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Mr. Paul E. Healy
City Clerk of Cambridge
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Dear Mr. Healy:

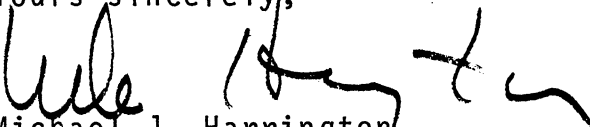
Thank you for your letter of March 19 appraising me of the resolution of the Cambridge City Council.

As you probably know, H.R. 3354, Congressman Boland's bill, was not considered by the House Public Works Committee. The Committee bill, S. 502, embodied essentially the same position and passed the House April 19 by a voice vote.

I supported that bill, but I also supported the amendment offered by Congressman Anderson which would have done considerably more to make Highway Trust Fund monies available to states and communities for developing an adequate urban mass transit system. Unfortunately, that amendment failed.

Senator Kennedy's bill, S. 679, is presently in the Senate Public Works Committee. It, too, would provide for greater flexibility in the use of highway funds and I certainly support that measure.

Yours sincerely,


Michael J. Harrington

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Comm. from Congressman Michael J. Harrington,
relative to H.R. 3354 in response to Council
Order of March 5, 1973

In City Council,

May 21, 1973

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