



CITY OF CAMBRIDGE

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OFFICE OF
THE CITY CLERK

May 2, 1984

The Honorable Congressman Thomas P. O'Neill, Jr.
Speaker of the House of U. S. Representatives
The Capital
Speakers Room
Room 205
Washington, D. C. 20515

Dear Mr. Speaker:

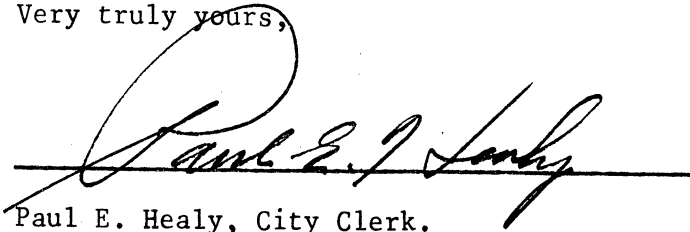
Pursuant to the request of the Cambridge City Council, I am forwarding a copy of two resolutions as adopted by the Council at its meeting of Monday, April 30, 1984.

The first resolution urging the support of the Massachusetts delegation to Congress for the reauthorization and funding of the Asbestos School Hazard Detection and Control Act of 1980, and also S. 2237.

The second resolution, recording the Council's opposition to H.R. 4103, relative to the control of cities and towns over Cable Television franchises.

Your very kind attention in this matter will be greatly appreciated by the City Council.

Very truly yours,



Paul E. Healy, City Clerk.

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Enclosures: City Council Orders 6 & 7 of 4/30/84

cc: Senators Edward Kennedy and Paul Tsongas, Representatives
Nicholas Mavroules, Gerry Studds, Joseph Early, Silvio Conte,
James Shannon, Joseph Moakley, Edward Markey, Brian Donnelly,
Barney Frank and Edward Boland.



City of Cambridge

6.

IN CITY COUNCIL

April 30, 1984

MAYOR RUSSELL
COUNCILLOR WOLF

WHEREAS: The existence of fibrous asbestos in schools presents a serious matter of public health to school children, staff and visitors; and

WHEREAS: The Asbestos School Hazard Detection and Control Act of 1980, which expires on September 30, 1984, provided interest-free loans for up to 50% of the cost of removal of friable asbestos; and

WHEREAS: S. 2237 would provide \$100 million in grants for each of four successive years (FY 85-88) for asbestos removal/containment; now therefore be it

WHEREAS: That this City Council go on record supporting the reauthorization and funding of the Asbestos School Hazard Detection and Control Act of 1980, and also S. 2237; and be it further

RESOLVED: That this City Council go on record urging the Massachusetts delegation to the U.S. Congress to support these two pieces of federal legislation; and be it further

RESOLVED: That the City Clerk forward a copy of this resolution to each member of the Massachusetts delegation in the U.S. Congress.

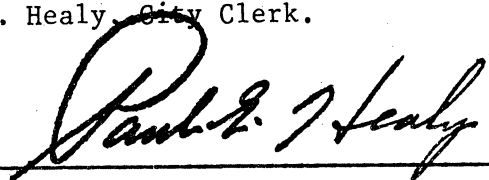
In City Council April 30, 1984.

Adopted by the affirmative vote of 7 members.

Attest:- Paul E. Healy, City Clerk.

A true copy;

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Paul E. Healy, City Clerk.



City of Cambridge

7.

IN CITY COUNCIL

April 30, 1984

MAYOR RUSSELL

WHEREAS: The City of Cambridge is currently undergoing a process of accepting applications for a Cable TV franchise within the City; and

WHEREAS: The City of Cambridge wishes to maintain local control over the application, implementation and regulation of a Cable TV franchise within the City; and

WHEREAS: H.R. 4103 is a piece of federal legislation that would, if enacted, wrest a great deal of the control and regulatory power over Cable TV franchises away from state and local authorities; and

WHEREAS: H.R. 4103, if enacted, would inhibit the City's control over Cable TV franchises in the areas of rate deregulation, franchise fees, franchise renewals and invasion of subscriber privacy; now therefore be it

RESOLVED: That this City Council go on record stating its opposition to H.R. 4103, and urges the Massachusetts delegation in the U.S. Congress not to vote for this piece of legislation; and be it further

RESOLVED: That the City Clerk forward a copy of this resolution to each member of the Massachusetts delegation in the U.S. Congress.

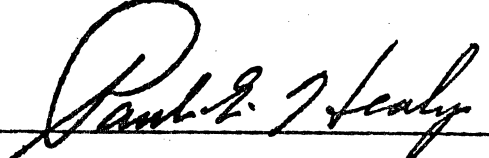
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Congressman Barney Frank
1609 Longworth Office Bldg.
Washington, D.C. 20515

Congressman Edward Boland
2426 Rayburn Office Bldg.
Washington, D.C. 20515

Congressman Joseph Moakley
221 Cannon Office Bldg.
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Congressman Edward Markey
213 Cannon Office Bldg.
Washington, D.C. 20515

Congressman Brian Donnelly
1021 Longworth Office Bldg.
Washington, D.C. 20515

Senator Edward M. Kennedy
431 Russell Bldg.
Washington, D.C. 20510

Senator Paul Tsongas
Room 342
Russell Street Office Bldg.
Washington, D.C. 20510

Congressman Nicholas Mavroules
1204 Longworth Office Bldg.
Washington, D.C. 20515

Congressman Gerry Studds
1501 Longworth Office Bldg.
Washington, D.C. 20515

Congressman Joseph Early
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Washington, D.C. 20515

Congressman James Shannon
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Washington, D.C. 20515



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15.

IN CITY COUNCIL

April 23, 1984

MAYOR RUSSELL

- WHEREAS: The City of Cambridge is currently undergoing a process of accepting applications for a Cable TV franchise within the City; and
- WHEREAS: The City of Cambridge wishes to maintain local control over the application, implementation and regulation of a Cable TV franchise within the City; and
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- WHEREAS: H.R. 4103, if enacted, would inhibit the City's control over Cable TV franchises in the areas of rate deregulation, franchise fees, franchise renewals and invasion of subscriber privacy; now therefore be it
- RESOLVED: That this City Council go on record stating its opposition to H.R. 4103, and urges the Massachusetts delegation in the U.S. Congress not to vote for this piece of legislation; and be it further
- RESOLVED: That the City Clerk forward a copy of this resolution to each member of the Massachusetts delegation in the U.S. Congress.

In City Council April 30, 1984.

Adopted by the affirmative vote of 7 members.

Attest:- Paul E. Healy, City Clerk.

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A handwritten signature of Paul E. Healy in dark ink, written over a horizontal line. The signature is cursive and stylized.
Paul E. Healy, City Clerk.



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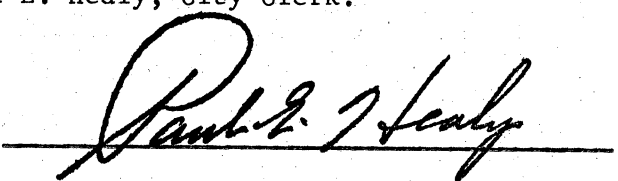
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Order # 7

5-293

Mayor Russell re: resolutions in opposition
to H.R. 4103 Re: Cable Television.

In City Council,

April 30, 1984

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copy sent to Mass. Congressional delegation
(see letter within) 5/3/84 MR

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