



# City of Cambridge

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## IN CITY COUNCIL

April 24, 2000

COUNCILLOR REEVES  
 COUNCILLOR BORN  
 COUNCILLOR BRAUDE  
 COUNCILLOR DAVIS  
 COUNCILLOR DECKER  
 MAYOR GALLUCCIO  
 VICE MAYOR MAHER  
 COUNCILLOR SULLIVAN  
 COUNCILLOR TOOMEY

**WHEREAS:** Thirty years ago in the Freshman Union, now the Barker Center, a group of African American students determined that Harvard required a space for the celebration of black spirituality. Led by Dennis Wylie and Fred Lucas, this group of Harvard and Radcliffe students founded the Kuumba Singers of Harvard University. The first director of the group was Hubert Walters; and

**WHEREAS:** Thirty wonderful years have passed during most of which the dynamic and committed Morehouse man Dr. Robert Winfrey led groups. We come to this weekend's joyful celebration; and

**WHEREAS:** Kuumba you've come a mighty long way, and God be Praised; now therefore be it

**RESOLVED:** That the City Council go on record extending its congratulations to the Kuumba Singers of Harvard University on their 30<sup>th</sup> Anniversary and keep on inspiring our hearts with you mighty sweet voices; and be it further

**RESOLVED:** That the City Clerk be and hereby is requested to forward a suitably engrossed copy of this resolution to Kuumba Singers of Harvard University on behalf of the entire City Council.

In City Council April 24, 2000.

Adopted by the affirmative vote of nine members.

Attest:- D. Margaret Drury, City Clerk.

A true copy;

ATTEST:-

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "D. Margaret Drury".

D. Margaret Drury  
 City Clerk

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**Resolution #59**

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**Councillor Reeves**

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**ORDER ADOPTED**