



The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

Secretary of State

MICHAEL JOSEPH CONNOLLY
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STATE HOUSE . BOSTON 02133
727-2800

April 24, 1979

Mr. Paul Healy
City Clerk
City Hall
Cambridge, MA 02139

Dear Mr. Healy:

At my direction, the Division of the Archives is in the process of compiling a list of all time capsules that are in existence in the Commonwealth.

This project has been developed to guarantee that the material contained in these time capsules will not be lost and forgotten over the years and will be available to be opened on the signified dates.

Without a listing in a central location, such as our State Archives, there is some doubt that a full reclaiming of these valuable historical resources will occur.

Therefore, my office needs the help of the Cambridge clerk's office to accomplish this task.

Would you kindly make a listing of such sites in Cambridge in which historical materials have been stored in time capsules, and send the information to my office in Boston, care of the Archives Division. Please try to be as specific as possible as to the exact physical location of the records, and if possible, the contents of such capsules. The more accurate and complete the list, the greater historical significance it will have; therefore, would you also notify Cambridge's Historical Commission of this request, so that they might assist you, and add to the accuracy of the document, which will be retained in the State Archives.

Your cooperation is greatly appreciated. If we work together on this endeavor, we can add to the rich heritage of our Commonwealth.

Sincerely,

A large, stylized handwritten signature of Michael Joseph Connolly in black ink.

Michael Joseph Connolly
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