



CITY OF CAMBRIDGE
MASSACHUSETTS

October 18, 1971

ALFRED E. VELLUCCI
MAYOR

P R O C L A M A T I O N

WHEREAS:-

The desire for liberty and independence by the Hungarians and other oppressed people constitutes a powerful deterrent to any ambitions of Communist leaders to initiate a major war; and

WHEREAS:-

It is incumbent on free men everywhere to recognize that the people of Hungary, with those others who share their destiny, in aggregate constitute not only a primary deterrent against a hot global war and further overt aggression by Moscow's totalitarian imperialism, but also a prime positive means for the advance of world freedom in a struggle which in totalistic form is psychopolitical; and

WHEREAS:-

The pursuit of a diplomacy of truth we cannot for long avoid bringing into question Moscow's legalistic pretensions of "non-interference" in the internal affairs of States and other contrivances which are acutely subject to examination under the light of morally founded legal principles and political, economic and historical evidence; and

WHEREAS:-

The continued occupation of Hungary by Russian troops constitutes a violation of the principles of the Atlantic Charter and also the Universal Declaration of Human Rights to which documents the Soviet Union itself is a signatory; and

WHEREAS:-

the people of Cambridge wish to express their dismay over the denial of fundamental human rights and self determination to the people of Hungary; now therefore be it

RESOLVED:-

That I, Alfred E. Vellucci, Mayor of the City of Cambridge do hereby proclaim Saturday, October 23rd, 1971, AS "HUNGARIAN FREEDOM FIGHTERS DAY" and urge also that all of our citizens pay special tribute to these loyal and brave people by studying the plight of Hungary and recommit themselves to the just aspirations of the Hungarians.


ALFRED E. VELLUCCI, MAYOR

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PROCLAMATION

By Mayor Vellucci proclaiming Saturday,
October 23, 1971 as "Hungarian Freedom
Fighters Day"

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