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Dear Animal Rights Activists and of
Cambridge, Massachusetts

Your organization is an outright pile of manure. You waste more public time and money than anybody I've heard of. You don't realize that those animals are designated research animals. Animals have no feelings like humans.

When you destroyed a cancer research lab because you thought rats were being abused you destroyed years of research. You are preventing diseases from being cured. The lives of innocent cancer victims are at stake and you're going around blowing up the research labs. Suppose you had a loved one who was ill with cancer. Would you sacrifice her for a rat. If you ~~was~~ are a human being you would try to help your loved one. By supporting a group that sabotages research labs along with years of research you are just as guilty as the ones who sabotaged the lab.

I suggest that you get rid of your organization.

David Austin
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5053 Pawnee Trail, Apt.11
LaPorte, Indiana 46350
June 7, 1987

Dear City Coucil Members:

I can't tell you how pleased and encouraged I was to read of your decision to ban commercial laboratory testing on animals. I have been trying, through animal welfare groups, to educate the public about the terrible tests done on animals, and to persuade companies which use such tests to end them. But sometimes it seems like an impossible battle. This news, however, fills me with hope that we can someday use cultures and test tubes for such tests, not animals.

I hope that other cities will follow your excellent example!

Thank you.

Sincerely,



Stephanie Schueler

 **ACTION FOR ANIMALS**

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*"We need an ethics which will
include the animals also."
Dr. Albert Schweitzer*

June 1, 1987

Cambridge City Council
City Hall
Cambridge, MA

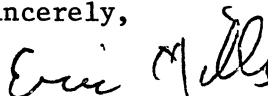
Dear Council Members:

I was intrigued to read in a recent USA Today article that you had unanimously approved a ban on products testing on animals within your city limits.

Would you please send me particulars on how this came about? I am especially interested in strategies employed, and how you ever got by Harvard University, amongst other research institutions. If available, I would like copies of newspaper coverage, as well as a re-print of the ban language itself.

Thank you for your help.

Sincerely,



Eric Mills, coordinator

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City Hall
Cambridge, MA

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Gentlemen, 1987 JUN 11 AM 10:05

CAMBRIDGE MA. How fine of you to enact a ban on commercial lab testing of animals in your city! You're an inspiration & hopefully a model for other cities.

Now, how about a ban on using animals for human medical research? The Medical Research Modernization Committee (made up of medical doctors) has proven almost 100% of these tests could be done more accurately on human cells & cultures, tissues, computers, on volunteers, & on & on, etc.

If you would like more
information on the Committee,
call toll free 1-800-631-2212,
or write Friends of Animals, Inc
One Pine Street
Methuen, N.H. 07753

Meanwhile, thank you
again for ourselves, family +
friends + especially for the
50,000 animals you're saving
from torture each year.
You're great!

Sincerely,
Rosemary + Edgar Brown
550 3 E Street Blvd
7 h. Myers Beach, FL 33931

P.O. Box 243
Muncy, PA 17756
May 30, 1987

Ladies & Gentlemen,

I would like to commend you for
banning the commercial testing of ^{certain} products
on animals, as practiced by the manu-
facturers of cosmetics and house-
hold chemicals. The article appeared
in our local paper. I hope it
gained circulation nationwide. More
than that, I hope with all my

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heart that you will make the
new ordinance stick, and not
let yourselves be intimidated or
lulled into apathy by some giant
manufacturing concern bend on
trampling the concept of simple
humaneness in the mud because
profits are at stake.

Again, thank you,
Sincerely,
Frances Greene

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Cambridge City Council

795 Mass. Ave
CAMBRIDGE MA.

Cambridge, Mass. 02139

Greetings and Bravos for
your recent vote to ban
commercial laboratory test-
ing of ~~animals~~. And the
fact that it was unanimous
makes it all the more
admirable.

Good wishes for your continued
progress and success.

Sincerely,
Polly Applewhite

141 Spruce Dr.
Jonesville, Mi.
49250

May 26, 1987

Dear nine City Council members,
I was so ~~pleased~~ ^{OFFICE OF CITY CLERK} to read
in USA today, ^{7:30 PM} ~~Friday~~ ^{May 19, '87} Cambridge, MA.
the enclosed article -

My hat is off to all
of you!

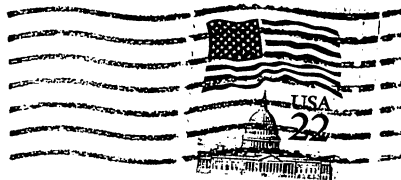
Perhaps other areas will
follow once they've seen
your city has had the
 guts to take a stand -

Again, congratulations!

Sincerely,
Florence Clay



J.P. Clay
1012 Manoa Rd.
Penfield House
PA 19151



City Council
Cambridge
MASS. 02138

3805 Quaker Bridge Road
Mercerville, NJ 08619
June 5, 1987

City Council
Cambridge City Hall
795 Mass Avenue
Cambridge, Massachusetts 02139

Gentlemen:

I saw the enclosed article in yesterday's newspaper and I just had to write to you to thank you on behalf of all the animal lovers of the world.

I certainly hope that many more cities and states will take heed and ban the same things. The use of such horrifying tests on these animals is beyond belief. The innocent animals need the help of people who care. You are to be commended for your efforts. I only pray that someday there will be a nation-wide ban.

Thank you again and "God Bless You".

Very truly yours,


Ella M. Scarantino

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Dog Use Banned

God Bless the Cambridge, Mass., city Council for being the first in the nation to enact a ban on the use of animals in commercial testing of cosmetics, tobacco products, industrial chemicals and engine exhaust.

Specifically prohibited are the LD-50 test and the Draize test.

Let Cambridge be the first of a nation-wide ban on such tests. God did not put these creatures on this earth to suffer needless and endless pain only to die alone, caged and unloved.

Sharon Dixon

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June 1, 1987

Dear City Council Members:

I was thrilled to read of your decision to ban commercial laboratory testing on animals. I am a member of several national animal welfare groups which are trying to educate the public about the horrors of lab tests done on animals in the lab. Of course, our ultimate goal is to see the tests done on cultures and in test tubes, and not on the animals.

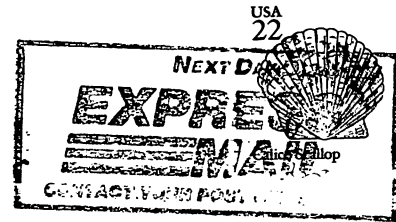
I hope other cities will follow your fine example.

Thank you!

Sincerely,

Elise Hagy
802 Mt. Pleasant
Ann Arbor, Mi 48103.

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CITY COUNCIL OFFICE
795 Massachusetts Ave.
Cambridge, Massachusetts 02139



Comm. from Joseph E. Connarton, City Clerk, transmitting comm's from 8 persons congratulating the Council for its action adopting an order banning the LD50 Acute Toxicity Test & the Draize Eye-Irritancy Test on animals within the City & transmitting one comm. opposed to same.

In City Council,

June 15, 1987

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