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CITY OF CAMBRIDGE
In the Year One Thousand,
Nine Hundred and Seventy-four
AN ORDINANCE

In amendment to an ordinance
formerly entitled: "The General
Ordinances of the City of Cam-
bridge" as revised in 1972 and now
designated as "The Code of the City
of Cambridge."

Be it ordained by the City Council
of the City of Cambridge as follows:

The Code of the City of Cam-
bridge are hereby amended by
adding at the end thereof of Chapter
2 entitled: "Administration" the
following new ARTICLE XXVI
entitled: "Assistant City Manager
for Community Development."

**ARTICLE XXVI. ASSISTANT
CITY MANAGER FOR COM-
MUNITY DEVELOPMENT.**

**Section 2-222. Assistant City
Manager for Community
Development Heads Department.**

For the purpose of promoting
further co-operation among the
several departments, divisions,
boards, agencies, commissions,
and officers, and, more par-
ticularly, for the purpose of aiding
in the general supervision and
control of the city departments
whose functions pertain to overall
planning and development, and,
further, to aid and assist the City
Manager in the proper per-
formance of his office, there shall
be an Assistant City Manager for
Community Development, who
shall be considered a department
head within the provisions of
General Laws of the Com-
monwealth of Massachusetts
Chapter 43, Section 103. The
Assistant City Manager for Com-
munity Development shall serve as
the Administrator of Community
Development, and shall have
responsibility for the proper func-
tioning and general effectiveness,
as well as the general supervision
and control, of the Department of
Community Development, and of
those other local departments,
divisions, boards, agencies,
commissions, and officers, such as
the Planning Board, the Depart-
ment of Planning and Develop-
ment, and the Model Cities Ad-
ministration, for which the City
Manager's Office has direct
managerial responsibilities, and
for the maintenance of effective
working relationships with those
other local organizations, such as
the Cambridge Housing Authority,
the Cambridge Redevelopment
Authority, and the Cambridge
Economic Opportunity Committee,
in which the City Manager's office
has co-ordinative or collateral
responsibilities, as well as with
those organizations of a regional,
State, or Federal nature, or
organizational subdivisions
thereof, such as the Massachusetts
Bay Transportation Authority
(MBTA), or the Massachusetts

Department of Community Affairs
(DCA), and the Department of
Housing and Urban Development
(HUD), with which the City
Manager's office from time to time
may have statutory or contractual
responsibilities, and whose func-
tions in all instances relate to
overall planning and development
programs intended through the
design and implementation of new
programs, projects, activities,
systems, procedures and funding
arrangements, or through the
modifications of existing ones to
improve environmental conditions,
facilities and services, to
strengthen environmental
resources, and to meet current and
future environmental
requirements, as well as those
pertaining, in a similar manner to
organization for community
development work, to the
development of basic data and
information systems, to human
services, and to economic, tran-
sportation, and housing affairs.

**Section 2-223. Appointment and
Term of Assistant City Manager for
Community Development.**

The Assistant City Manager for
Community Development shall be
appointed by and serve at the
pleasure of the City Manager. It is
the intention of this provision to fix
all responsibility and vest all
authority for the appointment and
removal of the Assistant City
Manager for Community
Development in the City Manager.

**Section 2-224. No Civil Service or
Tenure Rights.**

The Assistant City Manager for
Community Development shall
have no rights under Civil Service,
nor acquire any rights of tenure in
any manner.

**Section 2-225. Power and Duties
of Assistant City Manager for
Community Development.**

The powers and duties of the
Assistant City Manager for Com-
munity Development shall be such
as are designated and assigned
from time to time to the Assistant
City Manager for Community
Development by the City Manager.
The Assistant City Manager for
Community Development shall
have all the powers, rights and
duties that the City Manager shall
determine as are necessary for the
proper functioning and general
effectiveness, as well as for the
general supervision and control, of
the departments, divisions, boards,
agencies, commissions, and of-
ficers, consistent with the powers
and duties assigned to him by the
City Manager.

**Section 2-226. Compensation for
Assistant City Manager for Com-
munity Development.**

The Assistant City Manager for
Community Development shall
receive as annual compensation the
same amount set forth in Section 2-
191 of this Chapter for the Assistant
City Manager.

This ordinance shall take effect
July 1, 1974.

In City Council June 3, 1974.

Passed to be ordained by a yeas
and nay vote: Yeas 6; Nays 1;
Absent 2.

James L. Sullivan,
City Manager

ATTEST:
Paul E. Healy,
City Clerk
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