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Cambridge City Council
City Hall
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Dear Councilors:

Recently residents of two neighborhoods have asked Cambridge Citizens for Liveable Neighborhoods for its assistance in solving some traffic enforcement issues in their neighborhoods. CCLN has voted to write this letter asking for resolution of these problems.

The parking lot serving the stores at Linnaean and Massachusetts Avenue creates a safety hazard by cars crossing and parking over the sidewalk. School children walking to the Peabody School are at risk as drivers enter, park, and exit illegally.

At the corner of Prospect and Broadway cars are driving over the curb to enter the parking lot of the donut shop at that corner. Apparently the owner of the property does not have a legal curb cut, and so any vehicles in the parking lot have broken the law. Children going to three neighborhood schools (Longfellow, Fletcher, and Maynard) do not expect to find cars driving over the sidewalk and curb.

Please ask the Traffic and Police departments to enforce regulations, and in the case of Broadway and Prospect ask the Inspectional Services department how an occupancy permit was granted for property needing a curb cut to do business.

Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely yours,

Robert O. Edbrooke

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For the Board of Directors,
Cambridge Citizens for
Liveable Neighborhoods

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Comm. from Robert O. Edbrooke, CCLN,
relative to traffic enforcement issues
at the parking lot at the corner of
Linnaean Street and Mass. Ave.

In City Council,

November 19, 1990

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City Manager
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