



City of Cambridge

R-15.

IN CITY COUNCIL

April 11, 2005

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

WHEREAS: Cambridge Camping Association is a social service agency committed to enabling any child who wants to go to camp to do so; and

WHEREAS: Cambridge Camping Association recognizes camp as a positive, effective service, both preventative and therapeutic, that fosters self-esteem and skills development, with lasting impact on positive physical, educational and social growth. Camp brings together children and staff from diverse racial, ethnic and social backgrounds in a setting that emphasizes group cooperation as well as appreciation of individual differences and similarities.

WHEREAS: The Cambridge Camping Association was formed in 1893 when several families in West Upton, Massachusetts invited 14 children to spend a week as guests on their farms. Cambridge Camping assisted families with arranging such "fresh air" retreats and over the years it expanded to include referrals to camps for children, collaborations with camps to provide summer fun, and a scholarship program to make overnight camping accessible to needy children; now therefore be it

RESOLVED: That this City Council go on record proclaiming May 8-14, 2005 as Cambridge Camping Week 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 Cambridge Camping on behalf of the entire City Council.

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Adopted by the affirmative vote of nine members.

Attest:- D. Margaret Drury, City Clerk.

A true copy;

ATTEST:-

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

D. Margaret Drury
City Clerk

RESOLUTION #15

Proclaiming May 8-14, 2005 as
Cambridge Camping Week in
Cambridge.

**Mayor Sullivan and entire
membership**

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ORDER ADOPTED