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Mr. Paul E. Healy
City Clerk
City of Cambridge
City Hall
Cambridge, MA 02139

Dear Mr. Healy:

Thank you for sending me a copy of the resolution on Central America adopted by the Cambridge City Council on April 25.

I have spoken out repeatedly against the Administration's emphasis on military solutions to current turmoil in that region. Instead, the United States should be supporting regional efforts to end the violence and promote peace in Central America. I am enclosing a copy of my May 4 statement on the floor of the Senate calling for the termination of U.S. military assistance to El Salvador unless that country's government agrees to enter into negotiations for a cease-fire and an equitable political solution to the present conflict.

I appreciate knowing of the growing concern being felt in Cambridge over this important issue, and assure you that I will continue to press hard to change our nation's policy toward Central America.

With best regards,

Sincerely,



Edward M. Kennedy

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Comm. from Senator Edward M. Kennedy in
appreciation of resolutions adopted by the
City Council Re: military assistance to
El Salvador.

In City Council,

June 13, 1983

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