



CITY OF CAMBRIDGE
INTEROFFICE CORRESPONDENCE

To Chief Leo F. Davenport
Police Department

Date June 28, 1979

From James L. Sullivan
City Manager

Reference

Subject Security at Elderly Housing Complexes
City Council Order No. 20 - June 25, 1979

Dear Chief Davenport:

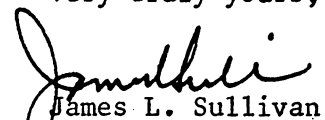
Confirming our conversation, at the City Council meeting on Monday, June 25, 1979, the City Council passed a resolution expressing concern about security measures in all elderly housing complexes in the City.

Accordingly in our discussion you indicated that you will alert all of the patrols, both foot patrols and automotive patrols, to pay special attention to the elderly housing complexes in their districts to the point of actually going in and visiting them during their tours of duty.

In addition you have indicated that you will contact Lt. Patrick Corcoran to attempt to mobilize the Cambridge Auxiliary Police and the Cambridge Police Cadets to further give protection to the elderly housing complexes. You have further indicated that you are to meet with the Director of the Cambridge Housing Authority and the Director of CETA program in an attempt to coordinate a procedure whereby the auxiliary and cadets can be replaced by employees of the Housing Authority.

The situation should be given immediate attention.

Very truly yours,


James L. Sullivan
City Manager

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cc: City Councilors



City of Cambridge

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IN CITY COUNCIL

June 25, 1979

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ORDERED:

That the City Manager is hereby requested to instruct the Chief of Police to immediately provide emergency security measures to all Elderly Housing Complexes in the City. This security will be in effect 24 hours a day, 7 days a week; he is further

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To mobilize the Cambridge Auxiliary Police Force and the Cambridge Police Cadets to accomplish this task; he is further

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To immediately meet with the Chief of Police, the Director of the Cambridge Housing Authority and the CETA Director with the purpose in mind to coordinate immediate plans to replace the Auxiliary and Cadets with full time employees; he is further

ORDERED:

To report back to this Council by either mail or special meeting of the City Council no later than Wednesday, June 27th at 5:00 P.M.

In City Council June 25, 1979

Adopted by the affirmative vote of 7 members.

Attest: Paul E. Healy, City Clerk

A true copy,

ATTEST:

A handwritten signature in cursive script, reading "Paul E. Healy".

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Comm. from James L. Sullivan, City Manager,
to Leo F. Davenport, Chief of Police, re:
security of elderly housing complexes.

June 28, 1979