



City of Cambridge

14.

IN CITY COUNCIL

MAYOR DANEHY

September 11, 1978

WHEREAS: Our nation was shaped by the wisdom and courage of our founding fathers, and by the steadfastness of succeeding generations who have sustained their vision through two turbulent centuries of challenge and growth.

WHEREAS: Each American family is similarly shaped and guided by its forbears. Just as a nation learns and is strengthened by its history, so a family learns and is strengthened by its understanding of preceding generations. As Americans live longer, more and more families are enriched by their shared experiences with grandparents and great-grandparents.

WHEREAS: The elders of each family have the responsibility for setting the moral tone for the family and for passing on the traditional values of our nation to their children and grandchildren. They bore the hardships and made the sacrifices that produced much of the progress and comfort we enjoy today. It is appropriate, therefore, that as individuals and as a nation, that we salute our grandparents for their contribution to our lives.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Thomas W. Danehy, Mayor of the City of Cambridge do hereby designate Sunday, September 10, 1978, as "NATIONAL GRANDPARENTS DAY." I urge each citizen to pause and to reflect on the influence his grandparents have had in shaping his own destiny, and on the legacy bestowed upon our contemporary society by his grandparents' generation.

In City Council September 11, 1978
Adopted by the affirmative vote of 7 members.
Attest: Paul E. Healy, City Clerk

A true copy,

ATTEST:

Order #14

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M. Danehy re: Sunday, September 10, 1978 as
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