



City of Cambridge

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IN CITY COUNCIL
September 23, 1991

MAYOR WOLF
VICE MAYOR REEVES

WHEREAS: The City of Cambridge fortuitously finds itself in better financial shape than expected at the same time some critical needs have arisen; and

WHEREAS: Many residents are running out of unemployment benefits and have no means of paying for rent or other basic needs at a time when the economy shows little sign of recovery; and

WHEREAS: Governor Weld vetoed Asylum Representation Project (ARP) funds, much of which enabled Centro Presente, Cambridgeport Problem Center, and Cambridge and Somerville Legal Services to advise refugees about gaining permanent legal status; now therefore be it

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Adopted by the affirmative vote of nine members.

Attest:- Joseph E. Connarton, City Clerk.

A true copy; *Joseph E. Connarton*

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Consent Order # 17 F-527
J. M. Reines
Mayor Wolf re: legal services funding.

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Order adopted