



City of Cambridge

17.

IN CITY COUNCIL

October 5, 1992

COUNCILLOR TOOMEY
COUNCILLOR RUSSELL
COUNCILLOR SULLIVAN
MAYOR REEVES

WHEREAS: Because of a burning desire to have their own national church, a group of East Cambridge residents petitioned the Italian Franciscan Friars to help them found an Italian Church; and

WHEREAS: The old Baptist Church, located on the corner of Fourth and Cambridge Streets, was bought and remodeled by the Franciscan Friars and was dedicated and blessed by the Very Reverend Fr. Provincial, Fr. Jacob Meringhi, O.F.M. and the Reverend Anselmo Lenzi, O.F.M. was appointed the first Pastor; and

WHEREAS: The story of a parish really embraces many stories, it embraces the stories of peoples and traditions of priests, religious sisters and parishioners, it is a story of progress and decline of newness and renewal; and

WHEREAS: It is most of all a story of spiritual and religious faith, it is the story of a parish bearing witness to God among men and women; and

WHEREAS: As a vital part of the Roman Catholic Archdiocese of Boston, the parish is an intimate Community which strives to grow in the love of Jesus; and

WHEREAS: This historical seventy-fifth celebration honors a religion of people and an ancestry which caught a vision and through many generations, lived out a dream; and

WHEREAS: For seventy-five years, the PARISH OF SAINT FRANCIS OF ASSISI under the leadership and guidance of a long line of notable and distinguished Franciscan Friars, has espoused the tenets of Catholicism; now therefore be it

RESOLVED: That this City Council go on record extending its congratulations to you for your endurance and extensive contributions to the religious climate of our city, and do wish Friar Dismas Centrella and the parishioners of SAINT FRANCIS OF ASSISI CHURCH another seventy-five years of outstanding service.

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Adopted by the affirmative vote of eight members.

Attest:- D. Margaret Drury, City Clerk.

A true copy;

ATTEST:- *D. Margaret Drury*
D. Margaret Drury
City Clerk

Consent

19.

October 5, 1992

Councillor Toomey

Resolved: That this City Council go on record
extending its heartiest congratulations
and Best Wishes to the Priests and
Parishioners of St. Francis of Assisi
Parish on the occasion of their
75th Anniversary.

FAX COVER SHEET

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Timothy S Toomey Jr

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John A Toomey

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75th Anniversary of St Francis
Assis Church



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Russell Sullivan CONSENT ORDER #17 *McRee* 5-769
Councilor Toomey re: 75th Anniversary
of St. Francis of Assisi Parish.

In City Council,

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Order Adopted