



CAMBRIDGE CITY COUNCIL

CITY HALL, CAMBRIDGE, MASSACHUSETTS 02139

(617) 498-9094

David E. Sullivan
City Councillor

December 6, 1982

Joe Connarton
City Clerk's Office

Dear Joe:

If at all possible, David would like to have a resolution included in the package for tonight's city council meeting. A constituent in his neighborhood passed away this weekend, and he would like him to be commemorated.

I'm not sure how the form for these things runs, so I'm giving you the information which his neighbor would like to see included:

John Petropoulos/ 51 Ellery St.

--Lived in Cambridge all his life, member of a prominent Greek family.

--Attended Cambridge public schools.

--Taught at Buckingham, Brown & Nichols for 14 years.

--Secretary of the Greek church in Central Square (I'm sorry neither she nor I knew the name).

--Well-known ceramicist and potter, had a studio on Ellery St. Attended the Museum School.

--Leaves a wife, Jean, and two daughters, aged seven and twelve.

--Untimely death leaves many grieved.

Thanks very much for your attention to this. I'm sorry for the short notice.

If you have any questions, please call me at work this afternoon (547-4474).

Sincerely,

Mary Babic
Aide to Councillor David Sullivan



City of Cambridge

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IN CITY COUNCIL

December 6, 1982

COUNCILLOR DAVID SULLIVAN

- WHEREAS: This City Council was saddened upon learning of the death of John Petropoulos, former life-long Cantabrigian and member of a prominent Greek family; and
- WHEREAS: John was a teacher at the Brown and Nichols School for fourteen years, where his love and devotion for children was clearly evident, making his work truly a joy; and
- WHEREAS: John was extremely active in church affairs, holding the position of Secretary to Saint Constantine and Helen Greek Orthodox Church, where he worked diligently for many years; and
- WHEREAS: John's second love was his pottery and ceramics, having attended the Museum School and maintaining a studio at his home on Ellery Street; now therefore be it
- RESOLVED: That this City Council go on record extending its deep sympathy to Mrs. Jean Petropoulos and her two lovely daughters at this time of such personal loss; and be it further
- RESOLVED: That the City Clerk be and hereby is requested to forward a suitably engrossed copy of this resolution to Mrs. Petropoulos on behalf of the entire City Council.

In City Council December 6, 1982.
Adopted by the affirmative vote of 8 members.
Attest:- Paul E. Healy, City Clerk.

A true copy;

ATTEST:-

A handwritten signature in dark ink, reading "Paul E. Healy". The signature is stylized with a large, flowing "P" and "H".

Order # 8

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C.D. Sullivan, re: resolutions on John
Petrooulos.

In City Council,

December 6, 1982

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