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TO ALL CITY COUNCILLORS

10/7/91

CONSENT

COMMUNICATIONS — CITY COUNCIL meeting of Monday Oct 7, 1991

(as recorded)

Item # 1 is a 'MISREPRESENTATION' OF THE REQUEST
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MADE BY RESIDENTS OF PEARL/FRANKLIN STREET.

THE ~~REQUEST~~ PETITION SPECIFICALLY REQUESTS THAT:

1. BENCHES BE REMOVED
2. PAY PHONE BE REMOVED
3. AREA BE 'FENCED OFF'!

RE: AREA IN FRONT OF CAMBRIDGEPORT LIBRARY
CORNER OF FRANKLIN/PEARL STREET

PLEASE ~~SEE~~ REFER TO PETITION!

Thank You.

September 15, 1991

1991 SEP 30 PM 12:01

Cambridge City Council
City Hall
Cambridge, MA 02139

Dear Members:

The sheltered area with benches in the front of the Cambridgeport library (corner of Pearl and Franklin streets) originally intended for persons waiting on the bus, has become a haven for public intoxication, loitering, obscenity, fights, stabbings, drug-dealing, prostitution and other types of criminal activity.

We, the community, are constantly confronted by litter - discarded food and clothing, liquor bottles, beer cans, and paper products - the stench of urine, and the sight of blood, vomit, and human feces.

The problem is continuous - days, evenings, weekends - around the clock.

The police and public works departments have made every effort to patrol and clean this area but the problem remains.

As a result, we the undersigned residents of the Pearl/Franklin street community are petitioning the city to do the following:

1. REMOVE BENCHES FROM THE AREA
2. REMOVE PAY PHONE FROM AREA
3. FENCE OFF AREA (like Library has already done)
(to stairway.)

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Pearl/Franklin street community PETITION (continued...)

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CONSENT COMMUNICATIONS

Petition received from Twenty-nine residents of the Pearl and Franklin Street requesting that the sheltered area in front of the Cambridgeport library be cleaned and patrolled.

In City Council,

October 7, 1991

Referred to the
City Manager
Copy sent to City
Mgr. 10/8/91 @dc