



City of Cambridge

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IN CITY COUNCIL

June 10, 1996

COUNCILLOR SULLIVAN
VICE MAYOR BORN
COUNCILLOR DAVIS
COUNCILLOR DUEHAY
COUNCILLOR GALLUCCIO
COUNCILLOR REEVES
MAYOR RUSSELL
COUNCILLOR TOOMEY
COUNCILLOR TRIANTAFILLOU

WHEREAS: This City Council was deeply saddened at learning of the death of **Tommy Collins** on June 3, 1996 at the age of sixty-seven years, and

WHEREAS: Tommy was one of sixteen children born to Benjamin and Helen (Kneeland) Collins; and

WHEREAS: Tommy was a United States Army veteran; and

WHEREAS: Tommy was a Boston fighter who fought four world champions in a thirteen month span; and

WHEREAS: In his career, Tommy competed against feather weight champions such as Willie Pep, Sandy Sadler, and lightweight champions Laurel Salas and Jimmy Carter; and

WHEREAS: Tommy's passing will leave a void in the lives of all of his surviving friends and family, his wife May, his sons Thomas, Jr. and Paul, his brothers James and Paul, his sisters Claire, Ruth and Sister Franciana, C.S.J.; and

WHEREAS: Tommy will be sorely missed by all he touched and loved; now therefore be it

RESOLVED: That this City Council go on record extending its deepest sympathy to the family of **Tommy Collins** at this time of such 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 the Collins family on behalf of the entire City Council.

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Adopted by the affirmative vote of nine members.

Attest:- D. Margaret Drury, City Clerk.

A true copy;

ATTEST:-

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "D. Margaret Drury".

D. Margaret Drury
City Clerk

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Councillor Sullivan

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UNICY, 6/3, Wielkus, Margaret T.; Wednesday 2-4 & 7-9pm, Alfred D. Thomas Funeral Home, Milton.
READING, 5/29, Fair, Bradley Scott; Douglass Funeral Home, Reading.
READING, 6/4, Lothrop, Ruth; Thursday 2-4 & 7-9pm, Douglass Funeral Home, Reading.
SITUATE, 6/4, Moore, Maagie E.; The



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Entire membership
Consent Order # *R-660*
Councillor Sullivan and entire membership
re: Resolution on the death of Tommy
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Order adopted