



City of Cambridge

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IN CITY COUNCIL
June 8, 1992

COUNCILLOR DUEHAY
VICE MAYOR CYR
COUNCILLOR WOLF

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WHEREAS: The Mayor of Gaeta, Erasmo DiNitti, received from Mayor Reeves a key from the City of Cambridge along with gifts and letters sent with the delegation;

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WHEREAS: Cambridge students will send photographs and art work to their counterparts in Coimbra for Coimbra's international sister cities festival in June; now therefore be it

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RESOLVED: Further that copies of this resolution be sent to the Mayors and City Councils of Gaeta and Coimbra, to the Cambridge School Committee and Superintendent of Schools, and to the full delegations from Cambridge.

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Adopted by the affirmative vote of nine members.

Attest:- D. Margaret Drury, Temporary City Clerk.

A true copy;

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CONSENT ORDER #17

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Order adopted