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Dear Mr. Velucci,

I'm writing because of some of the really bad sidewalk conditions in East Cambridge and Central Square. I walk a lot, not having a car and when it's so cold it's better than waiting for a bus. But I'm really angry over some businesses and here they are: Aram's Pizza, corner of Prospect & Cambridge, Shell Station, Cambridge & Windsor; also many private homes and apartment complexes with their front doors abutting Prospect St. From Cambridge over to Mass. Ave in Central Square. The entrance to the MBTA stairs for the Red Line near Papa Gino's on Mass. Ave is sheer black ice. I believe there is a law in Cambridge that at least a path should be cleared for those of us who walk. Some businesses are barely cleaning their area by cleaning the door opening to their establishments. I think these businesses and owners should be issued warnings. There was plenty of time to clear at least a path during the past week. You can see that

many businesses between prospect
& Windsor have done their best,
the bank on the corner of Windsor
& Cambridge has done well. Atomic
super not well, but a least
sand. Most of us who walk
know we're in the minority, but
I For one will walk in the street
if it's too bad on the sidewalks.
I hope you'll take a tour of
this area, and help out as
you have in the past. Thanks.

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Comm. from Cherie Haitz, 106 Willow St.
Re: bad sidewalk conditions in East Cambridge & Central Square.

In City Council,

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