



City of Cambridge

36.

IN CITY COUNCIL

June 4, 1990

MAYOR WOLF

- WHEREAS: Two-thirds of the 160 active municipal landfills in Massachusetts will be filled to capacity and closed within the next five years; and
- WHEREAS: The City of Cambridge, in need of additional open space and recreational facilities, has turned a perceived liability into a significant asset by recycling a 50-acre municipal landfill for recreational use; and
- WHEREAS: Cambridge has become the first community in Massachusetts to transform a former landfill site into a park; and
- WHEREAS: The Thomas W. Danehy Park is presently under construction and is scheduled for completion in September of this year; and
- WHEREAS: This park will feature three softball fields, three soccer fields, one football field, two tot lots, bocci and horseshoe courts and a sledding area, as well as jogging and bike paths throughout the site; and
- WHEREAS: Half of the space will be dedicated to passive use and features picnic areas, marshland, and parking for 350 vehicles; and
- WHEREAS: Saturday, September 15, 1990 will be the day to celebrate Cambridge's new recreational facility; now therefore be it
- ORDERED: That the City Manager be and hereby is requested to prepare a budget for the opening celebration of Danehy Park.

In City Council June 4, 1990.

Adopted by the affirmative vote of eight members.

Attest:- Joseph E. Connarton, City Clerk.

A true copy;

ATTEST:-

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Joseph E. Connarton". The signature is written in a cursive style with a large, stylized "J" and "C".

Joseph E. Connarton, City Clerk.



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- WHEREAS: This park will feature three softball fields, three soccer fields, one football field, two tot lots, bocce and horseshoe courts and a sledding area, as well as jogging and bike paths throughout the site and parking for three hundred and fifty cars; and
- WHEREAS: Half of the space will be dedicated to passive use, featuring picnic areas and marshland; and
- WHEREAS: Saturday, September 15, 1990 will be the opening day of Cambridge's new recreational facility; now therefore be it
- ORDERED: That the City Manager be and hereby is requested to prepare a budget and program for the opening-day celebration of Danehy Park.

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Joseph E. Conforti City Clerk

Order # 36 F-299

Mayor Wolf re: program for the opening day
celebration of Danehy Park.

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Order adopted