on the death of Corporal John Stalvey. Councillor Davis
72. Resolution on the death of Sergeant Travis Arndt. Vice Mayor Decker
73. Resolution on the death of Specialist Joshua Kynock. Vice Mayor Decker
74. Resolution on the death of Sergeant Andrew Derrick. Vice Mayor Decker
75. Resolution on the death of Sergeant Andrew Wallace. Vice Mayor Decker
76. Resolution on the death of Sergeant Sean Berry. Vice Mayor Decker
77. Resolution on the death of Staff Sergeant Daniel Arnold. Vice Mayor Decker
78. Resolution on the death of First Lieutenant Mark Dooley. Vice Mayor Decker
79. Resolution on the death of Staff Sergeant William Allers, III. Vice Mayor Decker
80. Resolution on the death of Specialist Scott McLaughlin. Vice Mayor Decker
81. Resolution on the death of Staff Sergeant Timothy Roark. Vice Mayor Decker
82. Resolution on the death of Staff Sergeant Jason Benford. Vice Mayor Decker
83. Resolution on the death of Sergeant Howard Allen. Vice Mayor Decker
84. Resolution on the death of Sergeant Bryan Large. Vice Mayor Decker
85. Resolution on the death of Staff Sergeant Jens Schelbert. Vice Mayor Decker
86. Resolution on the death of Sergeant First Class Casey Howe. Vice Mayor Decker
87. Resolution on the death of Master Sergeant Tulsa Tuliau. Vice Mayor Decker
88. Resolution on the death of Sergeant Brian Dunlap. Vice Mayor Decker
89. Resolution on the death of Sergeant Shawn Graham. Vice Mayor Decker
90. Resolution on the death of Sergeant Steve Morin. Vice Mayor Decker
91. Resolution on the death of Sergeant Larry Pankey, Jr. Vice Mayor Decker
92. Resolution on the death of Specialist Mike Sonoda, Jr. Vice Mayor Decker
93. Resolution on the death of Sergeant Michael Egan. Vice Mayor Decker
94. Resolution on the death of Specialist William Fernandez. Vice Mayor Decker
95. Resolution on the death of Sergeant Daniel Scheile. Vice Mayor Decker
96. Resolution on the death of Staff Sergeant George Pugliese. Vice Mayor Decker
97. Resolution on the death of Sergeant Paul Neubauer. Vice Mayor Decker
98. Resolution on the death of Sergeant Marshall Westbrook. Vice Mayor Decker
99. Resolution on the death of First Lieutenant Mark Dooley. Mayor Sullivan, Vice Mayor Decker
100. Condolences on the death of Jose DeFreitas. Councillor Toomey
101. Congratulations to Middlesex Registrar of Deeds and member of the Cambridge Health Alliance Board of Trustees, Eugene Brune, on having the Somerville Hospital Adolescent Assessment Unit named in his honor. Mayor Sullivan
102. Congratulations to Patrick McGovern and Lore Harp McGovern on the opening of the McGovern Institute for Brain Research at MIT, and Friday, November 4, 2005 is proclaimed as Mc Institute Day in Cambridge. Mayor Sullivan
103. Resolution on the death of Joseph D. Gobbi. Mayor Sullivan
104. Encouraging all Cantabrigians to attend Star Wars: Where Science Meets Imagination, an exhibit at Boston's Museum of Science on display from October 27, 2005 until April 30, 2006. Mayor Sullivan
105. Get well wishes to Manny Slate. Mayor Sullivan
106. Resolution on the death of Catherine M. Meehan. Councillor Galluccio
107. Best wishes to Dan Poisson and Amy Thebearge on the birth of their daughter, Emma Rianne. Councillor Toomey
108. Congratulations to Sovereign Bank on the grand opening of its newest Community Banking Office at 1420 Massachusetts Avenue in Harvard Square. Mayor Sullivan
109. Condolences to the family of August Wilson, American Playwright. Councillor Reeves
110. Thanks to City Clerk D. Margaret Drury who among twelve other clerks in the Commonwealth appeared before

the Supreme Judicial Court to challenge the 1913 statute that denies permission of out-of-state, same sex couples to marry in Massachusetts, who do not intend to reside in Massachusetts.. Councillor Reeves

