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June 11, 2003

Honorable Edward M. Kennedy
SR-315 Russell Senate Office Building
Washington, DC 20510-2101

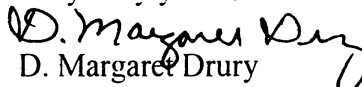
Dear Senator Kennedy:

Pursuant to the request of the City Council, I am forwarding to you the enclosed resolution submitted by Vice Mayor Henrietta Davis and co-sponsored by the entire membership regarding Senate No. 947 and House No. 1843. These bills would replace the Section 8 federal vouchers for housing assistance to low-income persons with state-administered block grants.

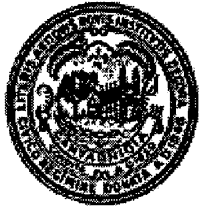
As you will note, all members present were unanimous in their support of this resolution which records the Council's opposition to replacing the Section 8 program with state-administered block grants.

Thank you for your attention to this matter.

Very truly yours,


D. Margaret Drury
City Clerk

Enc.



City of Cambridge

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IN CITY COUNCIL
June 2, 2003

VICE MAYOR DAVIS
MAYOR SULLIVAN
COUNCILLOR DECKER
COUNCILLOR GALLUCCIO
COUNCILLOR MAHER
COUNCILLOR MURPHY
COUNCILLOR REEVES
COUNCILLOR SIMMONS
COUNCILLOR TOOMEY

- WHEREAS: Two bills currently before the United States Congress, Senate No. 947 and House of Representatives No. 1841 would replace the current Section 8 federal vouchers for housing assistance to low-income persons with state-administered block grants; now therefore be it
- ORDERED: That the City Council go on record against S. 947 and H.R. 1841 replacing the Section 8 voucher program with state-administered block grants; and be it further
- ORDERED: That the City Clerk be and hereby is requested to forward a suitably engrossed copy of this Order to the Massachusetts delegation to the United States Congress.

In City Council June 2, 2003
Adopted by the affirmative vote of nine members.
Attest:- D. Margaret Drury, City Clerk

A true copy;

A handwritten signature in cursive script, reading "D. Margaret Drury".

ATTEST:-

D. Margaret Drury, City Clerk

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Requesting the City Council go on
record against S. 947 and H.R.
1841 replacing the Section 8
voucher program with state-
administered block grants.

**Vice Mayor Davis, Mayor
Sullivan and entire
membership.**

In City Council June 2, 2003

ORDER ADOPTED.