



# City of Cambridge

5.  
IN CITY COUNCIL

DECEMBER 6, 1976

MAYOR YELLUCCI

WHEREAS:

IT HAS BEEN SUGGESTED BY SOME PEOPLE THAT SOMETIME IN THE NEAR FUTURE SEVERAL OFFICERS WILL BE PROMOTED TO SERGEANT IN THE POLICE DEPARTMENT; AND

WHEREAS:

IT HAS ALSO BEEN SUGGESTED THAT CERTAIN INDIVIDUALS MAY BE SKIPPED OVER IN SPIITE OF THE FACT THAT THEY HAVE EARNED THE RIGHT TO PROMOTION THROUGH OPEN AND COMPETITIVE EXAMINATIONS; AND

WHEREAS:

IT IS DISASTROUS FOR MORALE IN THE POLICE DEPARTMENT WHEN 'JUMPING' OCCURS FOR PERSONAL OR POLITICAL REASONS, THEREFORE BE IT

RESOLVED:

THAT THIS CITY COUNCIL, AS THE POLICY MAKING BODY OF THE CITY CAMBRIDGE, EXPRESSES ITS SENSE THAT MERIT SHOULD BE REWARDED AND POLITICAL MEDDLING WITH CIVIL SERVICE LISTS SHOULD NEVER HAPPEN, AND BE IT FURTHER

RESOLVED:

THAT THE CITY MANAGER BE REQUESTED TO CONSIDER THE ADVISABILITY OF THE COUNCIL POSITION ON THIS MATTER.

In City Council December 6, 1976  
Adopted by a yea and nay vote:  
Yeas 8; Nays 0; Absent 0; Present 1.  
Attest: Paul E. Healy, City Clerk

A true copy,

ATTEST:

*Paul E. Healy*

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MASSACHUSETTS

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	YEA	NAY	ABSENT	PRESENT
Mrs. Ackermann	✓			
Mr. Clem				✓
Mr. Clinton	✓			
Mr. Danehy	✓			
Mr. Duehay	✓			
Mrs. Graham	✓			
Mr. Russell	✓			
Mr. Sullivan	✓			
Mayor Vellucci	✓			

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M. Vellucci re: to when 'jumping' occurs  
for personal or political reasons to sergeant  
in the Police Department.

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