



**The Commonwealth of Massachusetts
Metropolitan District Commission
M. Ilyas Bhatti, Commissioner**

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**The
Metropolitan Network
of Services**

**Mr. Robert W. Healy
City Manager
Cambridge City Hall
795 Mass Avenue
Cambridge, MA 02139**

Parks

Beaches

November 26, 1991

Community Boating

Dear Mr. Healy:

Historic Sites

This letter is in response to a number of City Council Orders on street light outages and bench repairs.

Recreational Facilities

As was reported to your office over the phone this past summer, the street lights on either side of Eliot Bridge were fixed in June. The benches along the Charles River between the Longfellow and Eliot Bridges were repaired in August.

Public Concerts

Trailside Museum

Boston Harbor Islands

I have asked our Electrical Engineering Division to check on the lights in the Eliot Bridge area. If more street lights are discovered to be malfunctioning, they will be replaced or repaired accordingly.

Metropolitan Police

Flood Control

Watershed Management

Thank you for alerting us to these matters. Please feel free to contact my Office of Community Affairs at 727-5033, should you have any further questions.

Pure Water Supply

**Quabbin, Wachusett and
Sudbury Reservoirs**

**Franklin Park and
Stone Memorial
Zoos**

Sincerely,

M. Ilyas Bhatti
Commissioner

MIB/bl

**Parkway, Boulevard and
Bridge System**

**Charles, Mystic and
Neponset Rivers**

**Esaver Brook, Blue Hills,
Elm Bank, Breakheart,
Middlesex Fells, and
Stony Brook Reservations**

MetroParks

MetroParkways

MetroPolice

PureWater



City of Cambridge

1.

IN CITY COUNCIL

May 6, 1991

COUNCILLOR DUEHAY

ORDERED: In accordance with an order earlier adopted by this City Council, the City Manager be and hereby is requested to confer immediately with the MDC Commissioner asking him to replace broken and non-functioning highway lights on the Boston and Cambridge sides of the Charles River near the Eliot Bridge since a dangerous condition now exists there and that the City Manager be requested to report back to the City Council on this conference in two weeks.

In City Council May 6, 1991.

Adopted by the affirmative vote of nine members.

Attest:- Joseph E. Connarton, City Clerk.

A true copy;

ATTEST:-

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Joseph E. Connarton".

Joseph E. Connarton
City Clerk



City of Cambridge

2.

IN CITY COUNCIL

May 6, 1991

COUNCILLOR DUEHAY

ORDERED: That the City Manager be and hereby is requested to confer immediately with the MDC Commissioner requesting that the benches along Memorial Drive between the Longfellow and Eliot bridges be replaced and repaired; and be it further

ORDERED: That the City Manager be requested to report back to the City Council on this conference in two weeks.

In City Council May 6, 1991.

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Attest:- Joseph E. Connarton, City Clerk.

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CITY OF CAMBRIDGE

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EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT
ROBERT W. HEALY
City Manager

RICHARD C. ROSSI
Deputy City Manager

December 2, 1991

To The Honorable, The City Council:

Please find attached responses to Awaiting Report Item No. 11, regarding the repair of non-functioning lights near the Eliot Bridge, as well as Awaiting Report Item No. 12, regarding the repair of benches along Memorial Drive between the Longfellow and Eliot Bridges, received from M. Ilyas Bhatti, Commissioner of the Metropolitan District Commission, relative to these concerns.

Very truly yours,

Robert W. Healy
City Manager

RWH/mev
attachment

Consent Agenda # 3

S-1255

Awaiting Report Item Number 11, regarding the repair of non-functioning lights near the Eliot Bridge, as well as Awaiting Report Item Number 12, regarding the repair of benches along Memorial Drive between the Longfellow and Eliot Bridges.

In City Council,

December 2, 1991

*Awaiting Rep # 11 - Referred
back to the City manager -
report for mbc to fix
light at Mase School.*

*Awaiting Rep. # 12 - Placed
on file*