111. Urging all residents and employees to participate in the initiative yard sale to be held on October 22 and October 23, 2005 for the Katrina and Rita relief efforts. Councillor Reeves, Councillor Davis
112. Thanks to the Cambridge Health Alliance for the care given by the Emergency Care Unit, in particular, Dr. Thomas Workmen, Dr. Von Deck and their team of clinicians. Councillor Reeves
113. Resolution on the death of Robert H. Donovan, Sr. Mayor Sullivan, Councillor Toomey
114. Resolution on the death of George R. Babcock. Mayor Sullivan
115. Resolution on the death of Sister Sheila Buckley. Mayor Sullivan, Councillor Galluccio
116. Resolution on the death of Lorraine Stevenson. Councillor Galluccio
117. Congratulations to the Cambridge Police Department for apprehending a suspect regarding two assaults in the Alewife neighborhood. Mayor Sullivan
118. Resolution on the death of Ernest J. Buda. Councillor Toomey
119. Resolution on the death of Gertrude Bonarrigo. Councillor Toomey
120. Wishes for a speedy recovery to Peggy Corcoran. Mayor Sullivan
121. Wishes for a speedy recovery to a special Cantabrigian. Mayor Sullivan
122. Congratulations to Patrick J. Murphy, IV on making partner at his law firm. Mayor Sullivan
123. Congratulations to the recipients of the 2005 Peace and Justice Award. Councillor Murphy
124. Congratulations to Father Daniel J. Mahoney of St. Francis de Sales Church in Charlestown on the naming of the Father Daniel J. Mahoney Fire Chaplain's Fountain in the Firefighters' Memorial Park. Councillor Galluccio
125. Congratulations to Cambridge Police Sergeant Christine Elow and her husband on the birth of their twin sons, Jordan and Justin. Councillor Maher
126. Congratulations to Denise Maguire and her husband, P. Haridas on the birth of their twin grandsons, Jordan and Justin Elow. Councillor Maher
127. Happy Birthday to a special Cantabrigian. Councillor Galluccio
128. Condolences to Noel Johnson on the death of her mother. Councillor Simmons, Mayor Sullivan

ORDERS

1. The City Manager is requested to direct the Police Commissioner and the Commissioner of Public Works to investigate the evidence of needles at Hurley Park.. Councillor Simmons

2. Dedication of a site in honor of Thomas August. Councillor Toomey
3. The City Manager is requested to confer with the Director of Traffic, Parking and Transportation Department to report on the configuration of crosswalks on Cambridge Street. Councillor Maher
4. The City Manager is requested to confer with the Commissioner of Public Works to plant trees in the empty tree wells along Western Avenue. Councillor Maher
5. Support for State Auditor Joe DeNucci's proposal to create a state-funded program to provide the same level of property tax relief for all senior citizens. Mayor Sullivan
6. The City Manager is requested to consult with the Police and Traffic, Parking and Transportation Departments, and Department of Conservation and Recreation regarding the safety issues at Mt. Auburn Street and Fresh Pond Parkway. Councillor Toomey
7. The City Manager is requested to provide an overview on the impact to Cambridge residents of heating and fuel prices and what steps are being taken to alleviate price increases. Councillor Galluccio
8. The City Manager is requested to confer with the Assistant City Manager for Community Development regarding the status of affordability and subsidies at the Kennedy Biscuit Loft Housing. Councillor Galluccio
9. The City Manager is requested to confer with the Cambridge Housing Authority to ensure that the remaining stove replacements at housing developments are completed before the Thanksgiving holiday. Councillor Galluccio
10. Dedication of a site in honor of Stanley Jules. Councillor Simmons
11. Dedication of an appropriate site in the vicinity of 161 Third Street in honor of Anthony and Mildred Risola. Councillor Toomey
12. Dedication of a site near Otis Street in memory of Lucy R. Gigante. Mayor Sullivan and Councillor Toomey
13. Uniform process to notify parents about teacher assignments. Councillor Simmons
14. The City Manager is requested to direct the Director of Assessment to arrange a meeting with the Area Four Coalition to plan a meeting on property taxes. Councillor Simmons
15. Dedication of a site in the vicinity of Cambridge Street and Willow Street in memory of Richard "Dickie" Graham. Mayor Sullivan and Councillor Galluccio
16. The City Manager is requested to consider ways to assist in saving the Brattle Theatre for its historical and architectural significance. Councillor Simmons
17. The City Manager is requested to provide information on whether there is an evacuation plan for Area Four and the entire city in light of a nuclear reactor located in the City. Councillor Simmons
18. The City Manager is requested to consult with the City Electrician and NSTAR regarding the frequent power outages in the East Cambridge area. Councillor Toomey

