

RESOLVED: That this City Council go on record wishing Joseph Leo Arthur Desrosiers a very Happy 80th Birthday and proclaim Sunday, August 22, 2004 as Joseph Leo Arthur Desrosiers Day in the City of Cambridge; and be it further

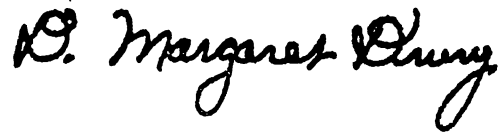
RESOLVED: That the City Clerk be and hereby is requested to forward a suitably engrossed copy of this resolution to Joseph Leo Arthur Desrosiers on behalf of the entire City Council.

In City Council August 2, 2004.

Adopted by the affirmative vote of nine members.

Attest:- D. Margaret Drury, City Clerk.

A true copy;

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "D. Margaret Drury". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

ATTEST:-

D. Margaret Drury
City Clerk

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IN CITY COUNCIL
August 2, 2004

MAYOR SULLIVAN
COUNCILLOR DAVIS
VICE MAYOR DECKER
COUNCILLOR GALLUCCIO
COUNCILLOR MAHER
COUNCILLOR MURPHY
COUNCILLOR REEVES
COUNCILLOR SIMMONS
COUNCILLOR TOOMEY

WHEREAS: Joseph Leo Arthur Desrosiers was born in Cambridge, MA on August 22, 1924; and

WHEREAS: Joseph is one of eleven children born to Joseph and Eva Desrosiers; and

WHEREAS: Joseph graduated from Rindge Technical High School, where he captained the School Boy Hockey Team; and

WHEREAS: Joseph and his three brothers were affectionately known around the City as the "Flying Frenchmen of North Cambridge"; and

WHEREAS: Joseph served his country with pride during World War II in the United States Army Air Corps; and

WHEREAS: Joseph married Theresa Imogene Calcote, of Lindsay, CA, in 1946; and

WHEREAS: Joseph and Theresa are the proud parents of nine children, Ann, Alyce, Robert, Betty, Joseph, David, Laura, John and James, sixteen grandchildren, Christopher, Sheryle, Audrey, Anya, Adam, Mark, Colleen, Nicole, Ashley, Natasha, Danielle, Amanda, Michael, Samuel, Dylan, and Avery, and two great-grandchildren, Jacqueline and Daniel Patrick; and

WHEREAS: Joseph is a retired Railway Express, Metropolitan Life Insurance Company, and Just-A-Start employee; and

WHEREAS: Joseph and Theresa were the founders of the North Cambridge Betterment Association; and

WHEREAS: Joseph was a past president of the North Cambridge Stabilization Committee; and

WHEREAS: Joseph and members of his family have spanned five generations in the City of Cambridge; now therefore be it

RESOLUTION #76

Happy 80th Birthday wishes to
Joseph Arthur Desrosiers and
Cambridge proclaims Sunday,
August 22, 2004 as Arthur Leo
Desrosiers Day.

**Mayor Sullivan and entire
membership**

In City Council August 2, 2004

ORDER ADOPTED