



City of Cambridge

4.

Calendar Item # 9

IN CITY COUNCIL

~~October 25, 1993~~

November 1, 1993

COUNCILLOR RUSSELL
COUNCILLOR DUEHAY
COUNCILLOR SULLIVAN
COUNCILLOR TOOMEY
COUNCILLOR WALSH
VICE MAYOR CYR
MAYOR REEVES

WHEREAS: After completing 42 years of quality service to the citizens of Cambridge as a member of the Fire Department, **Deputy Fire Chief Cornelius J. O'Brien** retired on February 4, 1993; and

WHEREAS: Deputy Fire Chief Cornelius O'Brien was appointed to the Fire Department on February 4, 1951 and assigned to Engine Co. #5 as a Hoseman and is the first member of the department to complete 42 years of service in the last half century; and

WHEREAS: During this past forty-two years Deputy Chief O'Brien's tenure with the department followed the following tours of duty:

May 28, 1963 promoted to Fire Lieutenant, assigned to Engine #5 pivot to Ladder 2;

October 29, 1963 transferred to Engine Co. #4 pivot to Engine Co. #9;

March 9, 1965 transferred to Engine Co. #1;

March 17, 1968 transferred to Engine Co. #6;

March 5, 1972 transferred to Engine Co. #7 as Acting/Capt.;

May 21, 1972 promoted to Fire Captain;

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June 14, 1981 transferred to Ladder Co. #3;

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October 12, 1986 to Group #4 as Acting/Deputy Fire Chief;

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December 1, 1989 to Property Officer as Acting Deputy Chief;

December 24, 1989 promoted to Deputy Chief.

At the time of his retirement, Deputy Fire Chief O'Brien was assigned to the Property Office pivot to Division #1; and

WHEREAS: Deputy Chief O'Brien was commended in General Order #4 of 1960 for extraordinary service at Box 911 on March 3, 1960, now therefore be it

RESOLVED: That this City Council express appreciation to **Deputy Fire Chief Cornelius J. O'Brien** for his 42 years of dedicated presence as a member of the Cambridge Fire Department and wishes him many years of good health and fortune during his retirement; and be it further

RESOLVED: That the City Clerk be and hereby is requested to prepare a suitably engrossed copy of this resolution for presentation to Deputy Fire Chief O'Brien on behalf of the entire City Council.

In City Council November 1, 1993.

Adopted by a ye and nay vote:-

Yeas 9; Nays 0; Absent 0.

Attest:- D. Margaret Drury, City Clerk.

A true copy;

D. Margaret Drury

ATTEST:-

D. Margaret Drury
City Clerk

Consent

October 25, 1993

COUNCILLOR RUSSELL

Deputy Fire Chief Cornelius
J. O'Brien

WHEREAS: After completing 42 years of quality service to the citizens of Cambridge as a member of the Fire Department, Firefighter _____ retired on February 4, 1993, 1993; and

WHEREAS: Firefighter Cornelius O'Brien was appointed to the Fire Department on

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the Department to complete 42 years of service
in the last half century, and

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CHARTER RIGHT WAS EXERCISED BY COUNCILLOR WALSH



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Cyr, Dineen, Sullivan, Toomey
Walsh, Reers
Consent Order #4
R-510 #9

Councillor Ruseell re: Deputy Fire
Chief Cornelius J. O'Brien's
retirement from Cambridge Fire
Department.

Charter Right exercised
by Councillor Walsh
11/1/93 Order adopted
9-0-0.

In City Council,

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