



City of Cambridge

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IN CITY COUNCIL

October 20, 1997

COUNCILLOR TRIANTAFILLOU
VICE MAYOR BORN
COUNCILLOR DAVIS
COUNCILLOR DUEHAY
COUNCILLOR GALLUCCIO
COUNCILLOR REEVES
MAYOR RUSSELL
COUNCILLOR SULLIVAN
COUNCILLOR TOOMEY

WHEREAS: The City of Cambridge takes every opportunity it can to see that individuals who have made great contributions to the safety of their communities receive the recognition they deserve; and

WHEREAS: The week beginning October 19, 1997 marks a National Observance of A Week Without Violence sponsored by the Young Women's Christian Association (YWCA;) and

WHEREAS: On Sunday, October 19, the City of Cambridge joins YWCA's observance; and

WHEREAS: The City of Cambridge is still deep in grief over the murder of Jeffrey Curley and the continued assaults and rapes of women; now therefore be it

RESOLVED: That the Cambridge City Council joins the YWCA of Cambridge, The Cambridge Women's Commission, East End House, Cambridge Savings Bank, First Baptist Church, Model Mugging, On the Rise, and the Boston Area Rape Crisis Center to declare the week of October a Week Without Violence in Cambridge; and be it further

RESOLVED: That the Cambridge City Council invites every resident to join together to participate in the week by:

- Thinking about the root causes of violence on Sunday, October 19; and
- Joining the City Council in the reading of the proclamation and spending a moment discussing solutions on the city level to reducing violence in Cambridge on Monday, October 20; and

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- Joining in the "Celebration of Youth - What Does Violence Mean to You?" A discussion group ending with pizza and special guest Officer Friendly on Tuesday, October 21, 3:00 - 5:00 p.m. at the YWCA; and
- Supporting the "Celebration of Teens," open discussion on Violence in their lives and how to prevent it with the Cambridge Peace Commission on Wednesday, October 22, 3:00 - 5:00 p.m. at the YWCA; and
- Joining Elders at the new Senior Center in discussion on elder abuse (ways to recognize, prevent and report it) on Thursday, October 23, 1:00 - 3:00 p.m.; and
- Attending a Community Speak Out/Vigil against Violence at First Baptist Church in Central Square, on Friday, October 24, 5:30 p.m.

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Adopted by the affirmative vote of nine members.

Attest:- D. Margaret Drury, City Clerk.

A true copy;

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Councillor Triantafillou re: Urge
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sponsored by the YWCA which begins
on October 19, 1997.

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