



# City of Cambridge

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**IN CITY COUNCIL**

November 20, 2000

COUNCILLOR DECKER  
COUNCILLOR BRAUDE  
COUNCILLOR BORN  
COUNCILLOR DAVIS  
MAYOR GALLUCCIO  
VICE MAYOR MAHER  
COUNCILLOR REEVES  
COUNCILLOR SULLIVAN  
COUNCILLOR TOOMEY

**ORDERED:** That the City Council Government Operations, Rules and Claims Committee hold a hearing on residential claims against the city thirty days after a report and/or investigation has been made by the Law Department.

**REFERRED TO GOVERNMENT OPERATIONS, RULES AND CLAIMS COMMITTEE**

repair jobs. Further, is there a list of contractors who would be will to perform minor house repairs at a reduced rate for low and moderate income seniors. Further explore what resources the city has to help assist seniors in need of minor home repairs.

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4. Pedestrian traffic concerns at the corner of Brookline and Putnam Ave-Brookline st. turns into two lanes due to left turns onto Brookline st.

5. The city council Government operations and Claims Committee must hold hearings on residential claims against the city thirty days after recieving a report back from the legal department. Decker and Braude

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1. traffic enforcement at at the pedestrian light on River street and Memorial drive. There seems to be a significant concern from the elderly and people crossing the street with young children to get to riverside press park-cars still fly over bridge. Consider placing a light with the seconds left to cross. Further consider placing these lights at all crossings near playgrounds with heavy traffic.

2. Pedestrian safety is questioned at the corners of Western Ave, River Street along Pleasant Street. Many children cross these intersections on their way to the Graham and Parks and the Cambridgeport Schools. There are not traffic guards at these busy and dangerous intersections.

3. Report on services for seniors who are in need of minor home repair jobs. Given the booming economy it is difficult to find contractors who will commit to small



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**Councillors Decker and Braude**

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**ORDER ADOPTED**

Referred to  
Government Operations,  
Rules + Claims  
Copy to Councillor Braude