

30 June 1981

To: The Cambridge City Council

Dear Councillors:

It is with heartfelt thanks I put pen to paper today to thank you for the vote last night for the Landmark Designation of 1564 Massachusetts Avenue. Certainly it is one of the better examples in current memory of a strong neighborhood concern becoming legislation in an orderly manner with support from all Cambridge. This would not have been possible without the untiring efforts of Mid-Cambridge in the support of The Neighborhood Conservation and Landmark Designation Ordinance and for that we are all thankful and will benefit.

A seemingly simple matter then, once the framework is in place: to identify the concern, to plan the steps for finalization of reaching the objective, to work toward that objective.

I admire each and every one of you for your commitment to City government. Having cared so deeply and worked so hard on this issue, I can only marvel at your combined energies and endurance in the service of all Cambridge Citizens. The simple matter becomes a very large job and you face countless issues on a continuing basis.

My hopes are high for the ability to work with and help the developer of 1564 with the site so it can be a source of pride to everyone now and in the future. I shall apply my energies to that end.

Thank you for your support of our neighborhood.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, reading "SUZANNA CENEDELLA RUSSELL". The signature is stylized with large, bold letters and a prominent flourish at the end.

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Massachusetts Avenue, in support of
landmark designation for 1564
Massachusetts Avenue.

In City Council

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