



City of Cambridge

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IN CITY COUNCIL

December 18, 1978

COUNCILLOR SULLIVAN

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- RESOLVED: That His Honor the Mayor appoint three members of this City Council as a Special Sub-Committee to work with this committee and aid them in planning for this event.

In City Council December 18, 1978
Adopted by the affirmative vote of 9 members.
Attest: Paul E. Healy, City Clerk

A true copy,

ATTEST:

Order #5

S-538

C. Sullivan resolutions on appointing an appropriate committee to commemorate the 350th Anniversary of the City of Cambridge.

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