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TO: MAYOR KENNETH REEVES
CAMBRIDGE CITY COUNCILLORS
ALEX RODRIQUES, ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS
GEORGE TESO, TRAFFIC AND PARKING
MARGARET DRURY, CITY CLERK

FROM: PATRICIA LOMANS, SECRETARY
EAST CAMBRIDGE PLANNING TEAM

RE: TWIN CITIES MALL

DATE: SEPTEMBER 15, 1992

Since the opening of the Twin Cities Mall the East Cambridge neighborhood has attempted to resolve the issues relating to pedestrian safety with the Mall's owner. Only recently has the owner made the concession of limiting access to the parking lot by placing concrete barriers and speed bumps along the access road opposite the Millers River senior citizen's complex. However, these temporary measures are not sufficient to protect the elderly and other residents who walk to the stores from Miller's River and the surrounding area.

There are two curb cuts on Gore Street which enable cars to access the Mall. One is at Gore and Lambert and the second is at Gore and Medford Street. The Planning Team requests your assistance in resolving this issue by visiting the site for the purpose of determining the legal status of either or both of these curb cuts and evaluating the safety of the existing walkways.

You assistance will be appreciated.

Consent Comm. # 5

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Comm. from Patricia Lomans, Secretary,
East Cambridge Planning Team, regarding
issues of pedestrian safety with the
Twin Cities Mall owners.

In City Council,

October 19, 1992

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City Manager*

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