

WHEREAS: Vivian's distinguished history of public service in Cambridge includes ten years on the Board of Zoning Appeals, two separate terms as President of Cambridge Community Services during which she was its representative on the original Cambridge Economic Opportunity Commission (CEOC) Board of Directors; she was president of the Cambridge Welfare Board, a member of the Board of Directors of the Civic Unity Committee, and a volunteer as the Legal Advocacy and Resource Center; and

WHEREAS: Vivian's first mental health related board experiences was Rutland Corner House, one of the first residential programs for women with mental illness; she then served on the Cambridge-Somerville Mental Health and Retardation Area Board, and from there became a member of the board of directors and then president of Center, Inc.; and

WHEREAS: Vivian is a shining example of the difference that a caring, committed Cantabrigian can make in her community; now therefore be it

RESOLVED: That the City Council go on record congratulating Vivian Katz and expressing its appreciation and gratitude to her for her years of service to the Cambridge community; and be it further

RESOLVED: That the City Clerk be and hereby is requested to prepare a suitably engrossed copy of this resolution for presentation to Vivian Katz on behalf of the entire City Council.

In City Council March 2, 1998.

Adopted by the affirmative vote of nine members.

Attest:- D. Margaret Drury, City Clerk.

A true copy;

ATTEST:-



D. Margaret Drury
City Clerk



City of Cambridge

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IN CITY COUNCIL

March 2, 1998

COUNCILLOR BORN
COUNCILLOR DAVIS
MAYOR DUEHAY
VICE MAYOR GALLUCCIO
COUNCILLOR REEVES
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COUNCILLOR TRIANTAFILLOU

WHEREAS: It has come to the attention of the Cambridge City Council that Vivian Katz is the 1998 honoree of the Guidance Center, Inc., at the annual "Cambridge Pops" benefit event; and

WHEREAS: Vivian played a key role in bringing about the reconfiguration of two fine agencies, Center, Inc., of which she was president, and Cambridge Mental Health Inc. into an even stronger agency, the new Guidance Center, Inc.; and

WHEREAS: Vivian has a long and distinguished record of service to this community; and

WHEREAS: Between 1939 and the outbreak of World War II, Vivian and her husband, Attorney Milton Katz, spent their first years in Cambridge where Milton taught at Harvard Law School and their second of three sons was born; and

WHEREAS: After spending some of the war years in Washington, returning to Cambridge and then leaving again for Europe where Milton served first as General Counsel to a part of the Marshall Plan organized in Paris and then Ambassador in charge of the Marshall Plan in Europe, and then some time in Pasadena and Princeton, the Katz family finally returned to Cambridge in 1954; and

Councillor Boarn re: Congratulations
to Vivian Katz for her years of
service to the families and children
of Cambridge an on receiving a
special award at the Cambridge Mental
Health Association Annual Pops
Concert.

InCity Council March 2, 1998

ORDER ADOPTED