



City of Cambridge

16.

IN CITY COUNCIL

COUNCILLOR MYERS
COUNCILLOR DUEHAY

JANUARY 29, 1990

- WHEREAS: Anatoly Karpov, former world chess champion will be paying his first visit to New England on February 2-3 when he arrives in Cambridge; and
- WHEREAS: Anatoly Karpov served as world champion from 1975-1985, the longest reign in modern times, and is the President of the Soviet Peace Committee; and
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- WHEREAS: The Harvard Chess Club founded in 1874 which is the oldest chess club in New England is recognizing the exhibition; and
- WHEREAS: The Harvard Chess Club is the first American chess club to host Anatoly Karpov and Garry Kasparov; now therefore be it
- RESOLVED: That the City of Cambridge extend its heartiest welcome to Anatoly Karpov and extend its wishes to Anatoly Karpov for a stimulating stay in our city; and be it further
- RESOLVED: To wish Anatoly Karpov good luck in his upcoming matches, especially in his man versus machine match; and be it further
- RESOLVED: That the City Council extend its congratulations to the Harvard Chess Club and the chief organizer, Danny Edelman, for their great work in arranging this and other exhibitions; and be it further
- RESOLVED: That the City Clerk be and hereby be requested to forward a suitably engrossed copy of this resolution to Anatoly Karpov and the Harvard Chess Club.

In City Council January 29, 1990.

Adopted by the affirmative vote of nine members.

Attest:- John E. Flynn, Deputy City Clerk.

A true copy;

ATTEST:-

John E. Flynn, Deputy City Clerk.

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Accepted by the affirmative vote

of 9 members

John E. Flynn Deputy City Clerk



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Councillor Ouehan
Councillor Myers resolution on Anatoly Karpov,
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