



City of Cambridge

18.

IN CITY COUNCIL

October 28, 1996

COUNCILLOR REEVES
VICE MAYOR BORN
COUNCILLOR DAVIS
COUNCILLOR DUEHAY
COUNCILLOR GALLUCCIO
MAYOR RUSSELL
COUNCILLOR SULLIVAN
COUNCILLOR TOOMEY
COUNCILLOR TRIANTAFILLOU

WHEREAS: Various city celebrations, such as the Caribbean Carnival, St. Patrick's Day Parade, Celtic Festival, St. Cosmos and Damian, St. Lucia Festival, Greek Festival, World's Fair and others are an integral part of community life in Cambridge and should be embraced by the City; and

WHEREAS: Various groups appear to have had different experiences regarding which services the City offers at cost and which are free, (for example, cones used to mark traffic lanes, and use of the City's stages); and

WHEREAS: There needs to be a written policy covering when groups are to be charged; and

WHEREAS: City employees are currently developing a streamlined permitting process; now therefore be it

ORDERED: That the City Manager be and hereby is requested to host a meeting with the sponsors and planners of various city celebrations for the purpose of hearing the concerns of these groups regarding permits, costs, stage rental, propane use etc.; and be it further

ORDERED: That the information from this meeting be utilized as the City goes forward in its efforts to streamline the permit process; and be it further

ORDERED: That as part of its efforts to improve the process, the City clarify and specify which services are offered at cost and which are free.

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Adopted by the affirmative vote of nine members.

Attest:- D. Margaret Drury, City Clerk.

A true copy;

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City Clerk

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These celebrations and
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of Community Life in Cambridge
and should be embraced by
the City. The requested meeting

is to see if the event organizers can work with the city to streamline the Permit process and define which services the city offers at cost and which are free.

Various groups have been charged, for example for cones used to mark traffic lanes and for use of the City's stages. Is there a written policy ~~for~~ covering when groups are to be charged etc.

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Community

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Born, Davis, Duhaay, Gaffuccio, Russell

Consent Order #18

Sullivan, Toomey

Councillor Reeves re: Meeting with
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