



City of Cambridge

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IN CITY COUNCIL

October 16, 2000

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

WHEREAS: When motorists approach Oxford Street from the Harvard Square side, they see a sign at Kirkland Street that says Oxford Street open; and

WHEREAS: In fact it is only open for motorists trying to get to a few Harvard-owned buildings – residents or motorists cutting through or attempting to get to a residence have to turn around; now therefore be it

ORDERED: That the City Manager be and hereby is requested to confer with the Traffic, Parking and Transportation Department and the Department of Public Works to post other signs that give clear and sufficient warning to drivers of alternative points.

In City Council October 16, 2000.

Adopted by the affirmative vote of nine members.

Attest:- D. Margaret Drury, City Clerk.

A true copy;

ATTEST:-

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "D. Margaret Drury".

D. Margaret Drury
City Clerk

M. Decker

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W/A When motorists drive down Oxford Street from the Harvard Square side, they see a sign that says Oxford Street Open; and

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Hi Margaret.

I would like a council order that looks at traffic flow around the Oxford Street neighborhood-when you come down Oxford st from the Harvard Square side-the sign Reads Oxoford st. Open-it is only open if you are trying to get to a few Harvard owned buildings-if you are a resident or cutting through or attempting to get to a residence then you have to turn around. I also want the department to look at posting other signs that give clear and sufficient warning to drivers of alternative routes-I have recieved several phone calls on this. Please submit the council order and I will put a call into Sue Clippinger as well. Thank you



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CM 299

Order #14

Posting of signs that give clear and sufficient warning to drivers of alternative points.

Councillor Decker

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ORDER ADOPTED