

WHEREAS: Ron is married 15 yrs to wife Lois, son Xavier in 10 yrs old and a student at St. Brendan School in Dorchester, niece Andrea is 23 and currently attending UCLA Law School; now therefore be it

RESOLVED: That the City Council go on record congratulating Ron on his achievements in the music industry and wish him well in the concert; and be it further

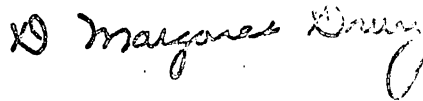
RESOLVED: That the City Clerk be and herby is requested to forward a suitably engrossed copy of this resolution to Ron Savage on behalf of the entire City Council.

In City Council December 4, 2006.

Adopted by the affirmative vote of nine members.

Attest:- D. Margaret Drury, City Clerk.

A true copy;

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Margaret Drury", with a large, stylized initial "M".

ATTEST:-

D. Margaret Drury
City Clerk



City of Cambridge

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IN CITY COUNCIL

December 4, 2006

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

- WHEREAS: On Friday December 8, 2006 the Abundant Life Church will present An Evening of Jazz featuring the Ron Savage Quartet; and
- WHEREAS: Ron spent early years in Ossining NY, where he began playing drums at age 9; and
- WHEREAS: Ron moved to Ahoskie NC at age 13 and began playing in local bars and clubs at age 14; and
- WHEREAS: In 1980 he was first person from Ahoskie High School selected to play with the North Carolina All-State Concert Band; and
- WHEREAS: He graduated from Berklee College of Music in 1984 with a major in percussion performance; and
- WHEREAS: After graduating Ron was a student of the jazz master and percussion virtuoso Alan Dawson; and
- WHEREAS: In 1986 he began performing internationally with jazz and blues legends including: Albert King, Johnny Griffin, Art Farmer, Joe Zawinul, Chris Hollyday, Mulgrew Miller, James Williams, James Moody, Nnenna Freelon, Don Braden, Christian McBride, Gary Bartz, Cyrus Chestnut, Al Grey, Buddy Tate, Don Byron, Phil Woods, Cecilia Smith, Venessa Rubin and others; and
- WHEREAS: In 1996 he was appointed Assistant Chair of the Percussion Department at Berklee; AND
- WHEREAS: In 2000 he was appointment Ensemble Department Chair; and
- WHEREAS: He founded Abundant Life Music Instruction in 1999; and

RESOLUTION #4

**Congratulations to Ron Savage
on his achievements and wish
him well as the Ron Savage
Quartet performs at An Evening
of Jazz presented by the
Abundant Life Church on
December 8, 2006
Mayor Reeves and entire
membership**

**In City Council
December 4, 2006**

ORDER ADOPTED