



City of Cambridge

R-45.

IN CITY COUNCIL

June 4, 2007

COUNCILLOR DECKER
COUNCILLOR DAVIS
COUNCILLOR GALLUCCIO
COUNCILLOR KELLEY
COUNCILLOR MURPHY
MAYOR REEVES
COUNCILLOR SIMMONS
COUNCILLOR SULLIVAN
VICE MAYOR TOOMEY

WHEREAS: This City Council was deeply saddened at learning of the death of Specialist Matthew LaForest, 21, of Austin, Texas on May 25, 2007 due to combat operations in Taji, Iraq; and

WHEREAS: Matthew was a member of 4th Battalion, 9th Infantry Regiment, 4th Stryker Brigade Combat Team, 2nd Infantry Division; and

WHEREAS: Matthew's passing will leave a void in the lives of all his surviving family; and

WHEREAS: Matthew will be sorely missed by all he touched and loved; now therefore be it

RESOLVED: That this City Council go on record extending its deepest sympathy to the family of Specialist Matthew LaForest at this time of such personal loss; and be it further

RESOLVED: That the City Clerk be and hereby is requested to forward a suitably engrossed copy of this resolution to the family of Matthew LaForest on behalf of the entire City Council.

In City Council June 4, 2007.

Adopted by the affirmative vote of nine members.

Attest:- D. Margaret Drury, City Clerk.

A true copy;

ATTEST:-

A handwritten signature in cursive script, reading "D. Margaret Drury".

D. Margaret Drury
City Clerk

RESOLUTION #45

**Resolution on the death of
Specialist Matthew LaForest
Councillor Decker and entire
membership**

**In City Council
June 4, 2007**

ORDER ADOPTED