



CITY OF CAMBRIDGE
INTEROFFICE CORRESPONDENCE

To Mr. John J. Curry
City Manager

Date June 20, 1955

From J. F. Lucey
Supervisor of Sewers

Reference Your letter of
June 15, 1955

Subject City Council order of June 13, 1955
Drainage conditions on Tufts Street and Chestnut Street
between Magazine and Pearl Streets

The two catch basins in Tufts Street were rodded and serviced on Sunday, June 12, 1955 at 11:48 A. M. because of an accumulation of water at this location. In order to free the basins it was necessary to remove several pieces of planking of various sizes ranging from one inch to eight inches in width and up to about four feet in length. Upon removal of the planking, the accumulation of water ran off in a matter of a few minutes. These two catch basins were cleaned on Monday, June 13, 1955.

Due to the fact that in the layout of Tufts Street, a low hollow section exists and the area is subject to a more than ordinary run off. I recommend that the present catch basins drains and traps be excavated and new and larger drain pipes (ten inch) and hoods be installed. This work should be completed and the results observed prior to the consideration of putting in of any new catch basins.

The same general condition exists on Chestnut street as in Tufts Street, that is a low hollow area subject to more than ordinary run off of surface water and it is recommended that the same procedure be followed.

The Sewer Division will add the above work to its schedule and shall perform the work before the Fall rains.

The catch basins in Chestnut Street, between Pearl and Magazine Streets, were cleaned June 6, 1955 and serviced again today.

Very truly yours,

J. F. Lucey
Supervisor of Sewers

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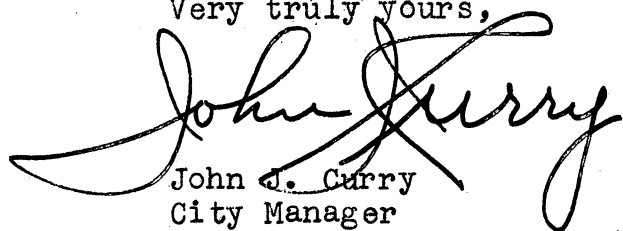
JOHN J. CURRY
CITY MANAGER

June 27, 1955

To the Honorable, the City Council:

I transmit herewith communication from Public Works Department, concerning drainage conditions on Tufts Street and Chestnut Street between Magazine and Pearl Streets, in compliance with City Council order of June 13, 1955.

Very truly yours,



John J. Curry
City Manager

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COMMUNICATION
from the City Manager trans-
mitting one from Supervisor of
Sewer. concerning drainage conditions
on Tupper St. & Chestnut St. between
Magazine & Paul Streets

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In City Council. JUN 27 1955

Referred to the Committee on
Public Service

Frederick H. Barber City Clerk

JUN 30 1955
In City Council File

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Frederick H. Barber City Clerk

City of Cambridge

In City Council June 30, 1955.....

The

Committee on Public Service

to which was referred report of Sewer Department relative to sewerage conditions, Tufts Street, Chestnut Street.

Reports,

Recommending that the report be placed on file.

Thomas Weston

For the Committee.

REPORT

Committee on

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Appraisal of the Public Service
File report on Tufts et al etc

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June 30, 1955

Report received and
recommendation ADOPTED.

Attest Frederick H. Barker
City Clerk