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17 Wendell Street
Cambridge, MA 02138
July 17, 1980

Mr. George Teso
Commissioner of Traffic
57 Inman Street
Cambridge, MA 02139

Dear Mr. Teso:

On behalf of the residents of Wendell Street, including those who have signed this letter, I wish to protest strongly against the new one-way system on Oxford that has greatly increased the traffic on our street.

Some years ago, a similar change was made because of work being done at Lesley College, and the result was a substantial increase in traffic and the resulting fumes, noise, congestion, and hazard to those who live here. We were told then that the change was temporary, and when the two-way system on Oxford was restored, conditions on our street improved markedly.

Now, the congestion has reappeared. I am sure that the change has been a source of great inconvenience to those who need to go below Wendell Street on Oxford. I know it is a source of distress to the residents of Wendell Street. This is a narrow, residential street; it is not designed to be a major through route.

I therefore join with my neighbors in asking that the prior traffic pattern be restored as soon as possible.

Sincerely,

David L. Shapiro
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cc: City Clerk, City Hall

As residents of Wendell Street, we join in this letter.

Jane Shapiro - 17 Wendell
Ann Ashley - 20 WENDELL ST.
William Howell 20 Wendell St
David May 15 Wendell St.

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Ernest M. Arkley - 20 Wendell St.

Dr. Joe Connors - 29 Wendell St

Dr. Eusebio Ortega - 29 Wendell St

Joan Berenick: 9 WENDELL ST.

K.D. Verzoff 35 Wendell St.

Lynel Horne, Apt #1, 25 Wendell Street

Mary Caddis, 21 Wendell St, Cambridge

Comm. from Paul E. Healy, City Clerk, transmitting a communication from David L. Shapiro 17 Wendell Street, et al protesting the one-way traffic system on Oxford Street.

In City Council,

August 4, 1980

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