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DEPARTMENT OF TRAFFIC & PARKING

George Teso
Director

PRESS RELEASE

On November 24, 1975, the first public parking garage constructed and operated by the City of Cambridge will be opened. The 290 car parking facility is primarily intended to serve the customers and clients of the Central Square business community.

For the first week, the garage will not be open for overnight parking. This is so the contractor operating the garage for the City can familiarize themselves with the general operation of the garage and to give them time to hire the necessary security guards required for overnight parking.

The parking rates for the garage have been established as follows:

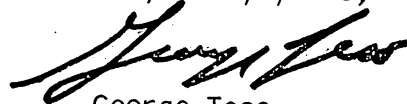
1. DAY-TIME TURNOVER SPACES 8 AM-6 PM, MON.-SAT.
30¢/hour for first 4 hours
50¢/hour for each hour thereafter
\$3.00/day maximum charge
2. EVENING TURNOVER SPACES 6 PM-12PM
30¢/hour
\$1.00 Maximum Charge
3. MONTHLY-DAY-TIME (BY CONTRACT)
\$40.00/month for 25 days/month
4. MONTHLY-OVERNIGHT (BY CONTRACT)
\$20.00/month for 30 days/month
5. OVERNIGHT (NON-CONTRACT) 6 PM- 8 AM
\$1.50/night

These rates are established to discourage long-term parking and to encourage customers and clients who need short-term parking.

The garage will have parking areas designated for compact cars, handicapped persons, a bicycle rack as well as parking for standard size vehicles.

If there are any questions concerning the garage, please call the Traffic and Parking Department at 876-6800, Ext. 314.

Very truly yours,

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read "George Teso", written in a cursive style.

George Teso
Traffic Director

Nov. 5, 1975

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Comm. from George Teso, Traffic Director,
re: to the first public parking garage.

In City Council,

Nov. 17, 1975

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