19. The City Manager is requested to confer with the Public Health Department, Police Department and Fire Department relative to any breach of security at the MIT reactor site in conjunction with the ABC Prime Time News Story on October 13, 2005. Mayor Sullivan and Councillor Simmons
20. The City Manager is requested to report on a Boston Globe news article that Cambridge is a community which is overburdened with hazardous waste sites and pollution-causing industries, as well as having poor and non-white communities with a disproportionate share of environmentally hazardous facilities. Mayor Sullivan
21. The City Manager is requested to instruct the Commissioner of Public Works to take all necessary steps to ensure that all trash and debris is cleaned around the former Man Ray Club. Mayor Sullivan
22. The City Manager is requested to confer with the City Solicitor to seek a waiver of the truck ban for Memorial Drive only during the construction period ongoing in the vicinity of Harvard Square, and to confer with the Mass. Department of Conservation and Recreation, Harvard University, and the Traffic, Parking and Transportation Department to work out a plan whereby construction vehicles only be allowed on Memorial Drive. Vice Mayor Decker and Councillor Galluccio
23. The City Manager is requested to confer with the Police Commissioner on the status of the number of walking patrol officers in the various squares in the City. Councillor Toomey
24. The City Manager is requested to consider significantly increasing fines for garbage (residential and commercial) that is put out at the wrong time or in improper containers. Councillor Reeves
25. The City Manager is requested to confer with the Massachusetts state delegation to take all steps necessary to ensure that trucks are allowed access to Memorial Drive for construction on Cowperthwaite Street. Vice Mayor Decker and Councillor Galluccio
26. The City Manager is requested to report on the security issue of the nuclear reactor at MIT as previously requested and to ensure that air tight security is maintained by MIT. Councillor Toomey
27. The City Manager is requested to instruct the Director of Traffic, Parking and Transportation to increase nighttime monitoring of the area around the King School. Councillor Murphy
28. The City Manager is requested to instruct the Police Commissioner and the Director of Traffic, Parking and Transportation to increase enforcement of vehicles traversing the wrong way down Bay Street toward Kinnaird Street. Councillor Murphy
29. The City Manager is requested to instruct the Director of Traffic, Parking and Transportation to increase traffic monitoring of speeds on Irving Street between Kirkland and Cambridge Streets, as well as additional signage reflecting the heavily settled neighborhood and the presence of children. Councillor Murphy
30. Urging Oaktree Development to reconsider their choice of contractors and/or ensure the City Council that Nauset Construction will abide by community standards set by the federal, state, and local government. Vice Mayor Decker and Councillor Galluccio
31. The City Manager is requested to contact the Superintendent of Schools as well as the heads of private schools in Cambridge that have not filed both indoor and outdoor Integrated Pest Management plans to urge that such plans be filed as required under the Children's Protection Act. Councillor Murphy
32. Support for SCM Transportation. Councillor Simmons, Mayor Sullivan, Councillor Davis
33. The City Manager is requested to instruct the Commissioner of Public Works to fix the slide at Columbia Park. Councillor Simmons, Mayor Sullivan
34. The City Manager is requested to investigate hiring a full time exterminator. Councillor Simmons, Mayor Sullivan
35. The Office of the Mayor, Massachusetts Institute of Technology and the Neighborhood Associations plan, implement and organize a neighborhood information meeting regarding the safety aspects of the nuclear reactor. Councillor Simmons, Mayor Sullivan
36. The City Manager is requested to take steps necessary to inform the public about the "Heat Wrap" program. Mayor Sullivan
37. The City Manager is requested to investigate and report on how Cambridge can own and operate its own power transmission facility or municipal power company. Councillor Davis, Mayor Sullivan, Councillor Simmons, Councillor Toomey, Councillor Murphy
38. City Manager is hereby requested to direct the Directors of Traffic, Parking and Transportation to confer with the Police Commissioner to analyze the Inman Street/Massachusetts Avenue intersection and to draft a plan to prevent red light running at this and other key intersections, the plan provide for the increased distribution of the "Points of Safety" cards to prevent red light running and other infractions and forward the above plan to the Transportation, Traffic and Parking Committee together with a report on prevention efforts for bikes on the sidewalk. Councillor Davis and Councillor Murphy
39. The Community Development Department and the Co-Chairs of the Ordinance Committee form an ad hoc group including business owners, property owners and residents to discuss retail stores. Councillor Toomey
40. City Manager is requested to work with the CHA to get more information on the rent simplification process and the CHA provide this information to the City Council, Council on Aging, and all appropriate agencies who have residents that would be affected by this process. Councillor Simmons

