



# City of Cambridge

13.

**IN CITY COUNCIL**  
November 2, 1998

COUNCILLOR SULLIVAN  
COUNCILLOR BORN  
COUNCILLOR DAVIS  
MAYOR DUEHAY  
COUNCILLOR REEVES  
COUNCILLOR RUSSELL  
COUNCILLOR TOOMEY  
COUNCILLOR TRIANTAFILLOU

WHEREAS: There have been council order filed in recent years on properties that create a community nuisance, including possible illegal activity; and

WHEREAS: These properties are a concern of all who live and work in the area; and

WHEREAS: The City of Waltham has been conducting a program that brings together realtors, property owners, police officers (including narcotics), community members and building and sanitary code enforcement officers; and

WHEREAS: This effort has included training for participants, including relevant areas of the law; and

WHEREAS: This effort has resulted in a number of successes and the improvement of the quality of life; and

WHEREAS: This program recognizes that only together make a difference; now therefore be it

ORDERED: That the City Manger be and hereby is requested to provide the City Council's Public Safety Committee with a proposal (similar to Waltham's) to develop a program that will bring property owners, police (including narcotics), community members, building and sanitary inspectors in order to attack properties that are creating nuisances and/or illegal activity.

In City Council November 2, 1998.  
Adopted by the affirmative vote of nine members.  
Attest:- D. Margaret Drury, City Clerk.

A true copy;

ATTEST:-

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City Clerk



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Consent Order #13

Councillor Sullivan re: develop a  
program on properties that create  
a community nuisance.

In City Council November 2, 1998

**ORDER ADOPTED**