



City of Cambridge

1.

IN CITY COUNCIL
May 4, 1981

MAYOR DUEHAY
COUNCILLOR CRANE
COUNCILLOR DANEHY
COUNCILLOR GRAHAM
COUNCILLOR RUSSELL
COUNCILLOR D. SULLIVAN
COUNCILLOR W. SULLIVAN
COUNCILLOR VELLUCCI
COUNCILLOR WYLIE

WHEREAS:

This City Council was deeply saddened upon learning of the death of Dr. Lee Macht, late Chief of Psychiatry at the Cambridge Hospital; and

WHEREAS:

Dr. Macht graduated from Princeton University in 1957 and from Harvard Medical School in 1961, later became a Harvard Teaching Fellow and ultimately becoming a Professor of Psychiatry at the Medical School; and

WHEREAS:

Dr. Macht's career brought him to various positions of leadership at both the state and local level including service as Deputy Medical Director and Principal Psychiatrist of the Job Corps as well as Acting Mental Health Commissioner for the Commonwealth in 1975 and more recently as a member of the President's Commission on Mental Health a position to which he was appointed by former President Jimmy Carter in 1978; a commission whose diligent work led to the Mental Health Systems Act of 1980; and

WHEREAS:

Although Dr. Macht was deeply involved in community and academic interests as well as many administrative responsibilities he was equally devoted to his clinical works assisting patients from all walks of life implementing his philosophy that the needy and the rich, the seriously ill as well as those with lessor problems should have access to the best health care possible; now therefore be it

RESOLVED:

That this City Council go on record extending our deepest sympathy to Mrs. Lois Macht and her family at this time of such tremendous personal loss; and be it further

RESOLVED:

That the City Clerk be and hereby is requested to forward a suitably engrossed copy of this resolution to Mrs. Macht on behalf of the entire City Council as our small recognition of a gentleman, medical scholar and fine humanitarian.

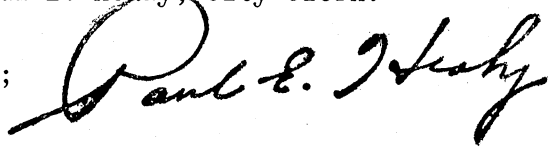
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Adopted by the affirmative vote of 7 members.

Attest:- Paul E. Healy, City Clerk.

A true copy;

ATTEST:-

A handwritten signature in cursive script, reading "Paul E. Healy". The signature is written in dark ink and is positioned to the right of the printed name "Paul E. Healy, City Clerk." and the word "ATTEST:-".

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entire membership of the City Council
resolutions on Dr. Lee Macht.

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Resolutions
approved
- Members -