



City of Cambridge

15.

IN CITY COUNCIL

VICE MAYOR REEVES

November 5, 1990

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- WHEREAS: With this in mind, the Cambridge City Council recently established specific limits on the decibel level of noise coming from the streets during certain evening hours; and
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- WHEREAS: The Cambridge Police Department is apparently hampered in its ability to enforce these noise limits by its lack of the appropriate noise monitoring equipment; now therefore be it
- RESOLVED: That this City Council request the City Manager to determine the feasibility of obtaining the appropriate noise monitoring equipment which will allow the Police Department to appropriately enforce the City of Cambridge's Noise Ordinance; and be it further
- RESOLVED: That the City Manager work with the Cambridge Police Department to determine an appropriate way to enforce the Noise Ordinance in the interim.

In City Council November 5, 1990.

Adopted by the affirmative vote of nine members.

Attest:- Joseph E. Connarton, City Clerk.

A true copy;

ATTEST:-

Joseph E. Connarton
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 City Clerk

CITY COUNCIL ORDER
VICE MAYOR REEVES

OCTOBER 25, 1990

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Evening Enforcement of Noise Ordinance

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~~OCTOBER 29, 1990~~
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City Council

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Joseph E. Conerton City Clerk

Order # 15 F-634

Vice Mayor Reeves re: obtaining the
appropriate noise monitoring equipment.

In City Council,

~~-October-29,-1990~~

November 5, 1990

Order adopted