



City of Cambridge

R-5.

IN CITY COUNCIL

October 25, 2004

MAYOR SULLIVAN
COUNCILLOR DAVIS
VICE MAYOR DECKER
COUNCILLOR GALLUCCIO
COUNCILLOR MAHER
COUNCILLOR MURPHY
COUNCILLOR REEVES
COUNCILLOR SIMMONS
COUNCILLOR TOOMEY

- WHEREAS: The mission of the Benevolent Protective Order of Elks is: To inculcate the principles of Charity, Justice, Brotherly Love and Fidelity; to recognize a belief in God; to promote the welfare and enhance the happiness of its Members; to quicken the spirit of American patriotism; to cultivate good fellowship; to perpetuate itself as a fraternal organization, and to provide for its government, the Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks of the United States of America will serve the people and communities through benevolent programs, demonstrating that *Elks Care and Elks Share*; and
- WHEREAS: The motto of the Elks is "The Faults of our Members we write upon the Sand...Their Virtues upon the Tablets of Love and Memory;" and
- WHEREAS: The first Sunday in December is Elks Memorial Sunday - the day when each Lodge honors their departed members and demonstrates that an Elk is never forgotten, never forsaken; and
- WHEREAS: This reverent ceremony has been observed in Elk Lodges since 1889. It is the time when we gather in celebration of their lives and accomplishments, to reaffirm that their virtues are written upon the tablets of Love and Memory; and
- WHEREAS: The Annual Memorial Sunday Services for the Watertown Lodge #1513 will take place on December 5, 2004 beginning at 11:00 a.m.; now therefore be it
- RESOLVED: That this City Council go on record extending its thoughts and prayers to the Brother Members and family of the entire departed membership and thank the Elks for all the charitable works; 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 Watertown Elks on behalf of the entire City Council.

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Adopted by the affirmative vote of six members.

Attest:- D. Margaret Drury, City Clerk.

A true copy;
ATTEST:-

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

D. Margaret Drury
City Clerk

RESOLUTION #5

Thoughts and prayers to the
members of the Benevolent
Protective Order of Elks at the
Annual Memorial Sunday Service
for the Watertown Lodge #1513 on
December 5, 2004 at 11:00 a.m.

**Mayor Sullivan and entire
membership**

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ORDER ADOPTED