



City of Cambridge

33.

Amended Order

IN CITY COUNCIL

February 12, 1996

COUNCILLOR RUSSELL
COUNCILLOR DAVIS
COUNCILLOR SULLIVAN
COUNCILLOR TOOMEY

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RESOLVED: That the City Manager be and hereby is requested to confer with the City Solicitor regarding what steps this Council should take to implement such a process and report back to the City Council as soon as possible.

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Adopted as amended by the affirmative vote of nine members.

Attest:- D. Margaret Drury, City Clerk.

A true copy;

ATTEST:-

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City Clerk



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Davis, Sullivan & Toomey
Consent Order #33
CM-83

Councillor Russell re: Request City
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for curb cuts, with decision to be
made by City Department.

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