



City of Cambridge

R-62.

IN CITY COUNCIL

February 28, 2005

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

WHEREAS: William McKinley was President of the United States of America, the postage stamp was two cents, the average cost for a home was \$4,000.00 and *Strike Up the Band* was the top song; and

WHEREAS: Yes, you guessed it, these facts were all relevant to this date, January 24, 1900; and

WHEREAS: Another great event took place on this very same day, Russell Buchannon was born in Cambridge, MA

WHEREAS: Russell also shares the birthday of January 24 with Ernest Borgnine, Neil Diamond, John Belushi and Natassja Kinski; and

WHEREAS: Russell is a WWI veteran serving in the United States Navy on the USS North Carolina and a WWII veteran serving in the National Guard and was deployed to France; now therefore be it

RESOLVED: That this City go on record wishing a very Happy 105th Birthday to Cambridge's oldest son and veteran, Russell Buchannon and thank him for his dedicated wartime service to the City of Cambridge and the United States of America; and be it further

RESOLVED: That the City Clerk be and hereby is requested to forward a suitably engrossed copy of this resolution to Russell Buchannon 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
 City Clerk

RESOLUTION #62

Happy 105th Birthday wish to
Russell Buchannon, Cambridge's
oldest son and veteran.

**Mayor Sullivan and entire
membership**

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ORDER ADOPTED
