

PETITION

To the Honorable the City Council

March 17, 1936

Whereas plans are being considered for remodeling the fire station between Beech and Blake streets, in North Cambridge, the Upper Wards club respectfully requests the City Council to investigate the feasibility and advisability of providing quarters in the new structure for police station four.

James Mahady, Pres.

James Mahady

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Cambridge,.....193

To the Honorable, the City Council of the
City of Cambridge

The undersigned respectfully pray

Commission
From
PETITION

of Jamer Mahady, President
of Upper Ward Club relative to
for providing Quarters for Police 1st
No. 4. in Fire 1st. 1st Beach &
Blake St.

March 17 1936

File with No. 6. Public Property 1937

In City Council DEC 28 1937

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Frederick H. Burke

In City Council, **MAR 17 1936** 193
Referred to the Committee on

Public Property & Public Institutions

Attest:

Frederick H. Burke

City Clerk.



City of Cambridge

IN CITY COUNCIL

January 26, 1937.

ORDERED:-

That the Committee on Public Property and Public Institutions be requested to make a survey of the housing conditions at the Central Police Station.

Order
relative to survey of
housing conditions at
Central Police Station

P. P.

File With No. 6. Public Property 1937.

In City Council Jan. 26, 1937.

Referred to the Committee on
Public Property & Public Institutions

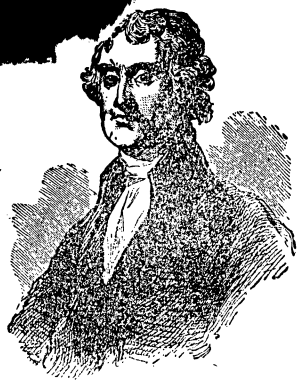
Frederick H. Burke City Clerk

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Mr. Svenson



Jefferson Club of Cambridge

81-89 AUSTIN STREET

CAMBRIDGE, MASSACHUSETTS

February 11, 1937

To the Honorable, The City Council of Cambridge:

Attached hereto is copy of letter which was today sent to Mayor John D. Lynch, with reference to the proposed centralization of the W. P. A. Sewing Projects.

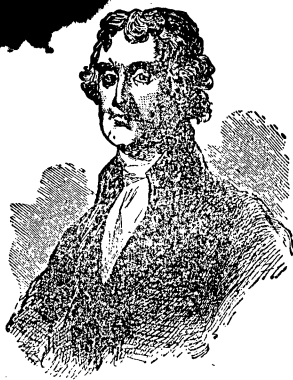
This copy is sent to your Body for whatever action you may deem necessary.

Respectfully yours
THE JEFFERSON CLUB OF CAMBRIDGE

Daniel F. O'Brien

DANIEL F. O'BRIEN
PRESIDENT

DFO'B:R



Jefferson Club of Cambridge

81-89 AUSTIN STREET

CAMBRIDGE, MASSACHUSETTS

C O P Y

February 11, 1937

Hon. John D. Lynch
Cambridge, Massachusetts

Dear Mayor Lynch:

It has been called to our attention that a plan is under way for the centralization of the various W. P. A. sewing projects and that some difficulty is being occasioned in securing a suitable location.

In keeping with the policy of our organization which renders assistance to every worthwhile activity of benefit to the whole community, we have already lent several articles of furniture which are now in use on sewing projects, and have accorded, without charge, accommodations in our Clubhouse to the W. P. A. Music Instruction Project.

In the interests of the comfort and convenience of the women who are employed in this work, we are now prepared to offer, also without charge, adequate facilities for the proposed centralization. The advantages of this offer, which are readily apparent, are: central location, easy access, comfortable and pleasant surroundings and saving in carfares for the many women of the Cambridgeport section who will be able to walk to the Club Building. In addition to this, of course, there will be the saving of the amount now expended in hiring space, which could then be set aside for the purpose of providing additional employment.

We trust that this solution of the difficulty will be acceptable so that there will be no lapse of employment during the search for suitable quarters.

Respectfully yours,
THE JEFFERSON CLUB OF CAMBRIDGE

DFO'B:R

DANIEL F. O'BRIEN
PRESIDENT

Cambridge, 193

To the Honorable, the City Council of the
City of Cambridge:

The undersigned respectfully pray

Communication
From

PETITION

of The Jefferson Club of Cambridge

for offering facilities of their
Club House, free of charge, for the
housing of the nation W. P. A. serving
Project.

