



City of Cambridge

13.

IN CITY COUNCIL

Councillor William H. Walsh

November 28, 1988

WHEREAS: On Sunday, November 27, 1988, for a considerable period of time, traffic signals along Massachusetts Avenue, from Beech to Dover Streets, were not operating, and during that time a 4 car accident occurred at the intersection of Dover Street and Massachusetts Avenue, and a 2 car accident occurred at Beech Street and Massachusetts Avenue; now therefore be it

ORDERED: That the City Manager request the Director of Traffic and Parking to explain in writing to this Council by December 8, 1988 why the referenced outage was allowed to continue so long without response and provide a copy of any contract which the city may have with any entity which bears upon this matter so that each Councillor may review same and explore whether a potential breach of conflict may be in the wings as a result of this obvious failure to respond to this dangerous situation which could just as easily have resulted in fatalities.

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ORDERED: That the City Manager request the Director of Traffic and Parking to explain in writing to this City Council by December 12, 1988 why the referenced outage was allowed to continue so long without response and provide a copy of any contract which the city may have with any entity which bears upon this matter so that each Councillor may review same and explore whether a potential breach of conflict may be in the wings as a result of this obvious failure to respond to this dangerous situation which could just as easily have resulted in fatalities.

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Adopted by the affirmative vote of 8 members.

Attest:- Joseph E. Connarton, City Clerk.

A true copy;

ATTEST:-

Joseph E. Connarton
Joseph E. Connarton, City Clerk.

Order #13

F-529

C. Walsh order re: that the City Manager request the Director of Traffic & Parking to explain in writing why an outage of traffic signals along Mass. Ave., from Beech St. to Dover St. on Sunday, November 27, 1988 was allowed to continue as long as it did without response.

In City Council,

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C. Walsh

Order Adopted

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