



City of Cambridge

1.

IN CITY COUNCIL

April 29, 1991

COUNCILLOR SULLIVAN
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COUNCILLOR WALSH

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RESOLVED: That this City Council go on record in full support of the memorial to be constructed at the corner of Hayward Street and Main Street in honor of the late Officer Lawrence W. Gorman in recognition of a dedicated police officer who was killed in the line of duty protecting the people of Cambridge, and be it further

RESOLVED: That the City Clerk be and hereby is requested to prepare a suitable resolution for presentation to Mrs. Mary Merkley on behalf of the entire City Council at ceremonies to be arranged by the Cambridge Police Department on Sunday, June 2, 1991.

In City Council April 29, 1991.

Adopted by the affirmative vote of nine members.

Attest:- John E. Flynn, Deputy City Clerk.

A true copy;

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John E. Flynn City Clerk

Order # 1 S- 576

CONSENT

*Russell
Wales*
Councillor Sullivan resolution to dedicate
the corner of Hayward Street and Main Street
in honor of the late Police Officer Lawrence
W. Gorman.

In City Council,

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Order adopted