



City of Cambridge

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IN CITY COUNCIL

January 26, 1981

COUNCILLOR WALTER SULLIVAN

- WHEREAS: This City Council was deeply saddened by the recent and tragic deaths of Boston Fire Lieutenant Paul Lentini and Firefighter James Gibbons who lost their lives while fighting a nine alarm fire in the City of Boston on Tuesday, January 6, 1981; and
- WHEREAS: Both of these men fought this fire with the usual dedication and determination so often found in firefighters, exercising outstanding personal courage by their continued effort to battle this major conflagration; and
- WHEREAS: Both Lieutenant Lentini and Firefighter Gibbons were buried under rubble from a floor which had buckled and subsequently collapsed while they were standing on it, working without regard for their personal safety; and
- WHEREAS: This tragic event snuffed out the lives of two young firefighters, both of whom had only joined the department within the past ten years and had distinguished themselves among their colleagues within the department for their devotion to duty; now therefore be it
- RESOLVED: That this City Council go on record extending our deepest sympathy to the wives and families of Lieutenant Paul Lentini and Firefighter James Gibbons at their personal loss; and be it further
- RESOLVED: That the City Clerk be and hereby is requested to forward a suitably engrossed copy of this resolution to Mrs. Lentini and Mrs. Gibbons on behalf of the entire City Council.

In City Council January 26, 1981.

Adopted by the affirmative vote of 9 members.

Attest:- Paul E. Healy, City Clerk.

A true copy;

ATTEST:-

A handwritten signature in cursive script, reading "Paul E. Healy".

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C. W. Sullivan resolutions on the deaths of
Boston Fire Lieutenant Paul Lentini and
Firefighter James Gibbons.

In City Council,

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Order Adopted

MEMBERS