

TO: WHOM IT MAY CONCERN

JANUARY/FEBRUARY, 1998

FROM: NORTH CAMBRIDGE RESIDENTS

REFERRING: REDESIGN PLAN TO CHANGE HARVEY STREET BETWEEN MASS AVE AND CEDAR
STREETS FROM ONE WAY TO A TWO-WAY STREET

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED, OPPOSE THE PLAN TO MAKE THAT PART OF HARVEY STREET TWO-WAYS, BECAUSE: 1) IT ELIMINATES 12 TO 14 PARKING SPACES THAT ARE CURRENTLY BEING USED BY RESIDENTS AND LOCAL BUSINESSES. HARVEY STREET AND CEDAR STREET, BOTH OF WHICH HAVE PARKING ON ONLY ONE SIDE OF THE STREET AND ARE IN A DENSE BUSINESS LOCATION, CANNOT AFFORD TO LOSE THESE PARKING SPACES: AND, 2) PEDESTRIANS CROSSING CEDAR STREET AT THE HARVEY-CEDAR INTERSECTION, AND PEDESTRIANS CROSSING HARVEY STREET AT MASS AVE HAVE LONG HAD CONCERNS FOR THEIR SAFETY AND DO NOT WANT THE SITUATION TO GET WORSE AT THOSE INTERSECTIONS.

NAME

ADDRESS

PHONE NUMBER

1/30/98	Marie Luzzell	44 Harvey Street Camb.	876-5580
1/30/98	JAVAD AZIZ Javid Aziz	52 Harvey St #2 Camb.	576-6751
1/30/98	Nancy H. Rendiga	48 Harvey St (Camb)	661-1976
1/30/98	Tom Rendiga	48 Harvey St.	" "
1/30/98	John P. Wick	35 HARVEY ST	491-5887
1/30/98	Joan E. Swans	5 Watley Ave	354-1670
1-30-98	Jean Marcelin	17 Cedar St	497 9594
1-30-98	Devlyn Marcelin	17 Cedar St	497 9449
1-30-98	Kenneth Bowen	11 Cedar St Camb.	873-0888
1-30-98	Charfetta Bowen	11 Cedar St. Camb.	873-0888
1-30-98	Madelaine Rosatto	13 Cedar St. Camb.	354-2582
1-30-98	Melanie B. Jamel	13 Cedar St. Camb.	864-0375
1/30/98	Laurie Rose	26 Harvey St Camb.	492-8574
1/30/98	Nancy Wirth	51 Harvey St	844-5934
1/31/98	Chyllis Sherry	5 Harrington Rd	-
1/31/98	John Brennan	35 Harvey St	none
1/31/98	Joseph Hart	35 Harvey St.	18-1

CONT'D UNDERSIGNED OPPOSE MAKING HARVEY STREET FROM CEDAR TO MASS AVE
A TWO-WAY STREET

DATE	NAME	ADDRESS	PHONE
1-31-98	Mansa Wooden	129 Montgomery St, Camb	864-7340
1-31-98	DAN HARGROVE	143 Rickdale Ave #2 CAMB.	—
1-31-98	Stephanie Carta	79 Harvey St Camb	661-2491
1-31-98	SINGH MOHAN	65 HARVEY ST CAMB	491-1182
1-31-98	Rajinder Singh	65 HARVEY ST CAMB	661-9801
1-31-98	BRAD NELSON	93 HARVEY ST CAMB	441-8200
1/31/98	Debra Nadeau	86 Harvey St "	576-6878
2/1/98	JOSEPH, JOSEPH	20 COLUMBUS AVE	384-3298
1/31/98	J. Becker	Eclipse Video 95 Harvey St	491-1714
	85 Harvey street	Malina Monterio	864-8963
1/31/98	46 Harvey St.	Nelson Smith	497-5172
✓ 1/31/98	7 Harrington Rd.	491-7475	Almond
1/31/98	Kim Ugorji	26 Clarendon Ave Cambridge	576-7145 ^{use water st playground}
1/31/98	Cecilia Minassian	9 Cedar St. Cambridge.	
1/31/98	Artin Minassian	9 Cedar St. Cambridge.	
1/31/98	Maximos Panagiotaris	9 Cedar St. Cambridge	
1/31/98	Paul Vognan	126 Reed St., Camb.	
1/31/98	Daniel Dewey	98 Reed St. Camb.	
1/31/98	Lorraine Stevenson	22 Harrington RD. N. CAMB.	
2/1/98	Berold Gubbin	56 Harvey St, No. Camb.	
2/1	Pat Montagna	6 Westley Ave No Camb	
2/1	Tim Buzell	10 Westley Ave No Cambridge	
2/1/98	Roop Tyoti	27 Harvey St, Cambridge	
2/1/98	Sumchi Tyoti	27 Harvey St, Cambridge	18-2

