

## **CITY MANAGER'S AGENDA**

1. Transmitting communication from Robert W. Healy, City Manager, relative to the City's Credit Rating.
2. Transmitting communication from Robert W. Healy, City Manager, relative to the appointment of Mary P. Hart, 10 Oak Hill Drive, Arlington, as the Director of MIS.
3. Transmitting communication from Robert W. Healy, City Manager, relative to the appointment of Jason Weeks, 6 Sudbury Street, Maynard, as the Exec. Dir. of the Arts Council.
4. Transmitting communication from Robert W. Healy, City Manager, relative to the appointment of the following persons as members of the Library Board of Trustees:  
Patricia C. Payne, 931 Mass. Ave., Cambridge  
James Roosevelt, Jr. 14 Meadow Way, Cambridge
5. Transmitting communication from Robert W. Healy, City Manager, relative to the appointment of the following persons as members of the Police Review & Advisory Board:  
Leslie English, 99 Allston Street, Cambridge  
Tira Khan, 3 St. Paul Street, Cambridge  
Carleen Tracy, 38 Fulkerson Street, Cambridge  
Jonathan Chapman, 22 Everett Street, Cambridge
6. Transmitting communication from Robert W. Healy, City Manager, relative to the appointment of the following persons as Constables for a term of three years, effective the first day of January, 2002:  
Gerard Jodrey, 1 Devonshire Place, Boston  
Robert Patterson, 634 Huron Avenue, Cambridge  
Richard Medeiros, 75 Hillside Road, Tewksbury  
Leonard Silva, 56 Russell Street, Charlestown  
Michael Stone, 12 Michael Way, Cambridge  
Sydney Cox, 76 Temple Drive, Methuen  
William Medeiros, 47 Edgewater Avenue, Shrewsbury  
Jean M. Rogers, 2 River Street Place, Lynn
7. Transmitting communication from Robert W. Healy, City Manager, relative to Awaiting Report Item Number 01-256, regarding a report on the procedures used to increase the fines for parking meter violations.
8. Transmitting communication from Robert W. Healy, City Manager, relative to a Jitney License application for M & L Transit System, Inc.
9. Transmitting communication from Robert W. Healy, City Manager, relative to Awaiting Report Item Number 01-197, regarding a report on public toilet access.
10. Transmitting communication from Robert W. Healy, City Manager, relative to a transfer of \$7,500 in the General Fund from the Police Department Salary & Wages Account to the Travel & Training Account to cover increased tuition reimbursements in accordance with the new Police Patrol Officers Association collective bargaining agreement.
11. Transmitting communication from Robert W. Healy, City Manager, relative to an appropriation of \$200,000 from interest earnings in the Cemetery Perpetual Care Fund to the Public Investment Fund Public Works Extraordinary Expenditures Account to provide funds for the restoration of the ornamental iron fence at the Cambridge Cemetery.
12. Transmitting communication from Robert W. Healy, City Manager, relative to an appropriation of \$75 in funds received from the Mass Office of Disability to the Grant Fund Human Services Other Ordinary Maintenance Account to cover costs related to the Community Access Monitor Training Program.
13. Transmitting communication from Robert W. Healy, City Manager, relative to an appropriation of \$189 from the Canobie Lake Park Corporation to the Grant Fund DHSP Other Ordinary Maintenance Account to provide funds to enable the Special Needs Program of the Recreation Division to purchase operating supplies.
14. Transmitting communication from Robert W. Healy, City Manager, relative to an appropriation of \$1,000 in funds received by the Camb. Prevention Coalition from its sponsorship of life skills training and other training activities to the Grant Fund DHSP Salary & Wages Acct. to provide funds to cover a portion of the cost of the Director of the Cambridge Prevention Coalition's salary.
15. Transmitting communication from Robert W. Healy, City Manager, relative to an appropriation of \$5,000 from the Cambridge Health Alliance to the Grant Fund DHSP Other Ordinary Maintenance Account to provide funds to enable the Cambridge Prevention Coalition to cover a portion of the cost of student health surveys for Cambridge high school students.
16. Transmitting communication from Robert W. Healy, City Manager, relative to Awaiting Report Item Number 01-255, regarding a report on Section 8 certificates and vouchers.
17. Transmitting communication from Robert W. Healy, City Manager, relative to the summary of the Community Meeting held by the City Manager regarding the Pedestrian and Service Tunnel beneath Cambridge Street.
18. Transmitting communication from Robert W. Healy, City Manager, relative to the appointment of the following persons as Constables Without Power for a term of three years, effective the first day of January, 2002:  
Carlos Ayala, 24 Athelwold Street, #1, Boston, MA  
George Pantous, 229 Pine Grove Dr., Brockton, MA

19. Transmitting communication from Robert W. Healy, City Manager, relative to a transfer of \$75,068 from the General Fund Employee Benefits (Salary Adjustment) Salary & Wages Account to the Election Commission Other Ordinary Maintenance Account to cover costs associated with the ballot question, recount and postage.

