



City of Cambridge

56.

IN CITY COUNCIL

August 1, 1994

VICE MAYOR RUSSELL
COUNCILLOR BORN
COUNCILLOR DUEHAY
COUNCILLOR SULLIVAN
COUNCILLOR TOOMEY
COUNCILLOR TRIANTAFILLOU
COUNCILLOR WALSH

WHEREAS: It has come to the attention of this City Council that the Women's Army Corps Veterans Association Bay State Chapter No. 14, will be holding its Annual Convention in Cambridge from August 25 through August 28, 1994; and

WHEREAS: Fifty two years ago on May 14, 1942 legislation was enacted forming the Women's Army Corps and in 1943, women joined the Corps as an integral part of the United States Army with equal pay and rank; and

WHEREAS: The Women's Army Corps was the forerunner of women's integration in the other United States Armed Forces and these Army women have served in posts and headquarters throughout the United States and all theaters of operation overseas, including duty in Vietnam, Grenada, Panama and the Persian Gulf; and

WHEREAS: The objective of the Association is to promote the general welfare of all veterans, particularly the personnel of the Women's Army Corps, in hospitals or wherever the need exists, to provide publications pertaining to the members and to further general education and civic interest programs for the betterment of the community; and

WHEREAS: Each Chapter carries out the program laid down by the National Organization, with emphasis being placed on Veterans Administration Hospital volunteer work and Community Service in the local, national and international community; now therefore be it

RESOLVED: That this City Council go on record extending a warm Cambridge welcome to the officers and members of the Bay State Chapter No. 14 of the Women's Army Corps Veterans Association as they begin their convention deliberations; 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 Major Jane Reed on behalf of the entire City Council.

In City Council August 1, 1994.

Adopted by the affirmative vote of nine members.

Attest:- D. Margaret Drury, City Clerk.

A true copy;

ATTEST:-

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City Clerk

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Consent Order #56

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Vice Mayor Russell re: Women's Army
Corps Veterans Association Bay State Chapter
No. 14 is welcomed to Cambridge.

In City Council

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Order adopted