



City of Cambridge

3.

IN CITY COUNCIL

October 7, 1996

MAYOR RUSSELL
VICE MAYOR BORN
COUNCILLOR DAVIS
COUNCILLOR DUEHAY
COUNCILLOR GALLUCCIO
COUNCILLOR REEVES
COUNCILLOR SULLIVAN
COUNCILLOR TOOMEY
COUNCILLOR TRIANTAFILLOU

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WHEREAS: Hospice helped meet the medical, emotional and spiritual needs of more than 390,000 terminally ill adults and children across the nation last year alone; and

WHEREAS: Hospice cares for both the patient and his or her family; and

WHEREAS: Hospice offers help and support to the patient and family on a 24-hour, seven-days-a-week basis; and

WHEREAS: Hospice in the United States has flourished from one program in 1974 to 2,800 today; and

WHEREAS: Hospice helps patients live fully until their last moment of life; and

WHEREAS: The 47 Hospice organizations affiliated with The Hospice Federation of Massachusetts have served the people of the Commonwealth since 1979, regardless of ability to pay; and

WHEREAS: An increase in public awareness and understanding of Hospice care will better serve the families of our community who are faced with a terminal illness; now therefore be it

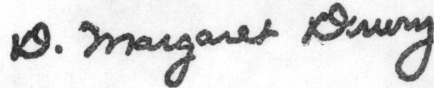
RESOLVED: That Cambridge will join the hundreds of towns, cities, and states in observing the month of November as National Hospice Month, and further that the Cambridge City Council actively encourages the support and participation of friends, neighbors, colleagues and fellow citizens in associated Hospice activities and programs now and throughout the year.

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Adopted by the affirmative vote of nine members.

Attest:- D. Margaret Drury, City Clerk.

A true copy;

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read "D. Margaret Drury". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

ATTEST:-

D. Margaret Drury
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Consent Order #3

R-998

Entire Membership

Mayor Russell re: Observe the month of
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the City of Cambridge and encourage the
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ORDER ADOPTED