**Note:** This includes the following costs for the recent School Committee Recount:

Counters \$26,890  
Auditor (62 hours @ \$27.50/hr) \$1,705  
Choice Plus Pro Consultant (81.5 hours @ \$25/hr) \$2,038  
Constable (3 Summons @ \$32 per Summons) \$96  
Lunches for Staff \$4,965  
Rental of tables and chairs \$560  
Rental of stanchions for guard rail \$525  
Printing ballot replicas \$1,000  
Supplies for recount \$730

**Sub-total \$38,509**

*Counters (22) worked 2069 regular hours @ \$10.75/hour=\$22,241.75 and 288 overtime hours @ 16.13=\$4,645.44.*

#### **ON THE TABLE**

1. Landmark Designation Study Report for Shady Hill Square, 1-11 Shady Hill Square and 36 Holden Street.
2. Committee Report #1 of April 23, 2001 regarding a meeting held on March 27, 2001 for the purpose of discussing whether a zoning prohibition of lodging houses in Residence C and C-1 zoning districts is consistent with the City's goal of promoting affordable housing.
3. Landmark Designation Study Report for designating as a protected landmark the Tulip Tree at 1436 and 1446 Cambridge Street.
4. An order introduced by Councillor Decker regarding increasing the Affordable Housing Trust by at least one million dollars.
5. Committee Report #2 of September 10, 2001 regarding the progress made on improving the condition of the housing at Fresh Pond Apartments.
6. Committee Report #3 of September 24, 2001 regarding the roundtable-working meeting with representatives of tenants and owners of Fresh Pond Apartments and regulatory agencies to follow up on the prior hearing on the condition of the housing and related matters.
7. Consent Agenda #5 relative to Awaiting Report #01-218 of October 15, 2001 regarding a report on issues surrounding the gas station at the corner of Walden Street and Concord Avenue.
8. Applications and Petitions #1 of October 1, 2001 on an application from US Petroleum/Cambridge Auto Clinic requesting permission for a sign at the premises numbered

297 Concord Avenue on the Concord Avenue side. Approval has been received from Inspection Services and Community Development. (This is a pre-existing sign.)

9. Applications and Petitions #2 of October 1, 2001 on an application US Petroleum/Cambridge Auto Clinic requesting permission for a sign at the premises numbered 297 Concord Avenue on the Walden Street side. Approval has been received from Inspection Services and Community Development. (This is a pre-existing sign.)
10. Consent Agenda #1 of October 15, 2001 on a preliminary report regarding an offer from Harvard University to purchase an easement below Cambridge Street that represents the conclusion of a 5-year process relating to the construction of the Center for Government and Institutional Studies project.
11. Order #19 of October 29, 2001 on providing the City Council with an Action Plan that addresses the loss of the 28th Middlesex Seat currently held by Representative Jarrett Barrios.
12. Order #12 of December 3, 2001 to amend Rule 2 of the Rules of the City Council regarding Mayor selection.

#### **UNFINISHED BUSINESS**

13. Proposed amendment to the Zoning Ordinance to amend zoning in the Cambridgeport area in Special 8 (SD8) to create new SD 8 and SD8A. The question comes on passing to be ordained on or after October 29, 2001. This petition expires December 24, 2001.
14. Proposed amendment to the Zoning Ordinance to amend zoning regarding the regulation of storage and mechanical space in residential buildings. The question comes on passing to be ordained on or after November 12, 2001. This petition expires February 26, 2002.

#### **APPLICATIONS AND PETITIONS**

1. An application was received from Kate Field, requesting a curb cut at the premises numbered 361-363 Concord Avenue; said petition has received approval from Inspectional Services, Traffic, Parking and Transportation, Historical and Public Works Departments. Two responses have been received from neighborhood associations approving the curb cut.
2. An application was received from Reuben Dottin, Jr., requesting a curb cut at the premises numbered 30 Elmer Street; said petition has received approval from Inspectional Services, Traffic, Parking and Transportation, Historical and Public Works Departments. One response has been received from neighborhood associations approving the curb cut.

