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City Councillor

To: Ms. D. Margaret Drury, City Clerk

From: Councillor Henrietta Davis

Date: November 16, 2000

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to be "HD", is written over the "To:" line of the memo.

Please include the attached letter from Patricia A. Corcoran as part of this record for the upcoming meeting on Monday, November 20th under the heading of Communications and Reports from City Officers.

Subj: Truck traffic on Blanchard Road
Date: Sunday, November 12, 2000 7:14:01 PM
From: pcorcoran@iopener.net
To: henridavis@aol.com

Unfortunately I was unable to attend the recent Traffic Forum held in Cambridge. I did want to attend to voice my concerns about the truck traffic on Blanchard Road. Having lived here for over forty years I know there is not much that can be done concerning the trucks, however, something needs to be done about their speed. The posted speed limit is 30 and drops to 20 just before the curve. I doubt if any truck is driven the limit (for that matter I doubt if many of the cars are driven at the speed limit as well). If someone actually stops at the Stop Sign at the intersection of Grove Street and Blanchard Road, it is a rare event. Tickets for that violation could pay off the national debt!!!! Although I do not know for sure, I think some of the trucks are overloaded, but that is a different agenda item.

I believe you are the Chair of the Traffic Committee, hence, my reason for writing to you about the above. I appreciate your time. Thank you.

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**Communications and Reports From
City Officers #1**

A communication was received from
Councillor Henrietta Davis,
transmitting a communication
regarding truck traffic on Blanchard
Road.

In City Council November 20, 2000

Referred to
Police Department
for enforcement.

Referred to Traffic,
Parking and Transportation
and Community Development
for potential traffic
calming on motion of
Councillor Davis.

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