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CONT'D UNDERSIGNED OPPOSE MAKING HARVEY STREET TWO-WAY STREET BETWEEN
CEDAR STREET AND MASSACHUSETTS AVENUE

DATE	NAME	ADDRESS	PHONE NUMBER
2-1-98	Sulabh Tuladhar	27 Harvey Street, Cambridge	
2/1/98	David Sutter	1-2-98- 9 Foch-St-CAMB-MA	
2/1/98	Paul Melanson	183 Bridge Ave. Camb. MA	
2/1/98	James Roland	128 Montoomey St Camb, MA	9978284
2-1-98	William J. Conry	30 Harvey St. No. Camb	
2-1-98	Trille R. Casey	30 HARVEY ST.	NO CAMP
2/1/98	McMurray	2 Hedell St	No Cambridge
2/1/98	Cheryl Shan	7 Harrington Rd	No. Cambridge
2/1/98	Paula Mullane	34 Harvey	Camb
2/1/98	Margaret Reid Cunningham	10 Harrington Rd, 3	
2/1/98	Mrs & Mr. Charles Tamby	8 Harrington Rd	Camb-
2-1-98	Joseph A. Lovelace	14 HARRINGTON Rd	CAMB
2-1-98	MICHAEL FABIAN	14 HARRINGTON Rd	CAMB
2/1/98	JAMES REID CUNNINGHAM	10 HARRINGTON RD	
2/1/98	Welf Silbury	11 Harrington Rd	Camb
2/1/98	Paul Debes	27 Hollis St	Camb
2-1-98	Ramon Rangel	13 Harrington Rd	Camb 92
2/1/98	Barbara Watts	20 Harrington Rd	Cambridge
2/1/98	Jamie Gave	25 Harrington Rd	Camb
2/1/98	John Stevenson	22 Harrington Rd	CAMB- HARR
2/1/98	Joe R. Carr	128 Reed St. Cambridge MA 02140	183
2/1/98	Ray Z. Hill	44 Harvey St #1	Cambridge, MA 021

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CEDAR STREET AND MASSACHUSETTS AVENUE

DATE	NAME	ADDRESS	PHONE
2/2/98	Alan	93 Emberton Ct	unlisted
2-2-98	V. Miller	108 Podotung St	
2-2-98	R. Han	17 Harvey St	unlisted
2-3-98	James Ralph	134 Red St	
2-3-98	Kenice Sauton	79 Harvey St	
2-3-98	Richard Skerimi	77 Harvey St.	unlisted
2-4-98	Robert H. Johnson	50 HARVEY ST.	Cambridge
2/4/98	Joseph M. McElroy	15 Broadway St	Cambridge
2/4/98	Margaret McElroy	37 Harvey St	Cambridge
2/4/98	Edward W. Wrenn	43 Harvey St	Cambridge
2/11/98	Timothy Murphy	10 Richard Ave	Cambridge.
2/11/98	Cheryl Ann Welch	16 Churchill Ave	Cambridge
2/11/98	Lacey Conant	30 Richard Ave.	
2/12/98	Greg H. Taylor	3 Miller Ave	Cambridge
2/12/98	John M. Mulla	20 Churchill Ave	Camb.
2/12/98	John O. Sherg	24 Montgomerie Rd	Cambridge
2/12/98	Virginia P. Davis	18 Churchill Ave.	
2/12/98	John V. Cyrenette	5 THERIAULT CT.	491-6314
2-12-98	Carol Ingber	80 Churchill Ave.	547-1241
2/12/98	Paul W. Kahan	174 Montgomery	864-3431
2/12/98	Paul D. Carey	15 Bedford	864-6751
2/12/98	Lisa Wood	102 Harvey St.	864-0146
2/11/98	Joe W.	6 ST. GEORGE TMR	354-8353

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UNDERSIGNED OPPOSE MAKING HARVEY STREET FROM CEDAR TO MASS
AVE A TWO-WAY STREET

NAME

ADDRESS

PHONE NUMBER

2/12/98	Mary Keating	9 Harrington Rd	
2/12/98	Judith Sullivan	R 24 Harvey St Bridge	
2-12-98	Raymond Dwyer	5 Cedar St	
2-12-98	Thomas P. Cole	35 Harvey St	Camb 42140
2-13-98	William J. Miano	29 Dudley St	Camb. 354-1956
2-13-98	Walter Sullivan	9 Foch St	492-9859
2-13-98	Robert O'Brien	53 Maguire St	
2/13/98	Tom W. Denahy	37 York	RL 576-5282
2/13/98	Francis J. Pavesi	12 War Morden St	864-4205
1 "	Joseph G. G. G.	75 Commons	354-5757
2/13	ROBERT OAKES	36A RICE ST #2	CAMB 868-5387

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January 28, 1998

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TO: Cambridge Public Works, City Council, and others involved in Mass.
Ave. redevelopment project. CAMBRIDGE, MA.