3. An application was received from the Hotel at MIT, requesting permission for an awning at the premises numbered 20 Sidney Street. Approval has been received from Inspectional Services, Community Development Departments and abutters.
4. An application was received from River Gods Food & Spirits, requesting permission for a sign at the premises numbered 125 River Street. (This is a preexisting sign.) Approval has been received from Inspectional Services, Community Development Departments and abutters.
5. An application was received from First Choice Realty, requesting permission for a sign at the premises numbered 1648 Massachusetts Avenue. Approval has been received from Inspectional Services, Community Development Departments and abutters.

#### **CONSENT COMMUNICATIONS**

1. A communication was received from Deborah L. McCutcheon, regarding the Office of Watershed Management.
2. A communication was received from Bob Durand, The Commonwealth of Massachusetts, Executive Office of Environmental Affairs, regarding the completion of the buildout analysis for the City of Cambridge.
3. A communication was received from Joseph E. Connarton, Executive Director, Public Employee Retirement Administration Commission, regarding the Required Fiscal Year 2003 Appropriation.

#### **RESOLUTIONS**

1. Resolution on the death of Edward L. Cauchon. Councillor Sullivan and entire membership
2. Congratulations and appreciation to Robert W. Healy, City Manager, and his staff on the occasion of the City of Cambridge receiving another AAA Bond rating. Councillor Sullivan and entire membership
3. Resolution on the death of William J. Walsh. Vice Mayor Maher, Mayor Galluccio, Councillors Sullivan, Toomey and entire membership
4. Resolution on the death of Eleanor Salvia. Mayor Galluccio, Councillor Toomey and entire membership
5. Resolution on the death of Magdalia Rivera. Vice Mayor Maher, Councillors Sullivan, Toomey and entire membership
6. Resolution on the death of the Terese O'Neil. Mayor Galluccio, Councillor Toomey and entire membership
7. Congratulations to the City of Cambridge and SEA Consultants, Inc./Montgomery-Watson-Hazra Team who have been selected as winners

- of the American Council of Engineering Companies of Massachusetts 2002 Engineering Excellence Awards. Mayor Galluccio and entire membership
8. Urge City of Cambridge employees to be cognizant of the blood donation drive on January 11, 2001 from 12:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m. at the Cambridge Senior Center. Mayor Galluccio and entire membership
9. Resolution on the death of Jeremiah J. Spilewski. Councillors Sullivan, Toomey and entire membership
10. Resolution on the death of Lorraine C. Lynch. Councillor Sullivan, Vice Mayor Maher, Councillor Toomey and entire membership
11. Speedy recovery wishes to Modestino Iannaco. Councillor Sullivan and entire membership
12. Resolution on the death of Willie Mae Ogletree Robinson. Mayor Galluccio, Councillors Toomey, Reeves and entire membership
13. Resolution on the death of Ann L. Festa. Councillor Sullivan, Vice Mayor Maher, Councillor Toomey and entire membership
14. Resolution on the death of Mary B. Fields. Councillor Sullivan, Vice Mayor Maher, Councillor Toomey and entire membership
15. Resolution on the death of Anne M. McGillivary. Councillors Sullivan, Toomey and entire membership
16. Appreciation to Dr. Joseph Harrington, Chair of the Water Board, for his contribution to the construction of the water treatment plant. Councillor Sullivan and entire membership
17. Resolution on the death of David O. Rocha. Councillor Toomey and entire membership
18. Resolution on the death of Justin W. Gibson. Councillor Toomey and entire membership
19. Congratulations to the Cambridge children who contributed their artwork to the Mildred A. O'Neill Branch Library Coloring Calendar 2002. Councillor Toomey and entire membership
20. Appreciation to City Councillor Kathleen L. Born for her hard work and dedication on behalf of the citizens of Cambridge. Vice Mayor Maher, Councillors Braude, Davis, Decker, Mayor Galluccio, Councillors Reeves, Sullivan and Toomey
21. Appreciation to City Councillor Jim Braude for his hard work and dedication on behalf of the citizens of Cambridge. Councillors Davis, Born, Decker, Mayor Galluccio, Vice Mayor Maher, Councillors Reeves, Sullivan and Toomey
22. Resolution on the death of Virginia A. Dec. Councillor Sullivan and entire membership