COMMITTEE REPORTS

1. A communication was received from Donna P. Lopez, Deputy City Clerk, transmitting a report from Councillor Henrietta Davis, Chair of the Public Safety Committee and Councillor Brian Murphy, Chair of the Finance Committee, for a joint meeting held on September 20, 2005 to discuss the issue of

running red lights with the Pedestrian and Bicycle Committees.

2. A communication was received from D. Margaret Drury, City Clerk, transmitting a report from Councillor Kenneth E. Reeves and Councillor Timothy J. Toomey, Jr., Co-Chairs of the Ordinance Committee, for a hearing held on September 21, 2005 for the purpose of considering amendments to Section 12.18 of the Municipal Ordinances entitled "Standardizing the Placement and Maintenance of News Racks."
3. A communication was received from D. Margaret Drury, City Clerk, transmitting a report from Councillor Kenneth E. Reeves and Councillor Timothy J. Toomey, Jr., Co-Chairs of the Ordinance Committee, for a hearing held on September 21, 2005 for the purpose of considering a petition submitted by the Planning Board to amend Section 20.100 of the Zoning Ordinance entitled "Massachusetts Avenue Overlay District."
4. A communication was received from Donna P. Lopez, Deputy City Clerk, transmitting a report from Councillor E. Denise Simmons, Chair of the Human Services Committee, for a meeting held on October 6, 2005 to discuss the Cambridge Housing Authority's rent simplification process and its impact on childcare, family and elderly services.

HEARING SCHEDULE

Mon, Oct 17

- 9:30am Continuation of the recessed Special City Council Meeting with the Massachusetts Delegation to discuss issues and concerns regarding property taxes and municipal revenue. This meeting to be televised. (Sullivan Chamber)
- 3:30pm Special Roundtable Meeting to discuss nuclear research reactors. No public comment. No votes will be taken. Meeting will not be televised. (Sullivan Chamber)
- 5:30pm City Council Meeting (Sullivan Chamber)

Tues, Oct 18

5:30pm The Public Facilities, Art and Celebrations Committee will conduct a public meeting to discuss the issue of the VFW dance studio with the dance advocates. (Sullivan Chamber)

Wed, Oct 19

4:00pm The Health and Environment Committee will conduct a public meeting to discuss two concerns regarding the re-filed Concord Alewife Zoning petition, flood waters and traffic. (Sullivan Chamber)

Thurs, Oct 20

6:00pm Joint Meeting between the City Council and School Committee to discuss prescription drug abuse. (344 Broadway, 2nd Fl Conference)

