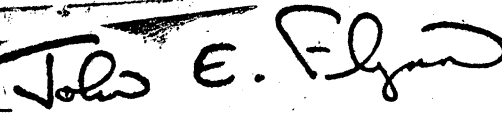


In City Council March 30, 1987.
Adopted by the affirmative vote of 9 members.
Attest:- John E. Flynn, Acting City Clerk.

A true copy;

ATTEST:-

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "John E. Flynn". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style with a horizontal line above the first few letters.

John E. Flynn, Acting City Clerk.



City of Cambridge

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IN CITY COUNCIL

March 30, 1987

VICE MAYOR VELLUCCI

- WHEREAS: The Cambridge Consumers' Council was established by Ordinance on June 29, 1981, to protect the needs and interests of the consumer public in Cambridge through complaint resolution, education and in cooperation with other City departments and agencies;
- WHEREAS: The Cambridge Consumers' Council is organized under the Assistant City Manager for Human Services and is part of the Attorney General's statewide consumer protection network;
- WHEREAS: The Consumers' Council services are available to all Cambridge residents with a priority focus on elderly, low income and handicapped consumers;
- WHEREAS: In 1986 over 1,000 telephone inquiries and 400 written complaints were processed by the Consumers' Council resulting in a total of \$35,000 in savings to consumers;
- WHEREAS: The Cambridge Consumers' Council was recently featured in a Boston Globe article and on the March 24th edition of WCVB's Chronicle TV Show on Channel 5;
- WHEREAS: The Consumers' Council and its staff are to be commended for their work with Cambridge consumers and with the many Cambridge businesses that serve the public in a fair and responsible manner;
- WHEREAS: The President of the United States has proclaimed the week of April 19-25, 1987 as National Consumers Week and has endorsed the Consumers' Bill of Rights as follows:
- the Right to Choice
 - the Right to Information
 - the Right to Safety
 - the Right to Be Heard
 - the Right to Consumer Education

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that in conjunction with the observances of the sixth annual National Consumers Week, the week of April 19-25, 1987 be proclaimed Cambridge Consumer Week in the City of Cambridge.

Order # 8 S-210

Vice-Mayor Vellucci re: proclaiming the
week of April 19-25, 1987 as "National
Consumers Week".

In City Council,
March 30, 1987

V.M. Vellucci
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