



City of Cambridge

AMENDED ORDER
O-26.
IN CITY COUNCIL

September 24, 2001

COUNCILLOR REEVES
COUNCILLOR DECKER
VICE MAYOR MAHER
COUNCILLOR SULLIVAN
COUNCILLOR TOOMEY

RESOLVED: That in this time of national sadness and concern for the victims of September 11, 2001, Harvard University might do a good thing in contributing \$5 million to the survivors of those lost in New York and Washington, D.C. According to newspaper accounts, there are many survivors, particularly of the World Trade Center site, who will receive relatively small survivor benefits. In this time when people feel that there is little that they individually can do - Harvard might make a gesture which would be meaningful.

In City Council September 24, 2001.

Adopted as amended by the affirmative vote of eight members.

Attest:- D. Margaret Drury, City Clerk.

A true copy;

ATTEST:-

A handwritten signature in cursive script, reading "D. Margaret Drury".

D. Margaret Drury
City Clerk

MAYOR GALLUCCIO RECORDED IN THE NEGATIVE ON THIS MATTER.



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ORIGINAL ORDER
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September 24, 2001

COUNCILLOR REEVES

- WHEREAS: Osama bin Laden has been identified as a terrorist committed to anti-American activity and remains the prime suspect in the bombings of September 11, 2001, in New York and Washington, D.C.; and
- WHEREAS: The bin Laden family fortune has been identified as a source which funds terrorist activity throughout the world; and
- WHEREAS: The survivors of those who died in the World Trade Center bombing and the Pentagon bombing and their families will not receive adequate benefits and support, based on recent reports in the New York Times; and
- WHEREAS: It has come to light that Harvard University has several academic chairs which have been endowed by the bin Laden family; and
- WHEREAS: It appears that the bin Laden contributions to Harvard University may equal nearly \$5 million; now therefore be it
- RESOLVED: That in this time of national sadness and concern for the victims of September 11, 2001, Harvard University might do a good thing in contributing an amount equal to its bin Laden receipts to the survivors of those lost in New York and Washington, D.C. According to newspaper accounts, there are many survivors, particularly of the World Trade Center site, who will receive relatively small survivor benefits. In this time when people feel that there is little that they individually can do - Harvard might make a gesture which would be meaningful.

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Resolved: That in this time
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Possibility of Harvard contributing
an amount equal to its bin Laden
receipts to the survivors of those
lost in New York and Washington,
D.C.

Councillors Reeves ~~and Born~~

In City Council September 24, 2001

ORDER ADOPTED as
amended
Mayor Galluccio recorded
in the negative on
this matter.