



City of Cambridge

R-140.

IN CITY COUNCIL

July 31, 2000

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

WHEREAS: It has come to the attention of this City Council that Kevin Fitzgerald has retired from the Fire Department effective July 27, 2000; and

WHEREAS: Kevin was appointed to the Fire Department on September 10, 1961 and assigned to Engine Company 5; and

WHEREAS: On May 23, 1963 Kevin was assigned to Ladder Company 1; and

WHEREAS: Kevin was promoted to Fire Lieutenant on March 15, 1967 and assigned to Company 6, and transferred to Engine Company 5 on March 17, 1968; and

WHEREAS: On March 5, 1973 Kevin was elevated to Acting Captain and assigned to the Reserve Company where he was subsequently promoted to Captain on May 21, 1972; and

WHEREAS: Kevin was transferred to Aerial Tower I on June 20, 1976; and

WHEREAS: On February 6, 1980 Kevin was promoted to Deputy Chief of the Arson Squad; and

WHEREAS: Kevin was transferred to the Firefighting Division, Group 3 on July 18, 1982; and

WHEREAS: On December 1, 1985 Kevin became the Property Officer; and

WHEREAS: On March 6, 1988 Kevin was transferred to Division II, Group I; and

WHEREAS: On April 1, 1991 Kevin was promoted to Fire Chief, the position from which he retired, and at the time of his retirement Kevin was the senior member of the Department; now therefore be it

RESOLVED: That this City Council go on record expressing its appreciation to Kevin Fitzgerald for his thirty-eight years of dedicated service to the citizens and to the City of Cambridge and wish him much happiness in his retirement; and be it further

RESOLVED: That the City Clerk be and hereby is requested to forward a suitably engrossed copy of this resolution to Chief Kevin Fitzgerald on behalf of the entire City Council.

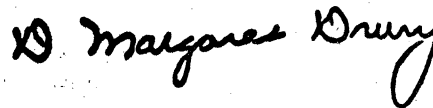
In City Council July 31, 2000.

Adopted by the affirmative vote of nine members.

Attest:- D. Margaret Drury, City Clerk.

A true copy;

ATTEST:-

A handwritten signature in black ink, reading "D. Margaret Drury". The signature is written in a cursive style with a large, stylized "D" and "M".

D. Margaret Drury
City Clerk

to replace text of
R-140 - 7/31

WHEREAS: It has come to the attention of this City Council that

Kevin Fitzgerald has ~~or will~~ retire d
from the FIRE Dept. Department effective
July 27, 2000; and

WHEREAS: Kevin WAS appointed to the FIRE Dept ON Sept. 10, 1961 and assigned to
Engine Company 5; and

Whereas: ON MAY 23, 1963 Kevin WAS Assigned to Ladder Company 1; And
Whereas Kevin WAS promoted to Fire Lieutenant on MARCH 15, 1967 And
Assigned to Company 6; and transferred to Engine Company 5 ON MARCH 17,
1968; and

WHEREAS: ON March 5, 1972 Kevin WAS elevated to Acting Captain And Assigned
to the Rescue Company where he was subsequently promoted to
Capt. on MAY 21, 1972; and
_____; now ~~therefore~~ be

it

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RESOLVED: That this City Council go on record expressing its appreciation to
Kevin Fitzgerald for his/~~her~~ many years of dedicated
service to the citizens and to the City of Cambridge and wish him/~~her~~ much
happiness in his/~~her~~ retirement; and be it further

RESOLVED: That the City Clerk be and hereby is requested to forward a suitably engrossed
copy of this resolution to Kevin Fitzgerald on behalf oof
the entire City Council.

Whereas: Kevin WAS transferred to Aerial Tower I on June 20, 1976; and
Whereas: ON Feb 6, 1980 Kevin WAS promoted to Deputy Chief of the arson Squad;
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Whereas: ON Dec 1, 1985 Kevin became the Property Officer; and
Whereas: ON March 6, 1988 Kevin WAS transferred to Division II, Group I; and
Whereas: ON April 1, 1991 Kevin WAS promoted to the Fire Chief the
position from which he will retire And At the time of his retirement
Kevin WAS the senior member of the Dept; now therefore be it

FIRE HEADQUARTERS
CAMBRIDGE, MASSACHUSETTS

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2000 July 27, 2000
CAMBRIDGE, MASSACHUSETTS

GENERAL ORDER NO. 38, Series of 2000

TO THE COMMANDING OFFICER

Subject: **CHIEF KEVIN J. FITZGERALD**
Retirement – Effective July 27, 2000, 1730 Hours

Effective 1730 Hours, July 27, 2000, Chief Kevin J. Fitzgerald will retire. At the time of his retirement Chief Fitzgerald was the senior member of the Cambridge Fire Department in years of service. He was appointed to the Cambridge Fire Department and assigned to Engine Company 5 on September 10, 1961. His other assignments are as follows:

May 23, 1963	to	Ladder Company 1
March 15, 1967	to	Promoted to Fire Lieutenant, Engine Company 6
March 17, 1968	to	Engine Company 5
March 5, 1972	to	Acting Captain, Rescue Company
May 21, 1972	to	Promoted to Captain, Rescue Company
June 20, 1976	to	Aerial Tower 1
February 6, 1980	to	Promoted to Deputy Chief, Arson Squad
July 18, 1982	to	Firefighting Division , Group 3
December 1, 1985	to	Property Officer
March 6, 1988	to	Division II, Group I
April 1, 1991	to	Promoted to Chief of Department

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July 27, 2000

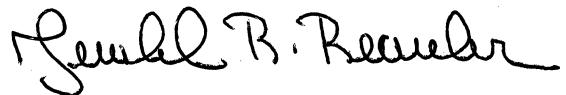
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Chief Fitzgerald was commended four times during his career first in General Order #29 of 1979 for assistance offered at Box 784 while off duty; from the Department of State on April 1, 1982 for his assistance during the investigation of the bombing of the Honorary Turkish Counsel on March 22, 1982; in General Order #28 of 1984 for outstanding work as Chief Investigator of the Arson Squad in obtaining convictions concerning arson fire of March 22, 1984; and again in General Order #13 of 1990 for outstanding service in fire suppression on June 10, 1990.

We wish Chief Fitzgerald good health and much enjoyment in his retirement.

Please see that each member is present for a reading of this order.

Per order,



Acting Chief of Department

Read & Initial

Gr. 1 _____
Gr. 2 _____
Gr. 3 _____
Gr. 4 _____

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Council's follow up
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to be prepared

propose possible resolution on
the retirement of Chief
Koun Fitzgerald.

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RESOLVED: That the City Clerk be and hereby is requested to prepare a resolution on the retirement of Chief Kevin Fitzgerald.

In City Council July 31, 2000.

Adopted by the affirmative vote of nine members.

Attest:- D. Margaret Drury, City Clerk.

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A handwritten signature in cursive script, reading "D. Margaret Drury".

D. Margaret Drury
City Clerk



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Resolution #140

Resolution on the retirement of
Chief Kevin Fitzgerald
**Councillor Sullivan and entire
membership**

In City Council July 31, 2000

ORDER ADOPTED