



# City of Cambridge

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IN CITY COUNCIL

September 26, 1977

MAYOR VELLUCCI

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- WHEREAS: The Cambridge program is the oldest of its kind in the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, serving as a model for more recent programs, and
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- WHEREAS: The Commonwealth of Massachusetts has arbitrarily and capriciously indicated that it will reduce the enrollment of the Cambridge program from 2500 to 1800 recipients, and
- WHEREAS: Such an unwarranted cut will adversely affect the health of a number of our city's youngsters, now therefore be it
- ORDERED: That the City Manager be and hereby is requested to confer with state officials to secure continued support of the W.I.C. Program at the full enrollment level, and further be it
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Adopted by the affirmative vote of 9 members.  
Attest: Paul E. Healy, City Clerk

A true copy,

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