

INTRODUCED BY CITY MANAGER JAMES L. SULLIVAN

AN ORDER CONCERNING AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE FISCAL YEAR BEGINNING JULY 1, 1976

ORDERED: That the following transfer be made in the General Fund of the City of Cambridge:

<u>FROM</u>	<u>AMOUNT</u>	<u>TO</u>	<u>AMOUNT</u>
LIBRARY Salaries and Wages	30 000	Library Other Ordinary Maintenance	30 000

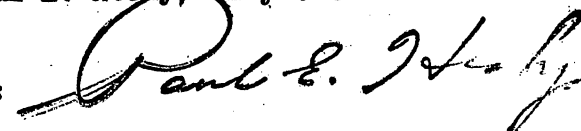
REASON(S)

Initial payment for LIBS 100 Circulation Control System Lease

In City Council March 14, 1977  
Adopted by a yea and nay vote:  
Yeas 7; Nays 0; Absent 2.  
Attest: Paul E. Healy, City Clerk

A true copy,

ATTEST:



# City of Cambridge

MASSACHUSETTS

Agenda #12 Appropriation of \$30,000 in the In City Council March 14, 1977 ~~XXXX~~  
Library Dept.

	YEA	NAY	ABSENT	PRESENT
Mrs. Ackermann	✓			
Mr. Clem	✓			
Mr. Clinton	✓			
Mr. Danehy			✓	
Mr. Dusehay	✓			
Mrs. Graham	✓			
Mr. Russell	✓			
Mr. Sullivan			✓	
Mayor Vellucci	✓			

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## CITY OF CAMBRIDGE

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EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT  
JAMES L. SULLIVAN  
City Manager

March 14, 1977

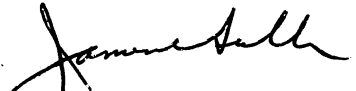
To the Honorable, the City Council:

The attached appropriation transfer of \$30,000 is for the payment of the first year purchase/lease agreement for the installation of an automated LIBS 100 circulation control system in the Library. The funds for this transfer will come from outages in the Library's salaries and wages category. The Library will be financing payments on this system over the next few years from savings incurred from computerizing circulation functions.

The LIB 100 is a preprogrammed, standard model that has been in operation in a number of libraries. Automating the circulation activities will displace many of the functions now handled manually such as the registering of new borrowers, the loaning of library materials, or the search and location of a book for a borrower. A computerized system will allow all of these types of functions to be performed with more precision and speed than can be handled manually and with a resulting savings in time and cost to the running of the Library.

Passage of this order is recommended.

Very truly yours,

  
James L. Sullivan  
City Manager

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In City Council,

March 14, 1977

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Ordinance Adopted

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