

March 21, 1987

RE THE PROPOSED DEMILITION OF THE BUILDINGS AT 595 MASSACHUSETTS AVE.

Whereas satisfactory relocation of all tenants ensuring their economic viability in another location has not been found, and

Whereas relocation assistance of No kind has been properly designated to help the tenants move, and

Whereas the Environmental Impact Study by the Cambridge Tenants Union has pointed out a Real Danger regarding the Water Table Level and impending Sewage Overload, and

Whereas a Class Action Lawsuit is now (3/23/87) being brought against Schochet Assoc. for alleged illegal Eviction Proceedings at the Fresh Pond Project, and Tenants at 595 Mass. Ave. are now suffering because of the very appalling maintenance conditions current in the buildings, and

Whereas there is rising concern for the jeopardy in which this City Council may be putting itself if it chooses to blanketly ignore a Resolution instituted in memory of a most prominent Citizen in the History of this City of Cambridge, without due process, setting a Dangerous precedent, as Hon. Morse was an example of Excellence, and

Whereas the Old Morse School, the Memorial to Hon. Morse, was demolished in 1957, and

Whereas historically these Buildings have been consistently associated with Progressive Politics, Social Justice, Arts and Culture, remaining true to the spirit and energy of the original founder and occupants, and

Whereas we consider the above issues to be of Major Importance in Service to this Community,

We, the undersigned do hereby Petition to the City Council that a stay of Demolition be granted and thorough Reconsideration be made for all Issues and Groups involved.

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Comm. from John E. Flynn, Acting City Clerk,
transmitting a petition signed by three
individuals requesting a stay of the proposed
demolition of the buildings at 595 Mass. Ave.
& reconsideration of all issues & groups
involved.

In City Council,

April 6, 1987

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