



# City of Cambridge

35.

IN CITY COUNCIL

January 6, 1997

- COUNCILLOR TOOMEY
- VICE MAYOR BORN
- COUNCILLOR DAVIS
- COUNCILLOR DUEHAY
- COUNCILLOR GALLUCCIO
- COUNCILLOR REEVES
- MAYOR RUSSELL
- COUNCILLOR SULLIVAN
- COUNCILLOR TRIANTAFILLOU

WHEREAS: Christmas, Hanukah, Kwanzaa, Solstice, all of the December holidays, are a source of joy and pleasure to Cambridge residents and visitors of many ages and beliefs; and

WHEREAS: Part of this enjoyment is enjoyment of the lights and decorations that cheer our streets and public places during the darkest month of the year; and

WHEREAS: This year, to the disappointment of many citizens, fewer lights and decorations graced our streets and squares; now therefore be it

ORDERED: That the City Manager be and hereby is requested to investigate and report to the City Council on the reason for the lack of holiday lights and decorations; and be it further

ORDERED: That the City Manager be and hereby is requested to work with local businesses to develop and implement a plan that provides for an increased level of holiday lights and decorations for the main streets and squares in December, 1997.

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Adopted by the affirmative vote of nine members.  
Attest:- D. Margaret Drury, City Clerk.

A true copy; *D. Margaret Drury*  
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City Clerk

REFERRED TO THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMITTEE.

Hanukkah

St. Nicholas

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 and the outside of our public  
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Consent Order #35

*Entire  
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7-CM*

Councillor Toomey re: Develop and implement a plan that provides for an increased level of holiday lights and decorations for the main streets and squares in December, 1997.

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**ORDER ADOPTED**

*Referred to Public Service  
Committee*

*sent to VM Born 1/8/97*