



City of Cambridge

Councillor Sullivan

13.
IN CITY COUNCIL
October 18, 1976

WHEREAS:

Life came to a close for Harold V. "Bob" Coyne on October 4, 1976 at the age of seventy-eight years, and

WHEREAS:

The life of Bob Coyne was entwined with the world of sports from his high school days at Somerville High where he participated in baseball and football and later as an undergraduate of Holy Cross College, and

WHEREAS:

Bob Coyne had an illustrious career as a cartoonist for the Boston Post, the Boston Record and the Boston Herald American for forty-seven years and gained national recognition for his portrayals of athletic events and his lifelike drawings of the athletes who participated in every phase of the sporting world, and

WHEREAS:

Bob Coyne was a household world in New England, who, along with Bill Cunningham, Austin Lake, Colonel Egan and a host of other writers, brought the sporting world into the breakfast table and provided the inspiration for many young athletes to excel in their chosen fields of endeavor, therefore be it

RESOLVED:

That in his passing, the City of Cambridge has lost an outstanding citizen who used his extraordinary talents to promote countless charitable endeavors and one who, by the stroke of his pen, could inspire and entertain others by his graphic descriptions of sporting events, and be it further

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That this City Council joins with his wife Helen and his friends in sorrow over their great loss and extends its sympathy and hope for comfort to those who were privileged to know him, and be it further

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That the City Clerk be and hereby is directed to have a copy of this resolution delivered to the family in token of our sympathy.

In City Council October 18, 1976
Adopted by the affirmative vote of 9 members.
Attest: Paul E. Healy, City Clerk

A true copy,

ATTEST:

A handwritten signature in cursive script, reading "Paul E. Healy", written over a horizontal line.

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