



City of Cambridge

1.

IN CITY COUNCIL

October 15, 1979

COUNCILOR DUEHAY
COUNCILOR GRAHAM
COUNCILOR PREUSSER
COUNCILOR WYLIE

- WHEREAS: Full human rights of citizenship under the Constitution without discrimination are the basic inalienable rights of every citizen;
- WHEREAS: Women have been subject to sex discrimination under our Constitution since its inception;
- WHEREAS: Such discrimination against females has resulted in extreme economic deprivation;
- WHEREAS: The Equal Rights Amendment to the United States Constitution would finally guarantee women full rights under the Constitution and eliminate sex discrimination under the basic law of our land;
- WHEREAS: The City of Cambridge believes in equal rights for all persons under the law;
- WHEREAS: The Equal Rights Amendment has not yet been ratified by thirty-eight states; and
- WHEREAS: Congress has extended the time for ratification of the Equal Rights Amendment until June 30, 1982; therefore be it
- RESOLVED: That no City of Cambridge employee shall attend any meeting, convention or conference in any unratified state at public expense, be it further
- RESOLVED: That the City of Cambridge notifies the political leaders of the unratified states and the media of this action, and be it further
- RESOLVED: That this resolution shall take effect on January 1, 1980.

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Adopted by the affirmative vote of 7 members.

Attest: Paul E. Healy, City Clerk

A true copy,

ATTEST:

Councillors Crane and Sullivan have requested to be recorded in the negative on this matter.

Order #1

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C. Duehay, C. Graham, C. Preusser and
C. Wylie resolutions re: ratification of
the Equal Rights Amendment.

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In City Council,

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Order Adopted

MEMBERS

C. Sullivan

C. Crane

Recorded in

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The Negative