



City of Cambridge

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IN CITY COUNCIL

August 2, 1982

VICE-MAYOR RUSSELL

- WHEREAS: This City Council was saddened upon learning of the death of Peter A. Stilla, Jr., a life-long Cantabrigian and long time coach of the West of the West Cambridge Little League Team called the "Yankees"; and
- WHEREAS: Peter, who at the time of his death was the Day Editor of the Boston Globe, overseeing the news desks for the afternoon editions, a position he had held for the past five years; and
- WHEREAS: Peter first began his newspaper career in 1946 at the former Boston Record-American and he joined the Globe as a Copy Editor in 1961, distinguishing himself several times during his career, including the blizzard of 1978, when he covered both the morning and afternoon editions filling in for employees who couldn't get to work and directing the newsroom when the story broke relative to the assassination of President Anwar Sadat of Egypt; and
- WHEREAS: Peter was a driving force of energy, not only in the newsroom but on the baseball field, always encouraging the youngsters and assisting them in order that they could improve themselves and their performance, not just for the sake of the team, but for the individual betterment of the youngster; now therefore be it
- RESOLVED: That this City Council go on record extending its deep sympathy to Mrs. Rose Stilla and the entire Stilla 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 Mrs. Stilla on behalf of the entire City Council.

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Adopted by the affirmative vote of 8 members.

Attest:- Paul E. Healy, City Clerk.

A true copy;

ATTEST:-

Order # 3

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Vice-Mayor Russell Re: resolutions on
Peter A. Stilla, Jr.

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