



City of Cambridge

144.

IN CITY COUNCIL

September 8, 1997

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

- WHEREAS: **The North Cambridge Council No. 269 Knights of Columbus** was founded on October 10, 1987; and
- WHEREAS: The North Cambridge Council consisted of sixty-four charter members, and Richard A. Ahern served as its First Grand Knight; and
- WHEREAS: Meetings were held in various halls and rooms until 1913 when a clubhouse located at 2187 Massachusetts Avenue was purchased; and
- WHEREAS: The spirit of North Cambridge Council was spread throughout the world by the countless brave young men who served our country in the armed forces in the ultimate demonstration of one of the chief principles of the Knights of Columbus - patriotism; and
- WHEREAS: The Council and its members have donated many thousands of dollars and many thousands of hours in the name of charity for the benefit of exceptional children, the poor and the disadvantaged; and
- WHEREAS: In 1937, the Columbia Square Circle No. 199 was organized and was made up of 186 young men, the largest to be initiated up to that time; and
- WHEREAS: Three members have held office in the state organization, one of whom held the office of State Deputy and is presently Master of the Fourth Degree and fifteen members have served as District Deputies; and
- WHEREAS: In 1968 Dennis J. Callahan, the last of the sixty-four charter members passed away; and

WHEREAS: In 1970-1971 a series of fires destroyed the council building and for the first time in more than fifty years meeting were held in a building not owned by the Council; and

WHEREAS: In 1976 the Council moved into their own new quarters at 10 Harvey Street; and

WHEREAS: The North Cambridge Council No. 269 Knights of Columbus which since its inception has been an integral part of the community and has contributed greatly to its benefit and to the entire commonwealth; now therefore be it

RESOLVED: That the City of Cambridge hereby congratulates the Officers and members of North Cambridge Council No. 269 Knights of Columbus on the joyous occasion of the **One Hundredth Anniversary** of its founding, commends it upon its accomplishments and extends its sincere best wishes for continued success; and be it further

RESOLVED: That the City Clerk be and hereby is requested to prepare a suitably engrossed copy of this resolution to be sent to North Cambridge Council No. 269 Knights of Columbus on behalf of the entire City Council.

In City Council September 8, 1997.

Adopted by the affirmative vote of nine members.

Attest:- D. Margaret Drury, City Clerk.

A true copy;



ATTEST:-

D. Margaret Drury
City Clerk

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RESOLVED: That the City of Cambridge hereby congratulates the Officers and members of North Cambridge Council No. 269 Knights of Columbus on the joyous occasion

of **THE ONE HUNDREDTH ANNIVERSARY** of its founding, commends it upon its accomplishments and extends its sincere best wishes for continued success; and be it further

RESOLVED: That the City Clerk be and hereby is requested to prepare a suitably engrossed copy of this resolution to be sent to North Cambridge Council No. 269 Knights of Columbus on behalf of the entire City Council.

To be prepared Mayor
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Congratulating (144.)

North Cambridge Council
#269 Knights of Columbus
100th Anniversary

Donna
Will do a full blown
She just wanted to hold
a space.



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RESOLVED: That this City Council go on record congratulating the **North Cambridge Council #269 Knights of Columbus** on the occasion of their 100th Anniversary.

Consent Order #144 *Entire memb. R-1201*

Mayor Russell re: Congratulations
to the North Cambridge Council #269
Knights of Columbus on their 100th
Anniversary.

In City Council September 8, 1997

ORDER ADOPTED