



City of Cambridge

R-41.

IN CITY COUNCIL

April 25, 2005

MAYOR SULLIVAN
COUNCILLOR DAVIS
VICE MAYOR DECKER
COUNCILLOR GALLUCCIO
COUNCILLOR MAHER
COUNCILLOR MURPHY
COUNCILLOR REEVES
COUNCILLOR SIMMONS
COUNCILLOR TOOMEY

WHEREAS: The Massachusetts Institute of Technology will inaugurate Susan Hockfield as its 16th president on Friday, May 6, 2005; and

WHEREAS: Dr. Hockfield, a noted neuroscientist who served as Provost of Yale University prior to joining the MIT community, assumed office on December 6, 2004; and

WHEREAS: Under Dr. Hockfield's leadership, the Institute continues its tradition of service to humankind in the analysis and resolution of global problems, particularly as they pertain to raising standards of living, developing intellectual understanding among all people, and promoting the free exchange of ideas and information; and

WHEREAS: The Cambridge community is invited to attend an array of celebratory events scheduled throughout the week of May 2; and

WHEREAS: The inaugural events include the installation of an interactive art exhibit, performances by the MIT Symphony Orchestra and Concert Choir, symposia on Interdisciplinary Research and Art and Technology, an exhibit of MIT's contributions to K-12 education, and a robots competition; now therefore be it

RESOLVED: That this City Council go on record expressing congratulations to Dr. Hockfield and the Massachusetts Institute of Technology and extending best wishes for a successful inaugural celebration; and be it further

RESOLVED: That the City Clerk be and hereby is requested to forward a suitably engrossed copy of this resolution to the Massachusetts Institute of Technology on behalf of the entire City Council.

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Adopted by the affirmative vote of eight members.

Attest:- D. Margaret Drury, City Clerk.

A true copy;

ATTEST:-

A handwritten signature in black ink, reading "D. Margaret Drury".

D. Margaret Drury
City Clerk

RESOLUTION #41

Congratulations to MIT and to Dr.
Susan Hockfield on being
inaugurated as its 16th president
and best wishes for a successful
inaugural celebration during the
week of May 2, 2005.

**Mayor Sullivan and entire
membership**

In City Council April 25, 2005

ORDER ADOPTED