



City of Cambridge

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IN CITY COUNCIL

February 9, 1998

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

WHEREAS: The Massachusetts Consumers' Coalition, in partnership with the Office of Attorney General Scott Harshbarger, has produced "Car Smart," a comprehensive guide to buying, leasing and maintaining a car in Massachusetts; and

WHEREAS: Attorney General Harshbarger's office provided the most funds and staff support and will serve as the main base for statewide distribution of this terrific booklet; and

WHEREAS: The Cambridge Consumers' Council was a very active participant in the development of this guide; the Consumers' Council is a member of the Massachusetts Consumer's Coalition, which is chaired by Paul Schlaver, Executive Director of the Cambridge Consumers' Council; Paul did the fundraising for the booklet and worked closely with Classic Copy and Printing, a Cambridge business, to design and produce the booklet; now therefore be it

RESOLVED: That the City Council go on record extending its thanks to Attorney General Scott Harshbarger for his leadership in sponsoring "Car Smart;" and be it further

RESOLVED: That the City Council congratulates the Massachusetts Consumers' Council, the Cambridge Consumers' Council and its executive director, Paul Schlaver, for their partnership in the production of this important guide; and be it further

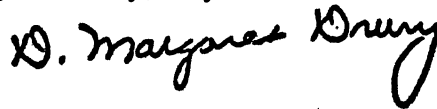
RESOLVED: That the City Clerk be and hereby is requested to forward a suitably engrossed copy of this resolution to **Attorney General Scott Harshbarger, the Massachusetts Consumers' Council, and the Cambridge Consumers' Council** on behalf of the entire City Council.

In City Council February 9, 1998.

Adopted by the affirmative vote of nine member.

Attest:- D. Margaret Drury, City Clerk.

A true copy;

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "D. Margaret Drury", written over the printed name.

ATTEST:-

D. Margaret Drury,
City Clerk

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Vice Mayor Galluccio
Resolved.

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Resolved

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Executive Director

CAMBRIDGE CONSUMERS' COUNCIL

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serving the
residents of:

Cambridge
Boston

To: Members of the Cambridge City Council
From: Paul Schlaver, Exec. Director
Date: January 30, 1998

RE: ***CAR SMART BOOKLET***

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Copies are available through the Consumers' Council Office free to the general public. Copies will soon be on reserve at all Cambridge Library branches.

The Consumers' Council is a member of the Massachusetts Consumers' Coalition, the group that oversaw the development of this comprehensive educational tool. I am the chair of this association and did the fundraising for this booklet and worked closely with Classic Copy and Printing in Central Square to design and develop the booklet. I also made the arrangements with the Federal Reserve Bank of Boston to have their ***Keys to Vehicle Leasing*** pamphlet available as an insert into each copy of ***CAR SMART***.

This substantial booklet is intended to be a very comprehensive guide including everything a consumer might need to know about automobile transactions: purchasing, leasing and repairing. It explains the relevant Massachusetts laws but makes available the potential resources a consumer could use on the Internet to further help consumers be smart consumers!

I invite you to refer any constituent inquiries of an automobile nature to this resource guide or to the Cambridge Consumers' Council office for assistance. Our telephone number is 349-6150 and we are located in the Lombardi Building at 831 Massachusetts Avenue, first floor.



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Vice Mayor Galluccio and Councillor Davis
re: Resolution thanking Attorney General
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Council and the Cambridge Consumers' Council
on the production of "Car Smart."

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Order adopted

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