



City of Cambridge

Agenda Item No. 6
IN CITY COUNCIL
April 22, 1996

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In City Council April 22, 1996.

Adopted by a ye and nay vote:-

Yeas 9; Nays 0; Absent 0.

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CITY OF CAMBRIDGE
COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT DEPARTMENT

SUSAN B. SCHLESINGER

*Assistant City Manager for
Community Development*

ELIZABETH EPSTEIN

*Deputy Director for
Community Development*

MEMO

TO: Robert W. Healy
FROM: Susan B. Schlesinger
RE: Bicycle Safety Week
DATE: April 5, 1996

Learning and understanding the rules of the road early is the first step to a lifetime of safe travel. Efforts to promote health, fitness, and a cleaner environment, as well as traffic safety, have led to the creation of **Bicycle Safety Week** in Cambridge.

This week-long event, scheduled for June 3-8, 1996, will include guest speakers, on-bike safety lessons, a poster contest and much more. The week will culminate on Saturday, June 8 with a "Bicycle Bash" in Cambridge's Danehy Park. Participants will have the opportunity to learn more about bicycle safety, maintenance and repair, as well as receive instruction. Please find a schedule for Bicycle Safety Week attached.

If you have questions, please do not hesitate to contact Caroline Waddel, in the Community Development Department, who is working with us to coordinate these events city-wide, at 349-4604.

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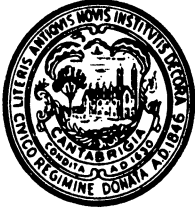
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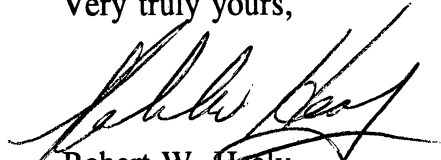
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To The Honorable, The City Council:

Please find attached for your consideration a resolution designating the week of June 3 through June 8, 1996 as "Bicycle Safety Week" in the City of Cambridge.

Adoption of this resolution is strongly recommended.

Very truly yours,



Robert W. Healy
City Manager

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attachments

Consent Agenda #6

S-203

Relative to a resolution designating
the week of June 3 through June 8, 1996
as "Bicycle Safety Week" in the City
of Cambridge.

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Order adopted
9-0-0.