



City of Cambridge

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IN CITY COUNCIL

• COUNCILLOR RUSSELL

December 22, 1986

- WHEREAS: Elderely living in the Leonard J. Russell Apartments are feeling the "crunch" of the increased development in their neighborhood in the area of parking; and
- WHEREAS: The LJR Apartments do not have the number of parking spaces ordinarily allotted to elderly housing development (one for every four units); and
- WHEREAS: Many of the elderly are frightened to park autos any distance from their home and many elderly are suffering from arthritis problems and find it hard to walk from far away parking areas; and
- WHEREAS: The lot directly behind their building on Walden Street is now used an an auxillary parking site, serving as a parking space for health aides who are tending to the residents of the building and also those people who frequent the Senior Center at 2050 Massachusetts Avenue; and
- WHEREAS: The adjacent neighborhood residents are also feeling the "crunch" caused by developments in their immediate area, i.e., condo developments on Cogswell Avenue, the Lincoln School, proposed 97 units on the corners of Richdale and Walden, and development in the Porter Square area; therefore, be it
- RESOLVED: That the city retain the lot behind this building as a parking lot to serve the residents of the Leonard J. Russell Apartments and the Senior Center located in the same building.

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Adopted by the affirmative vote of 9 members.
Attest:- Joseph E. Connarton, City Clerk.

A true copy; *Joseph E. Connarton*

ATTEST:-

Joseph E. Connarton, City Clerk.

Order # 4

S-680

C. Russell re: resolutions that the City retain the lot behind the Leonard J. Russell Apt.'s & the Senior Center within the building to serve the residents of same as a parking lot.

In City Council,

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