



MAYOR WALTER J. SULLIVAN

City of Cambridge

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IN CITY COUNCIL

May 12, 1986

- WHEREAS: This City Council was deeply saddened upon learning of the sudden death of Paul Ira Stewart, a native of Stoneham and cousin to Council colleague Saundra Graham; and
- WHEREAS: Paul relocated to the Boston area in 1973 and attended elementary schools at Saint Raphael's in Medford and Saint Angela's in Mattapan and from grades 7 through 9 he was able to attend the Lexington Christian Academy and from grades 10 through 12 he attended and graduated from West Roxbury High School because in his own words he wanted to be among his own people in order to discover himself as a black man; and
- WHEREAS: One of Paul's greatest talents lay within his ability to play basketball, and to that end he played on almost every inner-city team; each one a championship team and went on to play at Cleveland State University where as one of his teammates said "Everybody looked up to him"; and
- WHEREAS: It was almost ironic that Paul should die doing what he loved the most, playing basketball at Cleveland, felled by an apparent heart attack; now therefore be it
- RESOLVED: That this City Council go on record extending its deepest sympathy to Mr. and Mrs. John Stewart and the entire Stewart family at this time of such personal loss; and be it further
- RESOLVED: That the City Clerk be and hereby is requested to forward a suitably engrossed copy of this resolution to the family on behalf of the entire City Council.

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Adopted by the affirmative vote of 8 members.

Attest:- Joseph E. Connarton, Acting City Clerk.

A true copy;

ATTEST:-

Joseph E. Connarton, Acting City Clerk.

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