



City of Cambridge

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IN CITY COUNCIL

March 18, 2002

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

WHEREAS: A significant amount of litter on our city's sidewalks and streets is attributed to non-winning lottery scratch tickets that are discarded outside of businesses selling lottery tickets; and

WHEREAS: The Massachusetts State Lottery Commission, under the direction of State Treasurer Shannon O'Brien, last year implemented the Clean Fun Sweepstakes, a ten-week program encouraging the recycling of non-winning scratch tickets for eligibility and entry to an additional sweepstakes; and

WHEREAS: The Clean Fun Sweepstakes encouraged 10 million entries from throughout the Commonwealth, an estimated 40 million non-winning tickets which resulted in 85 tons of scratch tickets being recycled; and

WHEREAS: The 2002 Clean Fun Sweepstakes will launch for its second year at the end of March; and

WHEREAS: This council has established as a community value a healthy environment; now therefore be it

RESOLVED: That the public and lottery agents in the City of Cambridge be cognizant of this opportunity to encourage recycling; and be it further

ORDERED: That the City Manager be and hereby is requested to make every effort to publicize this opportunity to recycle lottery tickets, including running information about this program as a public service announcement on the municipal cable.

In City Council March 25, 2002.
 Adopted by the affirmative vote of eight members.
 Attest:- D. Margaret Drury, City Clerk.

A true copy;

ATTEST:- *D. Margaret Drury*

D. Margaret Drury
 City Clerk

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The City Manager is requested to make every effort to publicize the opportunity to recycle lottery tickets, including running information about this program as a public service announcement on the municipal cable.

Vice Mayor Davis

In City Council March 25, 2002

ORDER ADOPTED.