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CITY OF CAMBRIDGE

CITY HALL, CAMBRIDGE, MASSACHUSETTS 02139 • (617) 498-9017

February 13, 1986

Mr. Sam Mygatt
MEPA Unit
Mass. Executive Office of Environmental Affairs
100 Cambridge Street
Boston, Massachusetts 02202

Dear Sir:

Pursuant to the request of the Cambridge City Council, I am forwarding to you a copy of the enclosed resolution as adopted by the Council at its regular meeting of Monday, February 3, 1986. Said resolution recording the Council's support for the immediate release of information with regard to a draft EIR being prepared by consultants for Forest City/MIT for the 26-acre Simplex development area.

Your very kind attention in this matter will be greatly appreciated.

Very truly yours,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, reading "Paul E. Healy", is written over a horizontal line.

Paul E. Healy, City Clerk.

PEH/mh

Enclosure: City Council Order No. 11 of 2/3/86



City of Cambridge

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IN CITY COUNCIL

COUNCILLOR WOLF

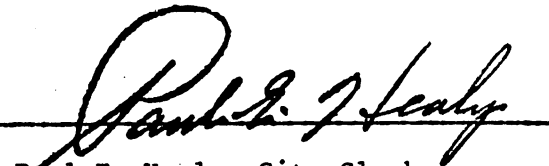
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- WHEREAS:** Residents report that said consultants have failed to comply with the scope of work mandated by the MEPA unit of the Executive Office of Environmental Affairs as it pertains to meetings with the neighborhood, business and city representatives; and
- WHEREAS:** This failure could result in an inability of the affected community to participate constructively in the draft EIR process, in particular to be able to respond in the short period of 30 days as required by law; and
- WHEREAS:** It is essential that all Cambridge residents be aware of various potential environmental impacts, so that the information to make informed and reasonable trade-offs is available; therefore, be it
- RESOLVED:** That the City Council go on record as supporting the immediate release of preliminary information that would put the neighborhood and City in a position to comment effectively on the draft EIR when it is released, as is expected in February; and be it further
- RESOLVED** That this information shall include at least:
1. a list of consultants organized by subject area;
 2. the methodology being followed by Forest City and its consultants in each environmental area;
 3. a detailed description of the reduced density alternative, including massing and use, and location of proposed buildings;
- and be it further
- RESOLVED:** That a copy of this resolution be forwarded to Forest City and to MEPA.

In City Council February 3, 1986.
Adopted by the affirmative vote of 9 members.
Attest:- Paul E. Healy , City Clerk.

A true copy;

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Forest City Enterprises
314 Dartmouth Street
Boston, MA

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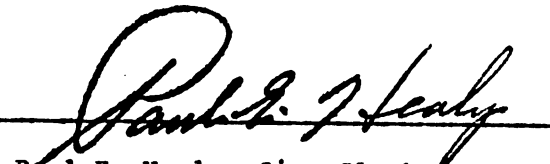
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Order #11

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C. Wolf re: resolutions recording the Council's support of the immediate release of preliminary information Re: a draft EIR for the 26-acre Simplex development area being prepared by consultants for Forest City MIT.

Copy of order with forwarding letter
sent to Sam Mygatt, MEPA Unit, Mass.
Exec. Office of Environmental Affairs +
Drew Leff, Forest City Enterprises 2/13/86 and
(copied within)

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February 3, 1986

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