23. Resolution on the death of Wilfred E. Robinson. Mayor Galluccio and entire membership
24. Resolution on the death of David J. Quinn. Councillor Sullivan and entire membership
25. Resolution on the death of Augusto M. Vidinha. Councillor Toomey and entire membership
26. Congratulations to Cambridge Seven on their 50th Anniversary. Councillor Born and entire membership
27. Congratulations to Sara Boyer for her new book on Central Square oral history entitled *Crossroads Stories of Central Square Cambridge, Massachusetts 1912-2000*. Vice Mayor Maher and entire membership
28. Congratulations to Leslee Klein and Michael Gondac on the birth of their second grandchild, Julia Page Sansons. Councillor Decker and entire membership
29. Best wishes to Denise Sharon Ohlson and Anthony John Pintone on their upcoming nuptials. Councillor Toomey and entire membership
30. Congratulations to Janelle and Luiz Costa on the birth of their son, Cirino Richard Costa, on November 12, 2001. Councillor Toomey and entire membership
31. Happy 60th Birthday wishes to Cecil Layne. Councillor Toomey and entire membership
32. Congratulations to all persons who have been elected to the 2002-2003 Cambridge School Committee. Councillor Reeves and entire membership
33. Thanks to the Cambridge Election Commissioners and all those who participated in the 2001 city elections and recount. Councillor Reeves and entire membership
34. City Council support of Massachusetts Community Water Watch and its January Education Week. Councillor Davis and entire membership
4. Report to the City Council on the changes to Portland Street between Main Street and Broadway where the sidewalk has been moved into what was street area, removing one travel lane, including information as to what kind of process, public notification, and safety analysis took place. Councillor Toomey
5. Issue of creation of a separate Economic Development Department and the drafting of a Municipal Code amendment be referred to the 2002 City Council for consideration. Councillor Sullivan
6. Report on how many intersections in Cambridge have traffic lights with a combined pedestrian walk cycle and green light for cars. Councillor Born
7. Remedy the dangerous situation at the Petco Store on Charles Street and First Street, where customers are parking large SUV's on the sidewalk. Councillor Braude
8. Develop a working relationship with Training Innovations, Inc. to serve the children of Cambridge. Councillor Sullivan
9. Installation of a crosswalk from Tremont Street across Broadway for the protection of pedestrians and children that use Sennott Park. Councillor Sullivan
10. Coordination of all agencies/departments to reevaluate pedestrian safety at the Alewife T stop, in particular, the crossing closest to the bike path. Councillor Decker
11. City Council support for the development of a robust town/gown planning process for long-term communication and planning for the City and its universities. Councillor Davis
12. Small Business Administration loan program for small businesses that have been affected by the events of September 11, 2001. Councillor Reeves

#### **COMMITTEE REPORTS**

1. 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 November 27, 2001 to discuss a working plan for the distribution of a final report entitled "Education and Skill for the New Economy: A Survey of Employment Trends in Cambridge, Massachusetts." (A copy of the final report is attached)

#### **COMMUNICATIONS AND REPORTS FROM CITY OFFICERS**

1. A communication was received from Mayor Anthony D. Galluccio, regarding Harvard's purchase of the Polaroid site.

#### **ORDERS**

1. All items pending before the City Council and not acted upon by the end of the 2001 Legislative Session be placed in the files of the City Clerk without prejudice and subject to recall by any member. Mayor Galluccio
2. Dedicate an appropriate location in the vicinity of Kimball Street and Columbus Avenue in honor of Antonette and Irvin Williams. Mayor Galluccio and entire membership
3. Submit proposal for Cambridge to participate in the National League of Cities' "Transitional Jobs Project: Municipal Leadership To Improve Employment Opportunities For Hard-To-Employ Individuals." Councillor Davis

2. A communication was received from Councillor Kathleen Born and Vice Mayor David Maher, Co-Chairs of the City Council Ordinance Committee, regarding Special Districts 8 and 8A Zoning.

