



City of Cambridge

R-41.

IN CITY COUNCIL

February 25, 2002

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

- WHEREAS: Campaign finance reform has been an important public policy issue for many years; and
- WHEREAS: A major concern at the national level is the raising and spending of "soft money," largely unregulated contributions of dollars spent on national campaigns; and
- WHEREAS: The United States House of Representatives and the United States Senate recently passed legislation that is intended to limit the use of "soft money" in national campaigns; and
- WHEREAS: An important leader in this effort is Massachusetts Congressman Martin Meehan who has worked steadfastly in the US House of Representatives to reform the campaign finance system including the issue of "soft money"; now therefore be it
- RESOLVED: That this City Council go on record congratulating the US House and Senate for passing legislation to address "soft money" and send special thanks to Congressman Martin Meehan for his continued effort to address this issue of "soft money" in national campaigns; and be it further
- RESOLVED: That the City Clerk be and hereby is requested to forward a suitably engrossed copy of this resolution to Congressman Martin Meehan on behalf of the entire City Council.

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Adopted by the affirmative vote of eight members.

Attest:- D. Margaret Drury, City Clerk.

A true copy;

ATTEST:-

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

D. Margaret Drury
City Clerk

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RESOLUTION #41

Congratulating the US House and Senate for passing legislation to address "soft money" and special thanks to Congressman Martin Meehan for his continued effort to address this issue.

Councillor Galluccio and entire membership

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