

Cambridge City Council
795 Mass Avenue
Cambridge MA 02139

December 10, 1998

Human Rights Commission

Members of the City Council,

I write after many years of abuse suffered in the city of Cambridge. My complaints have not only been met with reluctance to respond about crimes against me, but in 1990 I was arrested and held for 78 days contrary to law ten days after I filed a complaint with the Cambridge police department, which refused to take my oral complaint.

In 1993 I tried to file complaints with the Human Rights Commission (HRC), writing several letters and speaking to Ms. Margot Kosberg, who I learned has passed on. She told me that the HRC only accepted complaints for housing and employment discrimination.

For the next 5 years my difficulties continued and my attempts to get relief from ongoing crimes were met with the same silence from official authorities, and retaliation and threats from the perpetrators. In November, 1998 I again contacted the Cambridge HRC and met for an hour at their offices an investigator, as I was told, Manya Farrell. I gave her documents about my concerns on two subsequent occasions both before Thanksgiving 1998.

On Nov. 30, 1998 I called the HRC and was told by Carmen that Ms. Farrell no longer worked there. I was told she was an intern. On Dec. 2, 1998 I spoke with Ms. Vale Delund (sp?) the new acting director of the HRC. She told me the same (erroneous tale) as Ms. Kosberg contrary to what Ms. Farrell told me.

I read the Municipal code for the HRC Chapter 2.76. In Section 2.76.120 A. it states, "It is an unlawful practice for the City ... or any of its agencies departments, subdivisions or employees to discriminate against any person in the provision of services, facilities ..." That is what I complained about for many years.

The conventional wisdom, due to relentless slander from persons unknown to me, many from Harvard University is that I am legally disabled. As a result both Harvard employees and city, state and federal employees have treated me differently due to their perception of me. That is a violation.

I believe the HRC has acted contrary to their legal duty to accept, to investigate and to end human rights violations within the City as stated in Section 2.76.140, A, B, 1 and 2.

Another complaint I made is that for many years persons unknown to me (I suspect Harvard again) stirred up racial animosity to discredit me. I believe that is a violation of Section 2.76.160 B and C.

I complain about medical Human Experimentation without consent, and treatment without consent. Both are crimes, torts and constitutional violations. I never volunteered for any experiment, nor am I under the care of any psychiatrist nor any psychologist, nor is there or has there ever been a court order to allow treatment without consent.

Thank you for your attention.

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