#### **HEARING SCHEDULE**

##### **Mon, Dec 17, 2001**

5:30pm City Council Meeting (Sullivan Chamber)  
*Special Presentation on the publication of the Central Square Oral History Project Book*

##### **Mon, Jan 7, 2002**

10:00am *INAUGURAL CITY COUNCIL MEETING* (Sullivan Chamber)

##### **Mon, Jan 14, 2002**

5:30pm City Council Meeting (Sullivan Chamber)

##### **Mon, Jan 28, 2002**

5:30pm City Council Meeting (Sullivan Chamber)

##### **Mon, Feb 4, 2002**

5:30pm City Council Meeting (Sullivan Chamber)

##### **Mon, Feb 11, 2002**

5:30pm City Council Meeting (Sullivan Chamber)

##### **Mon, Feb 25, 2002**

5:30pm City Council Meeting (Sullivan Chamber)

#### **TEXT OF ORDERS**

O-1. December 17, 2001

MAYOR GALLUCCIO

ORDERED: That all items pending before the City Council and not acted upon by the end of the 2001 Legislative Session be placed in the files of the City Clerk without prejudice, subject to recall by any members, provided that those proposed ordinances which have been passed to a second reading, advertised and listed under "Unfinished Business" and further provided that any items pending in committee may, at the discretion of the committee, be forwarded to the next City Council.

O-2. December 17, 2001

MAYOR GALLUCCIO

COUNCILLOR BORN

COUNCILLOR BRAUDE

COUNCILLOR DAVIS

COUNCILLOR DECKER

VICE MAYOR MAHER

COUNCILLOR REEVES

COUNCILLOR SULLIVAN

COUNCILLOR TOOMEY

WHEREAS: Antonette and Irvin Williams have resided at 19 Kimball Street in the City of North Cambridge, Massachusetts for close to 60 years; and

WHEREAS: On July 22, 1945, Toni and Irvin were married at St. John's Church in North Cambridge

and from this union came three children: Donald, Linda, and Steven; and

WHEREAS: From these three children came four grandchildren: Michael, Leslie, Debra, and Melissa, and from these grandchildren came 2 great grandchildren: Matthew and Cameron; and

WHEREAS: Born and raised in Kentucky, Irvin enlisted in the Army in 1940 at the age of 15 and joined the many courageous individuals from across America who served at this critical moment in our nation's history. Irvin spent the next 5 ½ years in the Army and saw combat in World War II including active duty in Africa and Italy; and

WHEREAS: After settling in Cambridge, Irvin worked for Morse Body Truck Builders for approximately 40 years; and

WHEREAS: A 1939 graduate of Cambridge High & Latin, Toni held jobs at Dewey and Almy, Cambion, Honeywell, Bentley College, and Babson College; and

WHEREAS: Despite her responsibilities as an attentive mother and employee, Toni made time for community activities and served as President of the American Legion Auxiliary Post 27 for 11 years, as Den Mother in the Cub Scouts for 7 years, and was active in the Fitzgerald School Parent Teachers Association; and

WHEREAS: To this day, Toni continues to be an active member of the St. John's Church and volunteers her time playing piano in local senior housing buildings; and

WHEREAS: A lifelong resident of Cambridge, Toni grew up in the neighborhood of Western Avenue and Howard Street and has lived in Cambridge for over 80 years. Irvin has made Cambridge his adopted home, and has resided here for close to 60 years; now therefore be it

ORDERED: That the City Council go on record dedicating a square at an appropriate location in the vicinity of Kimball Street and Columbus Avenue in honor of Antonette and Irvin Williams; and be it further

ORDERED: That a suitable dedication be arranged after consultation with the Williams family.

O-3. December 17, 2001

COUNCILLOR DAVIS

WHEREAS: The National League of Cities' (NLC) Institute for Youth, Education, and Families (YEF Institute) is inviting cities with populations in excess of 50,000 to participate in NLC's *Transitional Jobs Project: Municipal Leadership To Improve Employment Opportunities For Hard-To-Employ Individuals*; and

WHEREAS: The purpose of this project is to assist municipal policymakers and program administrators who are interested in establishing transitional jobs programs as a way to help hard-to-employ individuals gain work experience and secure permanent jobs with family-supporting wages; and

WHEREAS: The centerpiece of the project is an intensive, 24-month technical assistance effort involving a group of up to ten cities. The project will help municipal leaders determine the best program model for their community and ensure that programs are designed in compliance with federal regulations. The project will also help selected cities explore federal and state funding options for the establishment of local transitional jobs programs, showcasing ways of working successfully with state and county agencies; and

WHEREAS: YEF Institute staff will work in partnership with the Transitional Jobs Network, Center for Law and Social Policy (CLASP), and Transitional Work Corporation (TWC) to provide technical assistance to selected sites; and