Feb. 12, 1937

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Frederick H. Burke

In City Council, FEB 16 1937 193

Referred to the Committee on

Public Property & Public Institutions

Attest:

Albert T. Doyle
Asst.

City Clerk.

JOSEPH A. DeBUGLIELMO
COUNSELLOR AT LAW

678 MASSACHUSETTS AVENUE

KIRKLAND 7590

CAMBRIDGE, MASSACHUSETTS

April 13, 1937

Cambridge City Council
City Hall
Cambridge, Mass.

Gentlemen:

In behalf of my client, the St. Francis
of Assisi Church, I am hereby submitting to
you an offer of one (\$1.00) dollar, for the
premises located at #40 Fourth Street, Cambridge,
and commonly known as Station 3 in East Cambridge.

I would like the opportunity of being
heard on this offer before your honorable body
at the earliest possible moment.

Very truly yours,

Joseph A. DeBuglielmo

JAD:EMB

Cambridge,.....193

**To the Honorable, the City Council of the
City of Cambridge:**

The undersigned respectfully pray

Communication
From

PETITION

of Joseph A. De Guglielmo
Attorney-at-Law

for submitting in behalf of his client
the St. Francis of Assisi Church an
offer of \$1 for the premises located
at No. 40 Fourth St. Cambridge and
commonly known as Italian 3 in
East Cambridge. April 14, 1937

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In City Council, Dec 20 1937 193

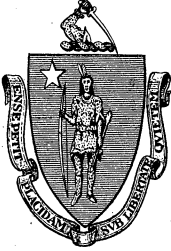
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Attest:

Frederick H. Burke

City Clerk.



The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

Department of
Public Safety
DIVISION OF INSPECTION
3 Hancock St.,
Boston, Mass.
June 1, 1937

To: George C. Parsons,
Chief of Inspections,
3 Hancock St.,
Boston, Mass.

Subject: Inspection of Taylor School, Cambridge.

1. Attached herewith is a copy of my report on the Taylor School, Cambridge, Mass.

D.C. Milne

D. C. Milne,
State Building Inspector.

DIVISION OF INSPECTION
3 Hancock St.,
Boston, Mass.
June 1, 1937

The Cambridge School Committee,
Cambridge,
Mass.

Subject: Taylor School Bldg.

Gentlemen:

An inspection of the Taylor School Building indicates that the building in its present condition is unfit for school use.

Settlement of the basement floor has damaged the heating units and without proper supports these units are in a dangerous condition. Partial repairs to one unit have been made leaving the air supply for the class rooms to be drawn from a toilet room. Toilet fixtures have been damaged due to settlement of the basement floor. Stairs are unsafe for use because of settlement. The condition of the structural supports for the floors is properly a matter for investigation by the local building inspector.

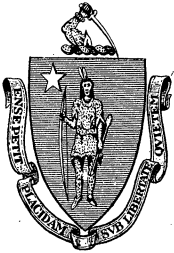
Egress from the building is satisfactory except for one room on the first floor from which there is now only one means of egress. A fire escape may be provided to the yard from one of the present windows if the window is removed and replaced by a door flush with the floor.

Yours truly,

D. C. Milne

D. C. Milne,
State Building Inspector.

DCM:JWC.



The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

Department of Public Safety

DIVISION OF INSPECTION,
3 Hancock Street,
Boston, Mass.,
June 1, 1937.

Frederick H. Burke, Esquire,
City Clerk,
Cambridge, Mass.

Dear Sir:-

Complying with the request contained in your letter of May 27th, to Lieut. Col. Paul G. Kirk, Commissioner of Public Safety, requesting a report on conditions at the Taylor School in Cambridge by the State Building Inspector, I enclose herewith copy of the report on the above-mentioned school as made by State Building Inspector David C. Milne.

Yours very truly,

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read "G. C. Parsons".

GEORGE C. PARSONS,
Chief of Inspections.

GCP:H.

COMMUNICATION.

from George C. Parsons, Chief of
Inspections, Department of Public Safety
Commonwealth of Massachusetts in response
to an order of the City Council adopted
on May 25, 1937, requesting a report
on conditions at the Taylor School in
Cambridge.

File with No. 6 Public Property 1937

JUN 8 1937

In City Council

Referred to the Committee on

Public Property & Public Institutions

Frederick H. Burke

City Clerk

DEC 28 1937

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Frederick H. Burke

14 Harding Street
Cambridge, Mass.
July 6, 1937

Dear Sir:

I am interested in a
little locality, which was
occupied by a blacksmith,
situated in 398 Portland St.,
Cambridge. I should like to
rent it for the purpose of
doing sheet metal work.

