



City of Cambridge

2.
IN CITY COUNCIL

November 20, 1978

COUNCILLOR SULLIVAN

- WHEREAS: On December 1, 1978 the Cambridge Lodge of Elks No. 839 will officially celebrate their 75th Anniversary of its charter; and
- WHEREAS: The first meeting of the newly formed lodge was held in March of 1903 in Cypress Hall on Prospect Street which was attended by sixty-five (65) charter members, representing a variety of occupations including businessmen, builders, contractors, local and state employees, lawyers, physicians, real estate operators, etc.; and
- WHEREAS: Meetings of the Cambridge Lodge of Elks were first held in Odd Fellows Hall on Massachusetts Avenue, and subsequently until March 14, 1914 in "Upper Hall" in Central Square; and
- WHEREAS: The Cambridge Lodge of Elks had its home in several locations in Cambridge until by an unfortunate fire in 1943 it was necessary to build a new lodge at 396 Harvard Street, the place that still is home for all the members of 839; and
- WHEREAS: The Cambridge Lodge has been extremely helpful, cooperative and most generous to our community, its children, the elderly, the sick and infirmed; and
- WHEREAS: The Cambridge Lodge of Elks No. 839 is a vital social and civic organization of long-standing in our city; now therefore be it
- RESOLVED: That this City Council go on record extending our sincere congratulations and best wishes to the Exalted Ruler and all members of Cambridge Lodge No. 839; and be it further
- RESOLVED: That the City Clerk be and hereby is requested to forward a suitably engrossed copy of this resolution to Cambridge Lodge of Elks No. 839 on behalf of this entire City Council.

In City Council November 20, 1978
Adopted by the affirmative vote of 9 members.
Attest: Paul E. Healy, City Clerk

A true copy,

ATTEST:

Order #2

S-487

C. Sullivan resolutions on the Cambridge
Lodge of Elks No. 839.

In City Council,

Nov. 20, 1978

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