Fri, Oct 21

9:00am The Finance Committee and the Special Committee on Property Tax will conduct a public meeting to continue discussions on issues relating to the property tax and to review property tax proposals. (Anastos Room)

Mon, Oct 24

5:30pm City Council Meeting (Sullivan Chamber)

Wed, Oct 26

8:30am The Cable TV, Telecommunications and Public Utilities Committee will conduct a public meeting to receive

an update on local action to reduce greenhouse gas emissions. (Sullivan Chamber)

Mon, Oct 31

4:30pm The Claims Committee will conduct a public hearing to consider claims filed against the city. (Ackermann Room)

5:30pm City Council Meeting (Sullivan Chamber)

Mon, Nov 7

5:30pm City Council Meeting (Sullivan Chamber)

Mon, Nov 14

5:30pm City Council Meeting (Sullivan Chamber)

Mon, Nov 21

5:30pm City Council Meeting (Sullivan Chamber)

Tues, Nov 22

4:00pm The Ordinance Committee will conduct a public hearing on proposed amendments to Chapter 8.24 of the Cambridge Municipal Code on Refuse and Litter. (Sullivan Chamber)

4:30pm The Ordinance Committee will conduct a public hearing on re-filed proposal by the Planning Board to rezone the Concord Alewife area. This meeting to be televised. (Sullivan Chamber)

Mon, Nov 28

5:30pm City Council Meeting (Sullivan Chamber)

Mon, Dec 5

5:30pm City Council Meeting (Sullivan Chamber)

Mon, Dec 12

5:30pm City Council Meeting (Sullivan Chamber)

Mon, Dec 19

5:30pm City Council Meeting (Sullivan Chamber)

TEXT OF ORDERS

O-1 October 17, 2005

COUNCILLOR SIMMONS

ORDERED: The City Manager be and hereby is requested to direct the Police Commissioner and the Commissioner of Public Works to investigate the evidence of needles at Hurley Park., and to have the park cleaned.

O-2 October 17, 2005

COUNCILLOR TOOMEY

ORDERED: That the City Council go on record dedicating an appropriate site in honor of Thomas August; and be it further ORDERED: That the Assistant to the City Council be directed to confer with the family regarding a suitable dedication ceremony and communicate with the Department of Public Works to arrange for the sign.

O-3 October 17, 2005

COUNCILLOR MAHER

WHEREAS: There are now three crosswalks on Cambridge Street between Felton and Prescott Streets located within an extremely short district; now therefore be it

ORDERED: That the City Manager be and hereby is requested to confer with the Director of Traffic, Parking and Transportation Department to report on the configuration of crosswalks at this location.

O-4 October 17, 2005
COUNCILLOR MAHER
WHEREAS: Several residents have requested that empty tree wells along Western Avenue be filled as set forth in the attached letter; and
WHEREAS: The City Council wishes to support the reasonable requests of these neighbors to foster community and a healthy environment; now therefore be it
ORDERED: That the City Manager be and hereby is requested to confer with the Commissioner of Public Works to plant trees in the empty tree wells along Western Avenue.

O-5 October 17, 2005
MAYOR SULLIVAN
ORDERED: That this City Council go on record in support of State Auditor Joe DeNucci's proposal to create a state-funded program to provide the same level of property tax relief for all senior citizens; and be it further
ORDERED: That the City Clerk be and hereby is requested to forward a suitably engrossed copy of this resolution to the State Auditor and the Cambridge Legislative Delegation on behalf of the entire City Council.

O-6 October 17, 2005
COUNCILLOR TOOMEY
ORDERED: That the City Manager be and hereby is requested to consult with the Police and Traffic, Parking and Transportation Departments, and Department of Conservation and Recreation regarding the safety issues at Mt. Auburn Street and Fresh Pond Parkway.

O-7 October 17, 2005
COUNCILLOR GALLUCCIO
ORDERED: That the City Manager be and hereby is requested to provide an overview on the impact to Cambridge residents of heating and fuel prices and what steps are being taken to alleviate price increases.

