

Communications 1/25/99 Peter Valentine 37 Brookline St.

In the spirit of the betterment of the city,
it is my opinion upon observing the activities
of the Community Development Department,
that although it has the mechanisms to
succeed, it in fact has failed to achieve
the best possible designs for the
uplifting of the diverse lifestyles of
all citizens, giving preference to the point
of illegal activity to developers. Telling people
to come to a Planning Board Meeting to express
their views when in fact permits to build
have already been obtained is the illegal
activity of fraud. Placing a member of the
wealthy architectural community in the position of
Planning Board Director is a further subtle
corruption of justice and balance. I could go on.

In part the influence for these injustices
are stimulated by the department's name
which covertly states its mission, to hand
Cambridge over to wealthy developers.

The Community Development Dept.

If there is a sincere intent to do
what is right the name of that
department must be changed to
reflect and direct it to the greater
good.

I suggest, which the Council should
feel free to enhance

The Community Vision Department.
Without vision there is no direction.

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A communication was received
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concern regarding the Planning
Board meeting processs of permits
to build in the City of Cambridge.

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