

Carter invites Flynn to N.C.

Globe City Hall Bureau

Mayor Flynn was invited by former US President Jimmy Carter to take part this morning in ceremonies in Charlotte, N.C., to celebrate Habitat for Humanity.

The nonprofit organization uses volunteers to build housing for low-income people and, this week, began round-the-clock construction on 11 homes in Dorchester that are expected to be completed by Sunday.

A press aide to Flynn said the mayor will fly to Charlotte this morning and take part in a dedication ceremony. Carter, the mayor and others will encourage other cities across the nation to make land and resources available to Habitat for Humanity, the aide said.

The townhouses under construction in Boston will be given to families that demonstrate a need for housing and a willingness to contribute 300 hours of work to the project. In exchange, a unit will be sold to the family for \$35,000 with interest-free payments stretched out over 20 years.

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Habitat
Interest
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City of Cambridge

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IN CITY COUNCIL

COUNCILLOR RUSSELL

AUGUST 3, 1987

- WHEREAS: The City of Cambridge, with its high real estate prices and the tremendous boom in development; and
- WHEREAS: It is almost impossible for low and moderate families to continue to live in Cambridge; and
- WHEREAS: We as City Councillors, are constantly reminded by our constituency that they cannot afford to buy in Cambridge; and
- WHEREAS: Many of these long term residents, who have lived in Cambridge all their life, cannot find affordable housing; therefore, be it
- ORDERED: That the City Manager request the Community Development Department, to do a feasibility study of bringing the HABITAT FOR HUMANITY PROGRAM into the city; and be it further
- ORDERED: That the Community Development Department take an inventory of available existing space and pursue the steps necessary for developing and implementing the HABITAT FOR HUMANITY, or a similar program into the city; and
- ORDERED: That this important prospect and a report be brought into the City Council Chamber.

In City Council August 3, 1987.
Adopted by the affirmative vote of 9 members.
Attest:- Joseph E. Connarton, City Clerk.

A true copy; *Joseph E. Connarton*

ATTEST:- Joseph E. Connarton, City Clerk.

Order #23

Y-345

Councillor Russell order re: City Manager
to request the Community Development Dept.
to do a feasibility study of bringing the
"Habitat For Humanity Program" into the
City & that said Dept. take an inventory of
available existing space & pursue steps
for such a program.

In City Council,

August 3, 1987

C. Russell
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