O-8 October 17, 2005
COUNCILLOR GALLUCCIO
ORDERED: That the City Manager be and hereby is requested to confer with the Assistant City Manager for Community Development regarding the status of affordability and subsidies at the Kennedy Biscuit Loft Housing.

O-9 October 17, 2005
COUNCILLOR GALLUCCIO
ORDERED: That the City Manager be and hereby is requested to confer with the Cambridge Housing Authority to ensure that the remaining stove replacements at housing developments are completed before the Thanksgiving holiday; and be it further
ORDERED: That the City Clerk be and hereby is requested to forward a suitably engrossed copy of this resolution to Gress Russ, Executive Director of the Cambridge Housing Authority.

O-10 October 17, 2005
COUNCILLOR SIMMONS
ORDERED: That the City Council go on record dedicating an appropriate site in honor of Stanley Jules; and be it further
ORDERED: That Assistant to the City Council be directed to confer with the family regarding a suitable dedication ceremony and communicate with the Department of Public Works to arrange for the sign.

O-11 October 17, 2005
COUNCILLOR TOOMEY
ORDERED: That the City Council go on record dedicating an appropriate site in the vicinity of 161 Third Street honor of Anthony and Mildred Risola; and be it further
ORDERED: That Assistant to the City Council be directed to confer with the family regarding a suitable dedication ceremony and communicate with the Department of Public Works to arrange for the sign.

O-12 October 17, 2005
MAYOR SULLIVAN
COUNCILLOR TOOMEY
ORDERED: That the City Council go on record dedicating an appropriate site in the vicinity of Otis Street in memory of Lucy R. Gigante; and be it further
ORDERED: That the Chief of Staff to the Mayor be directed to confer with the family regarding a suitable dedication ceremony and communicate with the Department of Public Works to arrange for the sign.

O-13 October 17, 2005
COUNCILLOR SIMMONS
ORDERED: That His Honor the Mayor and the School Committee consider initiating a uniform process to notify parents about teacher assignments; and be it further
ORDERED: That this topic be placed on the agenda to be discussed jointly by the City Council and the School Committee.

O-14 October 17, 2005
COUNCILLOR SIMMONS
ORDERED: That the City Manager be and hereby is requested to direct the Director of Assessment to arrange a meeting with the Area Four Coalition to plan a meeting on property taxes.

O-15 October 17, 2005
MAYOR SULLIVAN
COUNCILLOR GALLUCCIO
ORDERED: That the City Council go on record dedicating an appropriate site in the vicinity of Cambridge Street and Willow Street in memory of Richard "Dickie" Graham
ORDERED: That the Chief of Staff to the Mayor be directed to confer with the family regarding a suitable dedication ceremony and communicate with the Department of Public Works to arrange for the sign.

O-16 October 17, 2005
COUNCILLOR SIMMONS
ORDERED: That the City Manager be and hereby is requested to consider ways to assist in saving the Brattle Theatre for its historical and architectural significance to the City.

O-17 October 17, 2005
COUNCILLOR SIMMONS
WHEREAS: A nuclear reactor is situated in the Area Four community; and
WHEREAS: The impact of this nuclear reactor to the neighborhood is unknown and could result in a dangerous loss of life to the City; now therefore be it
ORDERED: That the City Manager be and hereby is requested to provide the City Council with information on whether there is an evacuation plan for Area Four and the entire city.

O-18 October 17, 2005
COUNCILLOR TOOMEY
ORDERED: That the City Manager be and hereby is requested to consult with the City Electrician and NSTAR regarding the frequent power outages in the East Cambridge area.

O-19 October 17, 2005

MAYOR SULLIVAN
COUNCILLOR SIMMONS

ORDERED: That the City Manager be and hereby is requested to confer with the Public Health Department, Police Department and Fire Department relative to any breach of security at the MIT reactor site in conjunction with the ABC Prime Time News Story on October 13, 2005.

O-20 October 17, 2005

MAYOR SULLIVAN

ORDERED: That the City Manager be and hereby is requested to report back to the City Council relative to a Boston Globe news article that Cambridge is a community which is overburdened with hazardous waste sites and pollution-causing industries, as well as having poor and non-white communities with a disproportionate share of environmentally hazardous facilities.

