



# City of Cambridge

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**IN CITY COUNCIL**

December 4, 2000

MAYOR GALLUCCIO  
COUNCILLOR SULLIVAN  
COUNCILLOR BORN  
COUNCILLOR BRAUDE  
COUNCILLOR DAVIS  
COUNCILLOR DECKER  
VICE MAYOR MAHER  
COUNCILLOR REEVES

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WHEREAS: Large numbers of abutters have signed the attached letters to Mr. Thomas May, CEO of NSTAR requesting removal of the barbed wire; now therefore be it

ORDERED: That this City Council request that NSTAR respond promptly to the concerns of these residents; and be it further

ORDERED: That the City Clerk forward a copy of this order to Thomas May of NSTAR requesting a prompt response to this order.

In City Council December 4, 2000.

Adopted by the affirmative vote of nine members.

Attest:- D. Margaret Drury, City Clerk.

A true copy;

ATTEST:-

*D. Margaret Drury*

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City Clerk

ORDER

October 1, 2000

Mailed 11/20/00

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Mr. Thomas May, CEO  
NSTAR  
800 Boylston St.  
Boston, MA 02199

Dear Mr. May:

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The wire is unattractive and seems to express hostility towards the neighborhood. It can serve little actual purpose as a deterrent to crime, given that it only tops one section of the fence. Furthermore, the lot is protected by guards and video surveillance, as well as an automatic gate.

In our opinion, removal of the barbed wire would be a small gesture on your part that would do much to improve our daily environment.

Thank you very much for your consideration.

Sincerely,

Nita Sembrowich 203 PUTNAM AVE. #3  
Gene Hartland 207 Putnam Ave.  
George Potter 209 Putnam Ave.  
SHORTY STANLEY

CC: Russell D. Wright, President, NSTAR  
The Honorable Anthony Galluccio, Mayor of Cambridge ✓  
The Honorable Henrietta Davis, Cambridge City Councilor  
The Honorable Michael Sullivan, Cambridge City Councilor  
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The Honorable Marjorie Decker, Cambridge City Councilor

Contact Person: Nita Sembrowich (617) 864-9360

(See attached pages for additional signatures)

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Patricia Hills 238 Putnam Ave

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Nancy Lehman 234 Putnam Ave

Therienne Scintal 222 Putnam Ave.

Gerdis Flannery 222 Putnam Ave.

Patricia McCallister CV. 11. n. n. l

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November 22, 2000

MAYOR GALLUCCIO

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The Clerk is hereby requested to prepare a suitable order on NSTAR.

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CLERK OF THE CITY CLERK  
CANTON, MASSACHUSETTS

November 28, 2000

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**Order #5**

Putnam Avenue residents' concern  
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**Mayor Galluccio and Councillor  
Sullivan**

**In City Council December 4, 2000**

**ORDER ADOPTED**