



City of Cambridge

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IN CITY COUNCIL

March 26, 1990

Councillor Duehay
 Mayor Wolf
 Vice Mayor Reeves
 Councillor Cyr
 Councillor Myers
 Councillor Russell
 Councillor Sullivan
 Councillor Toomey
 Councillor Walsh

- WHEREAS: More than 20 million Americans joined together on Earth Day in 1970 to demonstrate concern for our environment resulting in enactment of the Clean Air and Water Acts and the creation of the Environmental Protection Agency; and
- WHEREAS: Citizens around the world are aware of the earth's plight and will pledge to live in an environmentally sound manner in their purchasing, use and disposal of goods to mark Earth Day, April 22, 1990; and
- WHEREAS: Despite major efforts since the first Earth Day, the environment is still endangered and must be protected through immediate and sustained efforts by all sectors of society; and
- WHEREAS: Earth Day 1990 is a national and international call-to-action for all to join in a global effort to save the planet; ;and
- WHEREAS: President George Bush has officially proclaimed April 22, 1990 as Earth Day and encourages all citizens and levels of government across this nation to carry out appropriate activities on that day; and
- WHEREAS: Earth Day 1990 activities will seek to point out to all citizens the importance of living in an environmentally sensitive fashion; and
- WHEREAS: The City of Cambridge is often looked to as a center for progressive and responsible example; and
- WHEREAS: The Cambridge City Council will soon approve a curbside recycling program and is currently considering eliminating the emission of CFC's to protect the ozone layer, requiring the recycling of used motor oil, and instituting programs to encourage all institutions to take decisive action to reduce the waste stream;

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- WHEREAS: Through these and other measures the Cambridge City Council has consistently sought to protect its environment for those who live and work here; and
- WHEREAS: A volunteer Cambridge Earth Day 1990 Committee headed by Marianne Donnelly of 854 Massachusetts Avenue has planned a number of important lectures and films and a benefit concert held on March 23 leading up to April 22; and
- WHEREAS: This Committee has planned an Earth Day Celebration on the riverbank at Weeks Bridge for Sunday, April 22, entertainment and activities in which over 40 environmental groups will participate and which will feature Bill McKibben as a major speaker; and
- WHEREAS: All citizens of Cambridge are invited to participate in these activities between 10:00 a.m. and 3:00 p.m. on April 22, which will include a walk to Boston commencing at 1:30 p.m. to join celebrants at the Esplanade from all over the metropolitan region; now therefore be it
- RESOLVED: That this City Council hereby designates April 22, 1990 as Earth Day 1990 in Cambridge and the 1990's as the decade of the environment; and be it further
- RESOLVED: That the City Council encourages all individuals and organizations to participate fully in Earth Day 1990 activities planned by the City and/or by designing their own programs; and be it further
- RESOLVED: That this City Council thank the Cambridge Earth Day 1990 Committee, in particular, its Chairpersons Marianne Donnelly, and Brian Trelstad, Chair of the Environmental Action Committee at Harvard's Phillips Brooks House, for its generous contributions of time, talent and imagination in focussing Cambridge's attention on environmental action at this crucial time; and be it further
- RESOLVED: That Mayor Wolf be asked to present this resolution to the Cambridge Earth Day 1990 Committee on a suitable public occasion.

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Adopted by the affirmative vote of nine members.

Attest:- Joseph E. Connarton, City Clerk.

A true copy;

Joseph E. Connarton

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Joseph E. Connaman

City Clerk

Order # 7 5-305

Entire membership re: April 22, 1990
designated as Earth Day 1990.

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Order adopted