O-21 October 17, 2005

MAYOR SULLIVAN

ORDERED: That the City Manager be and hereby is requested to instruct the Commissioner of Public Works to take all necessary steps to ensure that all trash and debris is cleaned around the former Man Ray Club.

O-22 October 17, 2005

VICE MAYOR DECKER
COUNCILLOR GALLUCCIO

WHEREAS: Memorial Drive is a banned truck route in the City; and
WHEREAS: The City and Harvard University have coinciding construction projects in the vicinity of Harvard Square; and
WHEREAS: The inability for trucks to travel on Memorial Drive has resulted in the construction vehicles traveling in residential neighborhoods and is disturbing the peace of residents; now therefore be it

ORDERED: That the City Manager be and hereby is requested to confer with the City Solicitor with a view in mind of seeking a waiver of the truck ban for Memorial Drive only during the construction period that is ongoing in the vicinity of Harvard Square, in particular the Riverside and Kerry Corner neighborhoods; and be it further

ORDERED: That the City Manager be and hereby is requested to confer with the Massachusetts Department of Conservation and Recreation, Harvard University, and the Traffic, Parking and Transportation Department to work out a plan whereby construction-related vehicles only be allowed on Memorial Drive.

O-23 October 17, 2005

COUNCILLOR TOOMEY

ORDERED: That the City Manager be and hereby is requested to confer with the Police Commissioner on the status of the number of walking patrol officers in the various squares in the City.

O-24 October 17, 2005

COUNCILLOR REEVES

WHEREAS: One theory of the City's rate infestation problem is that there are more rats because of good food supply and in order to reduce the epidemic, the food supply needs to be reduced; and

WHEREAS: In New York City increased fines for improper rubbish storage has abated the problem; and

WHEREAS: The rubbish fine in New York City is \$100; the Cambridge fine is \$25; now therefore be it

ORDERED: That the City Manager be and hereby is requested to consider significantly increasing fines for garbage (residential and commercial) that is put out at the wrong time or in improper containers.

O-25 October 17, 2005

VICE MAYOR DECKER
COUNCILLOR GALLUCCIO

ORDERED: That the City Manager be and hereby is requested to confer with the Massachusetts state delegation to take all steps necessary to ensure that trucks are allowed access to Memorial Drive for construction on Cowperthwaite Street.

O-26 October 17, 2005

COUNCILLOR TOOMEY

WHEREAS: On October 1, 2001 the attached Order Number 7 was unanimously adopted by the City Council; and

WHEREAS: This order expresses the concern of the City Council about security at all types of nuclear reactors; and

WHEREAS: The order requested that MIT demonstrate beyond any doubt, an air-tight, around the clock, fully visible professionally-manned security system, or that they decommission the nuclear reactor; now therefore be it

ORDERED: The City Manager is requested to report on the security issue of the nuclear reactor at MIT as previously requested and to ensure that air tight security is maintained by MIT.

O-27 October 17, 2005

COUNCILLOR MURPHY

ORDERED: That the City Manager be and hereby is requested to instruct the Director of Traffic, Parking and Transportation to increase nighttime monitoring of the area around the King School.

O-28 October 17, 2005

COUNCILLOR MURPHY

ORDERED: That the City Manager be and hereby is requested to instruct the Police Commissioner and the Director of Traffic, Parking and Transportation to increase enforcement of vehicles traversing the wrong way down Bay Street toward Kinnaird Street.

O-29 October 17, 2005

COUNCILLOR MURPHY

ORDERED: That the City Manager be and hereby is requested to instruct the Director of Traffic, Parking and Transportation to increase traffic monitoring of speeds on Irving Street between Kirkland and Cambridge Streets, as well as additional signage reflecting the heavily settled neighborhood and the presence of children.

