



City of Cambridge

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COUNCILLOR WOLF

IN CITY COUNCIL
September 9, 1985

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Adopted by the affirmative vote of 5 members.
Attest:- Paul E. Healy, City Clerk..

A true copy;

ATTEST:-

Paul E. Healy, City Clerk.

COUNCILLORS WALTER SULLIVAN, DANEHY, LAROSA & CLINTON RECORDED IN THE NEGATIVE IN
THIS MATTER.

Order # 4 S-614

Councillor Wolf re: City Council reaffirm
its concern and support for the Central
American refugees.

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A 5 Voted
4 Approver

CWVJ
C. Dauby
C. P. Mason
C. Clinton

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