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May 9, 1997

TO: Robert Healy, City Manager

FROM: Susan E. Clippinger, Director *SE*

SUBJECT: Council Orders #052 and #054 dated 3/18/96

RE: Safety issues at the intersection of Clarendon and Mass. Avenues.

We have reviewed Clarendon Avenue and its intersection with Mass. Ave. We will install an appropriate warning sign along Clarendon Avenue approaching the park/playground at the corner of Mass. Ave. In addition, the crosswalk was repainted along with all crosswalks this spring as part of our semi-annual paint contract.

This summer we will conduct a traffic study on Clarendon Ave. After reviewing the findings of this study, we will determine what changes need to be made to improve safety for the residents of the area.

We had a preliminary meeting on May 8, 1996 with the North Cambridge Stabilization Committee and will be having a public meeting at the Burns Apartment in the near future. Representatives of my Department, along with representatives from the Police, Public Works, Commission for Persons with Disabilities, Community Development and Recreation Departments will be asked to attend to discuss traffic, parking, safety and maintenance problems.

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May 20, 1996

To The Honorable, The City Council:

With reference to Awaiting Report Item Nos. 12 and 14, regarding pedestrian/traffic issues on Clarendon Avenue and surrounding area, please find attached a response from Susan Clippinger, Director of the Traffic, Parking & Transportation Department.

Please note that all relevant departments (Police Department, Public Works Department, Commission for Persons with Disabilities, Community Development Department and the Recreation Department) will be involved in the resolution of these concerns.

Very truly yours,

Robert W. Healy
City Manager

RWH/mec

Consent Agenda #4

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Relative to Awaiting Report
Item Number 12 and 14 regarding
pedestrian/traffic issues on
Clarendon Avenue and surrounding
area.

In City Council May 20, 1996

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