Will you please take this
matter up in your next meeting
and give us a prompt reply?

Yours truly,
Raymond Farrow



OFFICE OF THE CITY TREASURER
CAMBRIDGE, MASSACHUSETTS

WILLIAM J. SHEA
CITY TREASURER

July 9, 1937

Mr. John Terry
Supt. Building Department
Cambridge, Mass.

Dear Sir:

I am enclosing letter dated July 6, 1937
from Raymond Farese, 14 Harding Street, Cambridge, Mass.,
concerning renting 398 Portland Street.

I have notified Mr. Farese that I have referred
his letter to your office.

Very truly yours,

William J. Shea

Treasurer.



City of Cambridge

Massachusetts

Building Department

July 9, 1937

Mr. Frederick H. Burke
City Clerk, Cambridge

Dear Sir:

I am enclosing herewith letter dated July 8th from the City Treasurer to me enclosing letter addressed to the City Council from Raymond Farese, 14 Harding Street, Cambridge, in connection with renting of 398 Portland Street. Please send the letter along through the proper channels.

Yours truly,

John J. Perry

Superintendent of Buildings

Cambridge, 193

**To the Honorable, the City Council of the
City of Cambridge:**

The undersigned respectfully pray

Communication
From

PETITION

of Raymond Farese
14 Hadding St. Cambridge
for relative to renting City

Owned Property at No. 398
Portland St.

July 9 1937

File with No. 6. Public Property 1937

In City Council DEC 28 1937

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Frederick H. Burbee, Clerk

In City Council, JUL 23 1937 193

Referred to the Committee on

Public Property & Public Institutions

Attest:

Frederick H. Burbee

City Clerk.



City of Cambridge

Massachusetts

Building Department

October 7, 1937

Hon. John D. Lynch
Mayor, City of Cambridge

Dear Sir:

Joseph Zanitti of 7 Ellen Court, Somerville, Massachusetts, lessee of premises owned by City of Cambridge, containing building and land on Portland Street, described in lease, has failed to comply with the provisions of said lease, and I recommend that you request, through an order of the City Council, authority to cancel said lease and take possession.

Yours truly,

A handwritten signature, likely of John J. Terry, is written in ink. It is a stylized, cursive signature.

John J. Terry
Superintendent of Buildings



OFFICE OF THE MAYOR
CAMBRIDGE, MASSACHUSETTS

October 19, 1937

To the Honorable, the City Council:

I transmit herewith communication from the Superintendent of Public Buildings, dated October 7, 1937, recommending that the lease of premises owned by the City on Portland Street, held by Joseph Zanitti, 7 Ellen Court, Somerville, be cancelled for the reason that he has failed to comply with the provisions of said lease.

Yours respectfully,

John D. Leach
Mayor

COMMUNICATION

FROM THE CITY OF PORTLAND
TO THE CITY COUNCIL
ONE FROM *Supt. of Public Buildings*
recommending that the lease of
Joseph Zaritti of Building and Iron
on Portland St. be cancelled.

File With No. 6 Public Property 1937

OCT 19 1937

Referred to the Committee on

Public Property & Public Institutions

Frederick H. Burke

to City Council DEC 28 1937

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Frederick H. Burke

City of Cambridge

In City Council.....December 28, 1937.....

The

Committee on Public Property and
Public Institutions.

to which was referred sundry (6) communications and an order

Reports, Recommending that the

following be placed on file:-

1. Com. Raymond Farese rel renting City-owned property at No. 398 Portland St.
2. Com. Mayor, trans. one from Supt. Public Bldgs. rece. lease J. Zanitti be cancelled.
3. Com. J. DeGuglielmo off. \$1.00 for Sta. 3 property on Fourth St.
4. Com. G. Parsons Dept. Pub. Safety rep. Taylor School.
5. Com. Jefferson Club off. Club-house W.P.A. sewing proj.
6. Order rel. survey housing cond. Gen. Pol. Station.
7. Com. J. Mahady rel. prov. quarters Sta. 4. in Fire Sta. at Beech St.

For the Committee.



REPORT

Committee on Public Property and
Public Institutions sundry (6) Crims.
& one order.

Dec. 28, 1937.
Report received and
recommendation ADOPTED.

Attest: Frederick H. Burdick
City Clerk

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