

RESOLVED: That the City Council go on record extending gratitude to Marian Heard for her thirty years of dedicated service to the citizens of Massachusetts and wish her happiness in her future endeavors; and be it further

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

In City Council October 20, 2003.

Adopted by the affirmative vote of nine members.

Attest:- D. Margaret Drury, City Clerk.

A true copy;

ATTEST:-

D. Margaret Drury

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City Clerk



City of Cambridge

R-104.

IN CITY COUNCIL

October 20, 2003

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

- WHEREAS: It has come to the attention of this City Council that Marian Heard will be retiring from her position as President and the Chief Executive Officer of the United Way of Mass Bay on July 31, 2004 after thirty years of service; and
- WHEREAS: Ms. Heard came to Boston in 1992 and has served as the President and Chief Executive Officer for fifteen years; and
- WHEREAS: Under Ms. Heard's leadership, the United Way of Mass Bay is one of the most successful non-profits in the country; and
- WHEREAS: Ms. Heard was instrumental in launching the "Success By Six" Initiative, co-authored the report *Off Welfare Onto Independence*, developed the Initiative "Keeping Kids on Track", created an endowment partnership with the Boston Foundation and created a leadership program named "Today's Girls---Tomorrow's Leaders"; and
- WHEREAS: Ms. Heard has been called the most honored United Way Chief Executive in America; and
- WHEREAS: Ms. Heard is the recipient of thirteen honorary doctorate degrees and many local, regional and national awards; and
- WHEREAS: Ms. Heard was named Public Citizen of the Year in 1998; received the Others Award in 2000 and was the first recipient of the Ansin Executive Leadership Chair, the first endowed chair for a President and chief executive officer of any United Way in the country; now therefore be it

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RESOLUTION #104

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Councillor Toomey and entire membership

In City Council October 20, 2003

ORDER ADOPTED