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THE CITY CLERK

October 19, 1983

Mrs. Jacqueline O'Neill
Office of Government & Community Affairs
Harvard University
2 Garden Street
Cambridge, MA 02138

Dear Mrs. O'Neill:

Please be advised that the City Council is in receipt of your communication of October 11th, 1983 expressing your willingness and that of personnel involved in the planning of the Fogg Art Museum connector over Broadway to appear before the Council at a future date in order to discuss the proposed connector.

The City Council at its meeting of October 17th requested that I contact you about setting a mutually agreeable date for such a meeting. The Council has suggested that this meeting be held either during the third or fourth week in November (November 21st or 28th) and request your views as to whether either of these dates would be convenient to you. If you have any questions, comments or would like to suggest a different date for this meeting, please feel free to contact me.

Your very kind cooperation in this matter will be greatly appreciated, both by this office and the City Council.

Very truly yours

Paul E. Healy, City Clerk.

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October 11, 1983

Mr. Paul E. Healy, City Clerk
City of Cambridge
Cambridge City Hall
Cambridge, MA 02139

Dear Mr. Healy:

On behalf of those Harvard University and Fogg Museum personnel involved with the planning of the proposed connector over Broadway, I write to express our willingness to meet with the City Council to discuss the project on a mutually agreeable date.

As I indicated on September 26th in a letter to the Council, we have begun a process of consultation with the community adjacent to the Fogg which we have pledged to complete and broaden before going to the Council to seek formal approval for the connector. However, after consulting with some of its members, I am fairly certain that this neighborhood committee will not view an informational meeting with the City Council as a violation of our agreed upon process.

It may also be useful for you to know two additional facts. First, Assistant City Manager Kathy Spiegelman was kind enough to arrange a meeting last August 3rd with the City Manager, and City department heads so that the technical and safety concerns of the City would also be heard and incorporated into the design of our architect, Mr. James Stirling. Second, we only have available a very preliminary proposal which Mr. Stirling has agreed to modify in response to concerns and suggestions offered by the neighborhood committee.

We expect to have Mr. Stirling's modified design sometime within the next month. Please advise us as to how you wish to proceed as we are happy to accommodate the Council's request.

Sincerely,



Jackie O'Neill

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cc: Ms. Kathy Spiegelman
The Honorable Alfred E. Vellucci
The Honorable Daniel Clinton
The Honorable Thomas Danehy
The Honorable Francis Duehay
The Honorable Saundra Graham
The Honorable Leonard Russell
The Honorable David Sullivan
The Honorable Walter Sullivan
The Honorable David Wylie
Mr. Robert Campbell
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Mr. Hugh Russell
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Ms. Olive Holmes
Mr. Charles Sage
Mr. Top Sawyer

Comm. from Jacqueline O'Neill, Office of
Government & Community Affairs, Harvard
University Re: expressing the willingness
of those involved in the planning of the
Fogg Museum connector over Broadway to meet
with the City Council at a mutually agree-
able date.

*Jacqueline O'Neill notified about a
mutually agreeable date with
the suggestion of November 21st or 28th
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In City Council,

October 17, 1983

*10/17/83
City Clerk set
date for meeting
during November
2nd or 3rd
week in Nov.*