WHEREAS: The YEF Institute and its partners will work directly with teams from each participating city (via conference calls and site visits) to assist them as they develop and implement transitional jobs programs. In each project, representatives from the city teams will also meet on one or two occasions during the project period to promote cross-site exchanges of information and lessons learned. The YEF Institute will structure multiple opportunities for sharing of information, insights, and strategies for progress among selected sites to highlight the full range of ways in which transitional jobs can lead to permanent, high-quality employment; and

WHEREAS: Cities selected to participate in the Transitional Jobs Project will gain access to a broad range of potential benefits. These benefits include:

- Ongoing support and technical assistance from the YEF Institute and its partners in developing and implementing a transitional jobs program that meets the needs of the local population and complies with federal, state and local regulations;
- Direct access to national experts in the areas of transitional employment, workforce development, TANF policy, and assistance to the “hard-to-serve;”
- Opportunities to participate in cross-site information exchanges with other selected cities working on transitional jobs programs, including travel expenses to attend at least one meeting organized by the YEF Institute to bring representatives from each site together;

- Further opportunities to participate in the Transitional Jobs Network, a growing national network of state and local leaders currently administering transitional jobs programs; now therefore be it

ORDERED: That the City Manager be and hereby is requested to confer with the Assistant City Manager for Human Services with the view of submitting a proposal for Cambridge to participate in this program; and be it further

ORDERED: That the City Manager report back to the City Council on this matter.

O-4. December 17, 2001

COUNCILLOR TOOMEY

ORDERED: That the City Manager be and hereby is requested to report to the City Council on the changes to Portland Street between Main Street and Broadway where the sidewalk has been moved into what was street area, removing one travel lane; said report to include information as to what kind of process, public notification, and safety analysis took place.

O-5. December 17, 2001

COUNCILLOR SULLIVAN

WHEREAS: There have been three orders adopted by the City Council relating to the establishment of an Economic Development Department; and

WHEREAS: The attached three orders were adopted by the City Council on:

March 24, 1997 - Order #17

January 12, 1998 - Order #58

October 26, 1998 - Order #4

now therefore be it

ORDERED: That the issue of the creation of a separate Economic Development Department and the drafting of a Municipal Code amendment be referred to the 2002 City Council for their consideration.

O-6. December 17, 2001

COUNCILLOR BORN

ORDERED: That the City Manager be and hereby is requested to provide a report to the City Council on how many intersections in Cambridge have traffic lights with a combined pedestrian walk cycle and green light for cars; said report to include information on whether this is a common practice in other Massachusetts cities and towns and why such combined cycle is used when it represents a clear conflict between cars and pedestrians.

O-7. December 17, 2001

COUNCILLOR BRAUDE

ORDERED: That the City Manager be and hereby is requested to confer with the Director of Traffic, Parking and Transportation and the Police Commissioner to remedy the dangerous situation at the Petco Store on Charles Street and First Street, where customers are parking large SUV's on the sidewalk.

O-8. December 17, 2001

COUNCILLOR SULLIVAN

RESOLVED: That the City Council go on record supporting the possibility of appropriate city departments developing a working relationship with Training Innovations, Inc. to serve the children of Cambridge; and be it further

RESOLVED: That the City Clerk be and hereby is requested to forward a suitably engrossed copy of this resolution to Jonathan Myers, Director of Training Innovations, Inc. on behalf of the entire City Council.

O-9. December 17, 2001

COUNCILLOR SULLIVAN

ORDERED: That the City Manager be and hereby is requested to instruct the Director of Traffic, Parking and Transportation to install a crosswalk from Tremont Street across Broadway for the protection of pedestrians and children that use Sennott Park.

O-10. December 17, 2001

COUNCILLOR DECKER

ORDERED: That the City Manager be and hereby is requested to coordinate all necessary agencies/departments to reevaluate pedestrian safety at the Alewife T stop, in particular, the crossing closest to the bike path.

O-11. December 17, 2001

COUNCILLOR DAVIS

WHEREAS: University expansion sometimes takes surprising turns; now therefore be it

RESOLVED: That the City Council go on record supporting the development of a robust town/gown planning process for long-term communication and planning for the City and its universities; and be it further

RESOLVED: That the City Council recommend to the 2002-2003 City Council that the details for a meaningful process be determined by the City Council early in 2002.

O-12. December 17, 2001

COUNCILLOR REEVES

WHEREAS: The Small Business Administration apparently has a loan program for small businesses that have been affected by the events of September 11, 2001; now therefore be it

ORDERED: That the City Council go on record requesting the City Manager to have the Economic Development staff familiarize themselves with this program and hold seminars for Cambridge small businesses so that they may benefit from the program(s).