

Councilor Walter Sullivan

August 7, 1988

Whereas:

During the past several years this City Council has established various "Sister-City" relationships with cities around the world in an effort to improve the cultural and educational activities between each city, so designated, and

Whereas:

Each of these sister-city agreements have proven successful and mutually beneficial to all concerned in promoting a true spirit of friendship and cooperation

Now therefore be it

Resolved:

That this City Council go on record
endorsing in principle the establishment of
a sister-city relationship with an appropriate
city in Sub-Saharan Africa in an effort to

- ① continue to promote international understanding
- ② expand the cultural experience of all Cambridgeans and
- ③ formally recognize this city's

African-American population and

be it further

Resolved,

That His Honor the Mayor be and
he is requested to appoint a special
ad-hoc committee of no more than seven
persons to investigate the possibility of
developing a relationship with Aginc
so to make said recommendation,
defining the appropriate role to the
Sister City Committee of the City Council
for review and consideration.

To: Joe Connam

From: Lester Lee

Re: A Sister City in Sub-Saharan Africa

Date: 8/4/89

As I mentioned yesterday, I spoke with Councilor Walter Sullivan about him introducing a resolution establishing a committee to explore the possibility (or if it feasibility) of developing a sister city relationship between Cambridge and a city in Sub-Saharan Africa.

Such a resolution and relationship would be consistent with previous ~~exp~~ sister city experiences. It would have the effect of ②

- ① continuing to promote international understanding
- ② expanding the cultural relations experience of all Cambridgeans.
- ③ recognizing the city's African-American population.

Said committee ~~also~~ would be exploratory and advisory. It should consist of no ^{less} more than 5 ~~with~~ ~~staff~~ ~~from~~ and no more than 7 persons.

Thanks.

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IN CITY COUNCIL

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COUNCILLOR WALTER J. SULLIVAN

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- RESOLVED: That this City Council go on record endorsing in principle the establishment of a Sister-City relationship with an appropriate city in Sub-Sahara, Africa, in an effort to:
1. continue to promote international understanding;
 2. expand the cultural experiences of all Cantabrigians; and
 3. formally recognize this city's African-American population;
- and be it further
- RESOLVED: That His Honor, the Mayor, be and hereby is requested to appoint a special ad-hoc committee of no more than seven persons to investigate the possibility of developing a relationship with Africa and to make said recommendations identifying the appropriate city to the Sister City Committee of the City Council for review and consideration.

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In City Council August 7, 1989.

Adopted by the affirmative vote of 9 members.

Attest:- Joseph E. Connarton, City Clerk.

A true copy;

ATTEST:-

Joseph E. Connarton, City Clerk.

A handwritten signature in dark ink, reading "Joseph E. Connarton".

C.W.J.Sullivan re: City Council go on record endorsing in principle establishment of a Sister-City relationship with an appropriate city in Sub-Sahara, Africa & that His Honor, the Mayor be requested to appoint a special ad-hoc committee of no more than 7 persons to develop such a relationship & make appropriate recommendations in identifying the appropriate city to the Sister City Committee of the Council.

In City Council,

August 7, 1989

8-7-89

ORDER ADOPTED