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November 7, 1994

To The Honorable, The City Council:

In response to Awaiting Report Item No. 12, regarding a report on parking meter usage in mixed residential/commercial areas, Traffic, Parking & Transportation Director Susan Clippinger reports the following:

The City currently has 2,150 on-street parking meters and 252 off-street parking meters. The majority of on-street meters are located in commercial districts mixed with residential use. The hours of operation throughout the city are 8:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m., with the exception of Bishop Allen Drive from Main Street to Douglas Street. The hours of operation in that area are 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. Parking tickets are issued to all motor vehicles that are in violation during the designated hours. The only exception is for vehicles that have Registry of Motor Vehicle issued handicapped registry plates, handicapped placards, City of Cambridge Commission for Persons with Disabilities Temporary Placards, and Registry of Motor Vehicles issued Disabled Veterans' Registration Plates.

In an effort to accommodate both the residents and businesses, we will reduce the hours of the limited time parking on Cambridge Street between the railroad tracks and First Street as of November 24, 1994. The meters will only be in effect from 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

Very truly yours,

Robert W. Healy
City Manager

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Response to an Awaiting Report Item
No. Twelve, regarding a report on
parking meter usage in mixed
residential/commercial areas.

11/14/94- Referred back
to the City manager
on motion of
Councillor Gomey

In City Council,

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Charter Right
exercised by
Councillor Gomey