

CAMBRIDGE HOUSING AUTHORITY
678 MASSACHUSETTS AVENUE
CAMBRIDGE, MASSACHUSETTS

TO THE HONORABLE CITY COUNCIL --

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OF THE CAMBRIDGE HOUSING AUTHORITY

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CAMBRIDGE HOUSING AUTHORITY / PLS HAND DELIVER BY 4:00 P. M./

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THE MODERNIZATION PROGRAM FOR YOUR AUTHORITY HAS BEEN APPROVED IN THE AMOUNT OF \$1,600,000 OF ADDITIONAL DEVELOPMENT FUNDS. THIS MONEY WILL BE FUNDED IN THE SAME MANNER AS THE ORIGINAL COSTS IN THE DEVELOPMENTS WERE FUNDED. NOTES WILL BE SOLD IN THE OPEN MARKET AND ANNUAL CONTRIBUTIONS WILL BE PAID BY HUD EACH YEAR IN SUFFICIENT AMOUNT TO COVER THE PRINCIPAL AND INTEREST ON THE NOTES SOLD. IN NO WAY WILL THE TENANT RENTS BE CHANGED AS A RESULT OF THIS ACTION. THE SUPPLEMENTAL REQUEST OF \$310,000 IS CURRENTLY BEING REVIEWED. PLEASE FURNISH COPIES OF THIS TELEGRAM TO THE CHAIRMAN, TENANT ORGANIZATION; AND MR. JUSTIN GREY.

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