



City of Cambridge

18.

IN CITY COUNCIL

April 3, 1995

COUNCILLOR TOOMEY
COUNCILLOR BORN
COUNCILLOR DUEHAY
COUNCILLOR GALLUCCIO
COUNCILLOR MYERS
VICE MAYOR RUSSELL
COUNCILLOR SULLIVAN
COUNCILLOR TRIANTAFILLOU

WHEREAS: The friends of the late Silverio "Sil" Ferreira will be hosting the first annual ice hockey tournament in his memory on the weekend of April 8th at the Simoni Rink in East Cambridge; and

WHEREAS: Sil coached in the Youth Hockey Program for some twenty-five years and served as Cambridge Rindge and Latin Head Varsity Coach for some ten years; and

WHEREAS: Sil was dedicated to his players both on and off the ice instilling them with ideals such as good sportsmanship, fair play and competitiveness; now therefore be it

RESOLVED: That this City Council go on record urging the citizenry to be cognizant of and participate in this worthy event; 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 organizers on behalf of the entire City Council.

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Adopted by the affirmative vote of eight members.

Attest:- D. Margaret Drury, City Clerk.

A true copy;

ATTEST:- *D. Margaret Drury*

D. Margaret Drury
City Clerk

April 3, 1995

Councillor Toomey

Whereas: The Friends of the late Silveiro "Sil" Ferreira will be hosting the first annual ice hockey tournament in his memory on the weekend of April 7th at the Simon Rink in East Cambridge; and

Whereas: Sil coached in the Youth Hockey Program for some twenty-five years and served as Cambridge Rindge and Latin High Varsity Coach for some ten years; and

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Resolved: That this City Council go on record urging the citizenry to be cognizant of and participate in this worthy endeavor; and be it further

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Perry L. Anderson Jr.
Police Commissioner

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Robert W. Healy
City Manager

March 20, 1995

Commissioner David Balfour
20 Somerset Street
Boston, MA 02108

Dear Commissioner,

In November of 1994, the friends and Family of Cambridge Youth Hockey were dealt a great blow with the sudden passing of Coach Sil Ferreira. As you may know, Sil coached in the City for over 25 years - as well as being the C.R.L.S varsity coach for over 10 of these years. During this period, Sil devoted a great deal of his personal time to teach the kids of Cambridge how to play the game of hockey. He took pride in all of his teams and players, just as if they were family. To many kids, Sil became a father figure.

Since his death, I have received many requests to organize a tribute in memory of Sil. At this time, we are attempting to organize a "Beanpot" type hockey tournament. The purpose of this event would be two-fold. While providing an excellent way for friends to remember Sil, it would also raise some money to help Sil's family with the financial burden caused by his untimely passing.

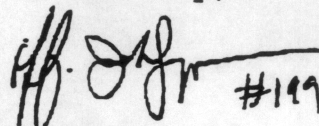
I realize that time is not on our side, not to mention that ice time is very limited. I am also aware that the Simoni Rink is scheduled to close on April 8, 1995. With this in mind, I am checking on the possibility of your allowing the rink to stay open for several extra hours on Sunday April 9th to hold this event. I would also be requesting the possibility of any type of reduction or donation of ice fees. If either of these requests are not possible, I would welcome any suggestions that you may have.

As a member of the Cambridge Police Department and a former player on several of Sil's teams, I have seen what his dedication and commitment has done for the youth of Cambridge. He not only



has created many good hockey players, but more importantly has molded many children into upstanding adults. In closing, I feel this event would revive many good memories of Sil, as well help his family in his untimely passing. On behalf of the friends and family of Sil Ferreira, I would like to thank you in advance for your consideration in this matter, and would greatly appreciate any assistance you could offer.

Respectfully,

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read "Off. John Lopes" followed by a stylized flourish and the number "#119".

Off. John Lopes
Safety Officer
Cambridge Police Dept.
5 Western Avenue
Cambridge, MA 02139



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Born, Duchay, Galluccio, Myers
Russell, Sullivan, Trantafillou

Consent Order #18

R-291

Councillor Toomey re: First Annual
Ice Hockey Tournament in the memory
Silverio "Sil" Ferreira to be held
on April 8, 1995.

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Order adopted.