FROM: Mass. Ave. / Harvey St. / Cedar St. area businesses and concerned
citizens.

RE: Proposed Harvey Street / Mass. Ave. crossing and loss of parking
spaces.

To Whom It May Concern:

It has come to our recent attention that during the proposed redevelopment of Massachusetts avenue, the short stretch of Harvey Street between Cedar Street and Mass. Ave. will become a two-way street and will lose its parking spaces. We vehemently oppose this redesign proposal for the following reasons:

- The Mass. Ave. crossover at Cameron Ave. / Harvey Street is already a very busy intersection and changing Harvey from one-way (which it is presently) to two-way will increase the danger to pedestrians as well as motorists by increasing the traffic volume and adding a whole new stream of traffic.
- Presently there are 12 - 14 parking spaces along that short length of roadway that will be lost if it is turned from a one-way to a two-way street. Area businesses and residents depend on those spaces for customer, overnight, and overflow parking. If these spaces are lost, the immediate neighborhood will be hard pressed to find alternative parking spots.
- As the area grows and development increases over the coming years and decades, parking will become more and more of an issue. We have the opportunity right now to at least preserve these spaces for the future residents and visitors to our neighborhood. We don't need to create a "parking crunch" where there isn't one!

In short, we all understand that Mass. Ave. must be torn up for the sewer project and that it is a good time to examine how best to put it back together. But we hope that you understand that we, as residents and business owners and employees of this Cedar/Harvey/Mass Ave area do not want to see this street turned into a rush-hour nightmare, endangering pedestrians and motorists alike, and that we rely heavily on the existing parking spaces. Change the look of Mass. Avenue if you must, but leave our section of Harvey Street alone. Thank you.

NAME

ADDRESS OR PLACE OF BUSINESS

Stephen Cuddy 1-29-98 owner - North Cambridge Coin-Op Laundry 547-1337

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SIGNATURE SHEET - MASS. AVE./HARVEY ST. CROSSOVER

NAME

ADDRESS OR PLACE OF BUSINESS

Cresside Lyons owner animal-Vegetable-mineral 547-2404
 Anna Holt 2400 MASS AVE CAMB
 J. R. O'NEILL owner WE MEN'S BUSINESS 2400 MASS AVE CAMB 492-8586
 Mark K. F. Reilly owner FRIENDLY CORNER CONV. STORE.
 John D. Reilly employee N. Camb. Coin-Op LAUNDRY 576-2029
 John D. Reilly 124 Harvey St Cambridge
 1/6/98 Joseph H. Reilly owner 2420 MASS AVE CAMB PIZZA
 2/1/98 Joseph H. Reilly VAV 1 CEDAR ST 547-9666
 2/1/98 Maria Bouchard VAV 1 CEDAR ST CAMBRIDGE, MA
 2/2/98 Raphael Gray, N. Camb. Kof C #569 10 Harvey St
 4/2/98 Charles F. Taylor 299 Columbus St Camb MA 02140 575-5592
 2/2/98 Cynthia Knight 205 COLUMBUS CAMBRIDGE 269
 2/3/98 Thomas J. Knight 269
 2/2/98 Charles F. Taylor 269
 2/2/98 Charles F. Taylor 269
 2-2-98 Knights of Columbus #269
 2-2-98 John T. Mitchell Kof C - 10 HARVEY ST.
 2-2-98 Sophia Reilly Cambridge HOUSE PIZZA
 2/13/98 George W. Sparickino 2409 Mass. Ave Camb.
 2/13/98 Francis J. Munnelli 2384 MASS. AVE CAMB. (FRANK'S BARBERSHOP)
 2/13/98 James H. Zinner 2322 MASS. AVE., CAMB. MA. 02140
 2/13/98 William H. Zinner 2310 MASS AVE CAMB MA 02140
 2/13/98 John J. Zinner 2298 MASS AVE Cambridge Roof Co Tel
 2/13/98 Joseph J. Zinner 2301 Mass. Ave Camb 02140

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Petition was received from North
Cambridge business and citizens, regarding
the redesign plan to change Harvey Street
between Massachusetts Avenue and Cedar Street
from one way to a two way street.

In City Council February 23, 1998

Referred to City
Manager with
request for discussion
at the public meetings
in connection with
North Massachusetts
Avenue sewer project.

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