



# City of Cambridge

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IN CITY COUNCIL

October 26, 1992

COUNCILLOR DUEHAY  
MAYOR REEVES  
VICE MAYOR CYR  
COUNCILLOR MYERS  
COUNCILLOR RUSSELL  
COUNCILLOR SULLIVAN  
COUNCILLOR TOOMEY  
COUNCILLOR WALSH  
COUNCILLOR WOLF

WHEREAS: Smoking is the leading preventable cause of illness and death in the United States; and

WHEREAS: Every year, tobacco related diseases kill 435,000 Americans - more than die from AIDS, homicides, suicides, cocaine, heroin, alcohol, fires and auto accidents combined; and

WHEREAS: The American Cancer Society and many other health organizations have sponsored referendum question #1 on the ballot on November 3, which, if approved, will add \$.25 to each package of cigarettes, the proceeds to be used by local government for health education; and

WHEREAS: The United States Surgeon General has stated that raising the price of cigarettes is the most direct and effective way to reduce smoking, particularly among young, first-time smokers; now therefore be it

RESOLVED: That the Cambridge City Council go on record urging the voters of Cambridge to vote "YES" on Referendum Question #1 at the general election on Tuesday, November 3.

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Adopted by the affirmative vote of nine members.

Attest:- D. Margaret Drury, City Clerk.

A true copy;

ATTEST:- *D. Margaret Drury*

D. Margaret Drury  
City Clerk

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All councillors - non-consent agenda

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*K. Margaret Drury* City Clerk

NON-CONSENT ORDER #7

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Entire membership re: Referendum Question  
#1.

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Order Adopted

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