



# City of Cambridge

R-43.

IN CITY COUNCIL

June 19, 2000

COUNCILLOR TOOMEY  
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RESOLVED: That the City Council go on record thanking Parking Control Officer Patty Renna for her diligent and sensitive performance on her duties as a public servant; and be it further

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

In City Council June 19, 2000.

Adopted by the affirmative vote of nine members.

Attest:- D. Margaret Drury, City Clerk.

A true copy;

ATTEST:-

*D. Margaret Drury*

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City Clerk

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Davis  
Decker all

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and w/A Patty

City Parking Control Officer Adds New Twist to Job

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of her duties as a public servant

6/19@ 4:05

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DAVIS Decker

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for non-hall cover

← by at Maxim

TT Res Commending

Patty Renna for rescuing a ~~person~~

a person from the fire on Bishop Allen

Drive

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### **Annual Dance Party Cancelled**

The annual Dance Party scheduled for June 23 has been cancelled due to extensive renovations taking place at City Hall over the summer. The renovations affect the exterior of the building and lawn, which is heavily utilized for this event.

### **North Cambridge Crime Task Force Safety Week**

The Cambridge Police and Fire departments will be participating in North Cambridge Crime Task Force's Safety Clinics next week at their Community Center, 325 Rindge Ave., in the parking lot of the MDC swimming pool. Join Sparky the Fire Dog and the Fire Dept. on Tuesday, June 20, from 2:30-4:30 p.m., and learn about fire safety in your home. On Wednesday, June 21, from 2:30-4:30 p.m., the Cambridge Police Dept. will go over pedestrian and car seat safety, and their RAD (Rape Aggression Defense) Training. McGruff the Crime Dog will also be on-hand. For info., call x4293.

### **Summer Reading Programs**

This summer, WIZARD READ, the Cambridge Public Library's 2000 Summer Reading Club for preschoolers to fifth-graders, will transport kids to a magical world filled with great books and fantastic programs. Special events include magic shows, a Harry Potter fair, plays, dance workshops, visits from the Museum of Science, live animals, and more! Sign-up starts on June 20 and continues throughout the summer. Kick-off parties will be held at all branches during the week of June 19. Please take your children to the branch nearest you!

CRUISE!, the library's summer reading program for preteens and teens (6th Grade and Up) will also be starting up next week. They can stop by the library on June 20 (or any day throughout the summer) to sign in. Then they read for the fun of it --- and earn raffle tickets for prizes that will be given out at the GALA PARTY on August 31 at the Central Square Branch Library.

### **Police Dept. Inspects Infant Car Seats for Safety**

Did you know that 80 percent of all infant car seats are not installed properly? The Governor's Highway Safety Bureau recently awarded a grant to the Police Dept. to enforce seatbelt and child passenger safety laws. Officers David Szeto and Victor Martignetti have been trained in this area and will be available to inspect infant seats and ensure that they are properly installed. Call x4365 to set up an appointment, or e-mail [dszeto@ps.ci.cambridge.ma.us](mailto:dszeto@ps.ci.cambridge.ma.us).

### **City Parking Control Officer Adds New Twist to Job**

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## LATE ORDER/RESOLUTION

MEETING OF \_\_\_\_\_

SPONSOR (S) \_\_\_\_\_

*Dan's  
Decker*

## ORDER

ORDERED: That the City Manager be and hereby is requested to:

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## RESOLUTION

RESOLVED: That the City Council go on record extending its:

*Congratulations + Thanks to  
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**Resolution #43**

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**Councillors Toomey, Davis,  
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**ORDER ADOPTED**