



City of Cambridge

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IN CITY COUNCIL

April 3, 2000

MAYOR GALLUCCIO
 COUNCILLOR BORN
 COUNCILLOR BRAUDE
 COUNCILLOR DAVIS
 COUNCILLOR DECKER
 VICE MAYOR MAHER
 COUNCILLOR REEVES
 COUNCILLOR SULLIVAN
 COUNCILLOR TOOMEY

WHEREAS: It has come to the attention of this City Council that workers hired by the Cambridge Election Commission to staff voting sites on March 7, 2000 for the Presidential Primaries have not yet been paid; and

WHEREAS: Many of the individuals who do this work for the Election Commission are elderly and on low and fixed incomes, using the pay for working elections to supplement their incomes and improve their lives; and

WHEREAS: Hiring workers to staff voting sites has been a problem some years, affecting the conduct of elections in Cambridge; and

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In City Council April 3, 2000.
 Adopted by the affirmative vote of nine members.
 Attest:- D. Margaret Drury, City Clerk.

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Mayor Galluccio

In City Council April 3, 2000

ORDER ADOPTED