



# City of Cambridge

22.

IN CITY COUNCIL

May 16, 1994

COUNCILLOR BORN  
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WHEREAS: The Community School Program has in its approximately two decades of existence become an integral part of neighborhood life for people of all ages; and

WHEREAS: Many of the staff of the Community Schools have worked for many years long hours with no help at low pay; and

WHEREAS: These exemplary City employees fill many needs of the diverse population who benefit from the Community Schools. These WOMEN (!) serve as program coordinators, fund-raisers, cleaner-uppers, advocates for their own space needs, purchasing agents for their own materials, bookkeepers, schedulers, volunteer coordinators, public relations and advertising experts, special events planners, dispute mediators, counselors to parents, good listeners to young and old, and warm bodies with hugs for those who need them; and

WHEREAS: When their presence was recently required away from their respective Community Schools at several city wide events, these dedicated city employees had no choice but to close their programs for the afternoon or to find a volunteer to substitute for them; therefore be it

ORDERED: That the City Manager be and hereby is requested to report to the Council what funds can be immediately appropriated to enable the hiring of an assistant at each of the twelve Community Schools.

In City Council May 16, 1994.

Adopted by the affirmative vote of nine members.

Attest:- D. Margaret Drury, City Clerk

A true copy;

ATTEST:-

*D. Margaret Drury*

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Consent Order #22

*CM-178*

Councillor Born re: Community School Program.

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*Order adopted.*