

WELLINGTON-HARRINGTON CITIZENS COMMITTEE
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October 28, 1975

Mr. James L. Sullivan
City Manager
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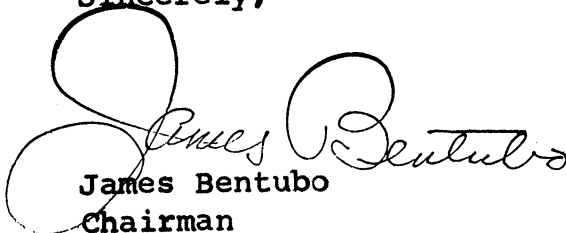
Dear Mr. Sullivan:

The Wellington-Harrington Citizens Committee would like to congratulate you and your staff on your success in reducing the City's tax rate. This is truly a commendable achievement in view of the fiscal crises which other cities are now facing and the cutbacks in federal funding which Cambridge has been experiencing.

As you know, the escalating tax rate has been one of the causes of the serious exodus of low and moderate income families, both homeowners and tenants, from our City over the past few years. Hopefully this tax reduction, along with other neighborhood stabilization efforts the City has undertaken under the Community Development Block Grant Program, will begin to reverse this exodus and allow Cambridge's families to continue to live in this City.

Thank you again for this remarkable achievement and for your continuing efforts on behalf of the City.

Sincerely,



James Bentubo
Chairman

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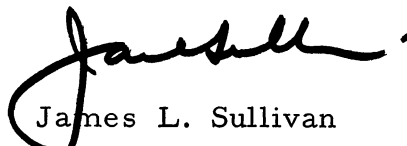
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT
JAMES L. SULLIVAN
City Manager

November 3, 1975

To the Honorable, the City Council:

I transmit herewith a self-explanatory communication
from James Bentubo, Chairman of the Wellington-
Harrington Citizens Committee, for your information.

Very truly yours,


James L. Sullivan
City Manager

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Congratulations to the City Manager from the
Wellington-Harrington Citizens Committee
for reducing the City's tax rate.

In City Council,

Nov. 3, 1975

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