



City of Cambridge

13.

IN CITY COUNCIL

October 22, 1979

COUNCILOR VELLUCCI

- WHEREAS: The Cambridge City Council will conduct a public hearing on November 19, 1979, in order to discuss the issues surrounding experiments which generate radiational waste; and
- WHEREAS: When this hearing takes place, it would be helpful for all concerned if an Ordinance proposal were available for inspection to all interested parties so as to focus the debate and discussion; therefore be it
- ORDERED: That the City Manager be requested to instruct the City Solicitor and The Cambridge Biohazards Committee to cooperatively draft an Ordinance for discussion which contains at least the following features and any other that seem appropriate:
1. Create a monitoring agency within City Government.
 2. Identify the scope of activities which fall under the agency's jurisdiction.
 3. Develop a procedure whereby institutions carrying out experiments can report their activities to the agency.
 4. Develop a large visible symbol that would have to be put on all trucks and other vehicles transporting dangerous radiational materials or wastes in and out of the City.
 5. Insure that radioactive wastes are properly disposed of at a place and in a manner consistent with safety standards so that these wastes are not allowed to excessively accumulate in the City of Cambridge.
 6. Develop a set of safety procedures for all relevant activities so that Cambridge citizens and lab workers will be well protected from danger.
 7. Develop penalties for any institutions which violate the terms of the Ordinance.

and be it further

- ORDERED: That this Ordinance be made available to the City Council, the community, and all other interested parties early enough so that all have time to review it in detail prior to the Council's hearing on November 19, 1979.

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Adopted by the affirmative vote of 9 members.

Attest: Paul E. Healy, City Clerk

A true copy,

ATTEST:

Order #13

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C. Vellucci re: draft an Ordinance re:
experiments which generate radiational
waste.

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