



City of Cambridge

R-42.

IN CITY COUNCIL

May 22, 2006

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

WHEREAS: On Thursday, June 1, 2006 at 4:00 p.m. the City of Cambridge will celebrate the creation of a beautiful new plaza at Porter Square; and

WHEREAS: The plaza will be dedicated as the Shapiro Family Plaza in honor of the Shapiro Family on the 50th Anniversary of TAGS Hardware and in recognition of their significant contributions to the City of Cambridge; and

WHEREAS: The plaza is part of a new redesign of Porter Square that enhances the safety and convenience for all users, with particular emphasis on pedestrian, cyclists and transit riders; and

WHEREAS: The new Porter Square features public art by Toshihiro Katayama, whose bold design gives the square a visual identify and unifies a large and busy intersection; now therefore be it

RESOLVED: That the City Council go on record congratulating the many city employees who have worked to make the new Porter Square a reality, artist Toshihiro Katayama and the Shapiro family on the occasion of the celebration and dedication of Shapiro Plaza; and be it further

RESOLVED: That the City Clerk be and hereby is requested to forward a suitably engrossed copy of this resolution to Robert W. Healy, City Manager, Toshihiro Katayama and the Shapiro family 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 cursive script, reading "D. Margaret Drury".

D. Margaret Drury
City Clerk

RESOLUTION #42

Congratulations to all who have worked to make the new Porter Square a reality and to artist Toshihiro Katayama and the Shapiro family on the occasion of the celebration and dedication of Shapiro Plaza.

Councillor Murphy and entire membership

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ORDER ADOPTED