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January 15, 1988

Mr. Joseph Connarton
Cambridge City Clerk
795 Massachusetts Avenue
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Dear Joe,

On behalf of the Harvard Square Business Association, I would respectfully request that the City Council grant permission for our organization to relocate its fifth annual MayFair in Harvard Square proper.

Permission to hold the MayFair in Harvard Square would entail their granting the following conditions, similar to those granted each year for the Harvard Square Oktoberfest:

1) Permission to hold a non-alcoholic Sunday street fair on one block of JFK street (from the corner of Mt. Auburn street) and on the part of Brattle street (up to Church street) on Sunday, May 15, 1988, with provision for a raindate the following Sunday, May 22;

2) Overnight posting in order to close part of JFK and Brattle street to traffic on May 15 (or May 22) from 9:30 a.m. until 7:30 p.m. to allow for set-up and for clean-up;

3) Placing kiddie rides in and around Brattle Square and a temporary bandstand for international entertainment at the intersection of Brattle and JFK street, with allowance for a 12-foot fire lane for emergency vehicles.

The Harvard Square Business Association would again be responsible for providing supervision, public facilities, clean-up, and security for the Harvard Square MayFair.

Sincerely yours,



Sally Alcorn
Executive Director

cc Sheldon Cohen

H-8 7. Calendar #3

Petition of Sally Alcorn, Exec. Dir., Harvard Square Business Assoc. to relocate the 5th annual MayFair to Harvard Square proper; for a non-alcoholic Sunday street fair on JFK St. at the corner of Mt. Auburn & part of Brattle St. up to Church St. on Sunday, May 15, 1988, posting of JFK & Brattle St.'s to close same to traffic & placement of kiddie rides & a temporary bandstand at the intersection of Brattle & JFK St.'s.

In City Council,

January 25, 1988

Charter Right Exercise
by
Councilman Dunham
copy sent to the City Manager
2/3/88 mlh