



CITY OF CAMBRIDGE
INTEROFFICE CORRESPONDENCE

To : Paul E. Healy
City Clerk

Date : May 11, 1978

From : Conrad C. Fagone, Commissioner *CCF.*
Public Works Department

Reference

Subject : Permit to Merry Contracting Service

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CAMBRIDGE, MASS.

As a result of the Public Hearing held by the City Council on July 14, 1977, I have met with Harvard University, Merry Contracting Service, and the various departments in the City of Cambridge who will be involved with the above project.

The Merry Contracting Service Company has agreed to comply with all requests that the City of Cambridge, through its various departments, have made and we are assured that the project can be undertaken with a minimum of inconvenience to the City.

Therefore, as of this date I have issued a permit as required under the City Ordinance.

cc: Mr. Louis Armistead, Harvard University
Merry Contracting Service

Sec. 12-9. Moving buildings; certificates; license; bond.

(a) No person shall move, or assist in moving, any building through or upon any street, unless a written license therefor has been first obtained from the Commissioner of Public Works upon the authority of the City Council, specifying the terms and conditions on which such removal may be made. No such license shall be authorized without public notice and opportunity for hearing. No person thus licensed shall act under his license until he has filed with the Commissioner of Public Works a bond, with sufficient surety to indemnify the City from all loss and damage by reason of such removal. No building shall be removed through any street until the chimneys of the building have been taken down even with the roof.

(b) No license for the removal of any building through any public street, square or place shall be authorized until certificates have been presented to the City Council from the Commissioner of Public Works certifying the general conditions with regard to the streets, squares or places through which it is proposed to remove the building and of general conditions with reference to trees and the possibility of injury thereto, from the Inspector of Buildings as to the safety of the structure to be moved, from the City Electrician as to the conditions respecting electric wires on the route, and, whenever it is proposed to move any building over and across any bridge which may be under the care of the Commissioner of Bridges, from the said Commissioner certifying the general condition of the said bridge, and when the granting of such license is authorized it shall be upon the following conditions:

(1) The licensee shall give the Chief of the Fire Department and the inspector of wires notice of such removal, at least twenty-four (24) hours before the building shall be placed in the street.

(2) The licensee shall reimburse the City for any expenses incurred by it by reason of labor by any department of the City in cutting and replacing wires, trimming trees, or in any other way, by reason of said removal, and before receiving a license the licensee shall deposit with the Commissioner of Public Works the sum of One Hundred (\$100.00) Dollars, which sum shall be returned to the licensee when he has reimbursed the City for such expenses.

(c) The above conditions shall be printed upon and become a part of each and every license issued.

(G.O. 1943, Ch.18, §9.)

Sec. 12-10. Depositing building material on street - Permit required

(a) No person shall deposit material from any construction or excavation site on any public street, way or sidewalk in the City without first obtaining a permit from the Commissioner of Public Works. All permits shall be issued subject to the following conditions:

(1) All motor vehicles and equipment with a capacity of one-half (1/2) ton or over used in connection with the construction or excavation site shall be suitably cleaned with steam or other method approved by the Commissioner of Public Works to remove dirt and mud from the wheels and undercarriages prior to entering upon a public street or way from the construction or excavation site.



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To : James L. Sullivan
City Manager

Date : July 14, 1977

From : Conrad C. Fagone, Commissioner CCF.
Public Works Department

Reference

Subject : Request from Harvard University to Move House

A Public Hearing was held on Thursday July 14th as a result of a request from Harvard University to move a building referred to as the Morton Prince House. The proposed move is from a site on Divinity Avenue to a site on Prescott Street. Both properties are owned by Harvard University.

The hearing was to allow any interested parties to voice objections or concerns, or to speak out in favor of this move. As a result of the hearing, I am proposing to issue a permit to Harvard University for this move under the following conditions: any costs incurred by the City will be borne by the University, such as; traffic control; removal of wires and replacements; removal and installation of traffic signs; and any impertinent equipment.

A meeting will be set up with the Police Department, Traffic Department, and the Public Works Department to coordinate all of these activities. Harvard University has agreed to furnish any information, and comply with any requests that the City imposes for this move.

I am proposing to issue this license subject to the above conditions.

MOTION FOR RECONSIDERATION SUBMITTED BY COUNCILLOR

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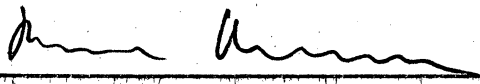
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CAMBRIDGE, MASS.

Date

Councillor Barbara Ackermann notified the City Clerk of her intention to move reconsideration of the vote of the City Council at the meeting held on Thursday, July 14, 1977 denying the following request from City Manager Sullivan:

Agenda No. 9: Transmitting communication from James L. Sullivan, City Manager, relative to a request from Harvard University for a permit to move a house from Divinity Avenue to a site on Prescott Street.


Signature

City of Cambridge

MASSACHUSETTS

In City Council

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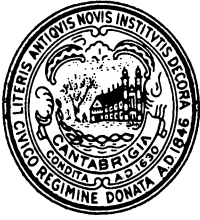
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Mrs. Ackermann		✓		
Mr. Clem	✓			
Mr. Clinton	✓			
Mr. Danehy			✓	
Mr. Duehay			✓	
Mrs. Graham	✓			
Mr. Russell	✓			
Mr. Sullivan	✓			
Mayor Vellucci	✓			

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Motion to deny - Carries



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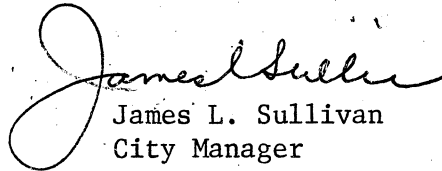
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT
JAMES L. SULLIVAN
City Manager

July 14, 1977

To the Honorable, the City Council:

Enclosed is a copy of a communication from Conrad C. Fagone, Commissioner of Public Works, relative to a request from Harvard University for a permit to move a house from Divinity Avenue to Prescott Street.

Very truly yours,


James L. Sullivan
City Manager

JLS/mbf
Enc.

Communication from City Manager
relative to a request from Harvard
University for a permit to move a
house from Divinity Avenue to
a site on Prescott Street.

5/11/78

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Issued on
stated conditions
SH

The ordinance

7/15/77

Recommendation by

L. A. ...

7/25/77 Recommendation
moved by Mr. Velloci and
In City Council,

Carried July 14, 1977 and order
Adopted - in full vote -

7/14/77

Motion to deny

Carried

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SH Motion on

L. Clinton

7/25/77

Reconsideration prevailed
Permit approved (Voice vote)