



City of Cambridge

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IN CITY COUNCIL

November 20, 2000

COUNCILLOR DECKER
COUNCILLOR BORN
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COUNCILLOR DAVIS
MAYOR GALLUCCIO
VICE MAYOR MAHER
COUNCILLOR REEVES
COUNCILLOR SULLIVAN
COUNCILLOR TOOMEY

WHEREAS: Vehicular traffic at the corner of Brookline Street and Putnam Avenue is unsafe for pedestrians due to left hand turns onto Brookline Street; now therefore be it

ORDERED: That the City Manager be and hereby is requested to instruct the Director of Traffic, Parking and Transportation to take appropriate steps to insure pedestrian safety in this area.

In City Council November 20, 2000.

Adopted by the affirmative vote of nine members.

Attest:- D. Margaret Drury, City Clerk.

A true copy;

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "D. Margaret Drury".

ATTEST:-

D. Margaret Drury
City Clerk

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repair jobs. Further, is there a list of contractors who would be will to perform minor house repairs at a reduced rate for low and moderate income seniors. Further explore what resources the city has to help assist seniors in need of minor home repairs.

4. Pedestrian traffic concerns at the corner of Brookline and Putnam Ave-Brookline st. turns into two lanes due to left turns onto Brookline st.

5. The city council Government operations and Claims Committee must hold hearings on residential claims against the city thirty days after recieving a report back from the legal department. Decker and Braude

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1. traffic enforcement at at the pedestrian light on River street and Memorial drive. There seems to be a significant concern from the elderly and people crossing the street with young children to get to riverside press park-cars still fly over bridge. Consider placing a light with the seconds left to cross. Further consider placing these lights at all crossings near playgrounds with heavy traffic.
2. Pedestrian safety is questioned at the corners of Western Ave, River Street along Pleasant Street. Many children cross these intersections on their way to the Graham and Parks and the Cambridgeport Schools. There are not traffic gaurds at these busy and dangerous intersections.
3. Report on serives for seniors who are in need of minor home repair jobs. Given the booming economy it is difficult to find contractors who will commit to small



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Councillor Decker

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ORDER ADOPTED