

RESOLVED: That this City Council go on record extending its thanks to Alice Hoffman for her continued efforts to help battle and find a cure for breast cancer, and proclaim Monday, October 4, 2004 as Alice Hoffman Day in the City of Cambridge; and be it further

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

In City Council August 2, 2004.

Adopted by the affirmative vote of nine members.

Attest:- D. Margaret Drury, City Clerk.

A true copy;

ATTEST:-

D. Margaret Drury
City Clerk



City of Cambridge

R-39.

IN CITY COUNCIL

August 2, 2004

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

WHEREAS: Alice Hoffman was born and raised in New York City on March 16, 1952; and

WHEREAS: Alice received her B.A from Adelphi University and was awarded a Mirrellees Fellowship to the Stanford University Creative Writing Center; and

WHEREAS: Alice Hoffman wrote her first novel, PROPERTY OF, at the age of Twenty-one, while she was still studying at Stanford; and

WHEREAS: Alice Hoffman, a Breast Cancer survivor herself, has done great things to help women inflicted with this dreaded disease; and

WHEREAS: Breast Cancer is a disease most women fight privately; and

WHEREAS: Alice began sharing her experiences as a tool to help others in their journey; and

WHEREAS: Due in part to personal donations and sponsored events, the breast cancer center at the Mount Auburn Hospital was named in her honor; and

WHEREAS: Alice, through her tireless efforts, has been responsible for the raising of over a million dollars to support the fight of this dreaded disease; and

WHEREAS: Alice is an inspiration to us all, not only here in Cambridge, but throughout the Commonwealth of Massachusetts; now therefore be it

RESOLUTION #39

Thanks to Alice Hoffman for her continued efforts to help battle and find a cure for breast cancer and Monday, October 4, 2004 is proclaimed as Alice Hoffman Day in Cambridge.

Mayor Sullivan and entire membership

In City Council August 2, 2004

ORDER ADOPTED