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O-30 October 17, 2005

VICE MAYOR DECKER
COUNCILLOR GALLUCCIO

WHEREAS: This City Council has learned that Oaktree Development has hired Nauset Construction to begin a construction project on the corner of Richdale Avenue and Walden Street; and

WHEREAS: Nauset Construction has a history of paying below community standard wages and benefits; and

WHEREAS: This is not the first time that Oaktree Development has hired a contractor that pays below community standard wages and benefits; and

WHEREAS: When developers use contractors that do not abide by Cambridge's community standards for wages and benefits, the taxpayers of Cambridge pick up the costs; and

WHEREAS: Cambridge is committed as a community to the creation of good jobs, fair wages, and good working conditions; now therefore be it

RESOLVED: That this City Council go on record urging Oaktree Development to reconsider their choice of contractors and/or ensure the City Council that Nauset Construction will abide by community standards set by the federal, state, and local government; and be it further

RESOLVED: That the City Clerk be and hereby is requested to forward a suitably engrossed copy of this resolution to Oaktree Development and Nauset Construction on behalf of the entire City Council.

O-31 October 17, 2005

COUNCILLOR MURPHY

ORDERED: That the City Manager be and hereby is requested to contact the Superintendent of Schools as well as the heads of private schools in Cambridge that have not filed both indoor and outdoor Integrated Pest Management plans to urge that such plans be filed as required under the Children's Protection Act.

O-32 October 17, 2005

COUNCILLOR SIMMONS
MAYOR SULLIVAN
COUNCILLOR DAVIS

RESOLVED: That the Cambridge City Council go on record in support of SCM Transportation; and be it further

RESOLVED: That the City Clerk be and hereby is requested to forward a suitably engrossed copy of this resolution to Cambridge legislative delegation on behalf of the entire City Council.

O-33 October 17, 2005

COUNCILLOR SIMMONS
MAYOR SULLIVAN
COUNCILLOR DAVIS

ORDERED: That the City Manager be and hereby is requested to instruct the Commissioner of Public Works to fix the slide at Columbia Park.

O-34 October 17, 2005

COUNCILLOR SIMMONS
MAYOR SULLIVAN

ORDERED: That the City Manager be and hereby is requested to investigate hiring a full time exterminator.

O-35 October 17, 2005

COUNCILLOR SIMMONS
MAYOR SULLIVAN

ORDERED: That the Office of the Mayor, Massachusetts Institute of Technology and the Neighborhood Associations plan, implement and organize a neighborhood information meeting regarding the safety aspects of the nuclear reactor.

O-36 October 17, 2005

MAYOR SULLIVAN

ORDERED: That the City Manager be and hereby is requested to take steps necessary to inform the public about the "Heat Wrap" program.

O-37 October 17, 2005

COUNCILLOR DAVIS
MAYOR SULLIVAN
COUNCILLOR SIMMONS
COUNCILLOR TOOMEY
COUNCILLOR MURPHY

ORDERED: That the City Manager be and hereby is requested to investigate and report on how Cambridge can own and operate its own power transmission facility or municipal power company.

O-38 October 17, 2005

COUNCILLOR DAVIS
COUNCILLOR MURPHY

ORDERED: That the City Manager be and is hereby requested to direct the Directors of Traffic, Parking and Transportation to confer with the Police Commissioner to analyze the Inman Street/Massachusetts Avenue intersection and to draft a plan to prevent red light running at this and other key intersections; be it further

ORDERED: That the plan provide for the increased distribution of the "Points of Safety" cards to prevent red light running and other infractions; and be it further

ORDERED: That the City Manager be and hereby is requested to forward the above plan to the Transportation, Traffic and Parking Committee together with a report on prevention efforts for bikes on the sidewalk.

O-39 October 17, 2005

COUNCILLOR TOOMEY

ORDERED: That the Community Development Department and the Co-Chairs of the Ordinance Committee form an ad hoc group including business owners, property owners and residents to discuss retail stores.

O-40 October 17, 2005

COUNCILLOR SIMMONS

ORDERED: That the City Manager be and hereby is requested to work with the CHA to get more information on the rent simplification process; and be it further

ORDERED: That the CHA provide this information to the City Council, Council on Aging, and all appropriate agencies who have residents that would be affected by this process.