



City of Cambridge

Original Order
48.

IN CITY COUNCIL

April 3, 1995

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WHEREAS: It seems especially ironic that in every neighborhood of the city there are at least several blighted uninhabited buildings; and

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ORDERED: That the City Manger with the assistance of the Assessor and the Community Development Department provide the City Council with an inventory of such buildings, including but not limited to all residential buildings in significant arrears on tax payments, and also other buildings which have been uninhabitable for at least a year, including properties on Walden Street, Robert C. Kelley Road, Appleton Street and Washington Street.



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Amended Order

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COUNCILLOR DUEHAY
COUNCILLOR GALLUCCIO
VICE MAYOR RUSSELL
COUNCILLOR TRIANTAFILLOU

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In City Council April 3, 1995

Adopted as amended by the affirmative vote of eight members.

Attest:- D. Margaret Drury, City Clerk.

A true copy;

ATTEST:- *D. Margaret Drury*

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Duehay Galluccio Russell,
Treasurer

Consent Order #48

CM-129

Councillor Born re: Shortage of affordable
housing in Cambridge.

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