



City of Cambridge

13.
IN CITY COUNCIL

December 20, 1976

COUNCILLOR GRAHAM

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- WHEREAS: Mrs. Buzzelle was the daughter of James A. Lew, the first black to serve on the Cambridge School Committee, and
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- WHEREAS: Mrs. Buzzelle was interested and active in many civic affairs including her membership in the Descendents of the Early American Negroes and the Equal Rights League as well as the Cambridge Women's G.O.P. Club, the League of Women for Community Service and the Federated Women's Club of Boston, now therefore be it
- RESOLVED: That this City Council go on record extending our deep sympathy to the family of Mrs. Adelaide Buzzelle at this time of sorrow, and be it further
- RESOLVED: That the City Clerk be and hereby is requested to forward a suitably engrossed copy of this resolution to the family of Mrs. Buzzelle as an expression of our sympathy.

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Adopted by the affirmative vote of 8 members.
Attest: Paul E. Healy, City Clerk

A true copy,

ATTEST:

A handwritten signature in cursive script, reading "Paul E. Healy".



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Order #13

S-587

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