



City of Cambridge

R-10.

IN CITY COUNCIL

April 12, 2004

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

WHEREAS: It has come to the attention of this City Council that Father J. Bryan Hehir will received the 2004 Laetare Medal, presented by the University of Notre Dame; and

WHEREAS: Father Hehir is the present President and Treasurer of Catholic Charities for the Archdiocese of Boston; and

WHEREAS: Father Hehir was ordained a priest in 1966; and

WHEREAS: The Laetare Medal is so named because its recipient is announced each year in celebration of Laetare Sunday, the Fourth Sunday in Lent on the Catholic Church calendar; and

WHEREAS: The Laetare Medal was established in 1883 as a counterpart to the Golden Rose, a papal honor which antedates the 11th century; and

WHEREAS: The medal is awarded annually at Notre Dame to a Catholic "whose genius has ennobled the arts and sciences, illustrated the ideals if the Church, and enriched the heritage of humanity"; now therefore be it

RESOLVED: That this City Council go on record extending its congratulations to Father J. Bryan Hehir on the occasion of receiving the 2004 Laetare Medal; and be it further

RESOLVED: That the City Clerk be and hereby is requested to forward a suitably engrossed copy of this resolution to Father J. Bryan Hehir 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 #10

Congratulations to Father J. Bryan
Hehir on receiving the 2004 Laetare
Medal presented by the University of
Notre Dame.

**Mayor Sullivan and entire
membership**

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ORDER ADOPTED