



City of Cambridge

15.

IN CITY COUNCIL

March 20, 1995

VICE MAYOR RUSSELL
COUNCILLOR BORN
COUNCILLOR DUEHAY
COUNCILLOR GALLUCCIO
COUNCILLOR MYERS
COUNCILLOR SULLIVAN
COUNCILLOR TOOMEY

WHEREAS: On August 15, 1901, the Feast of the Assumption, the Reverend John Flatley, Pastor of St. Peter's Church in the Observatory Hill Section of Cambridge recruited from Canton, Massachusetts five School Sisters of Notre Dame to teach in the school which officially opened on September 16, 1901 with one hundred and thirty one pupils registered; and

WHEREAS: St. Peter's School grew and flourished, when in 1904, with the addition of a Kindergarten which brought the enrollment up to three hundred and sixty five; and

WHEREAS: By 1952, the enrollment was seven hundred and fifty, and in 1959, a girls high school was opened, with Sister Stephen Marie Mahoney being appointed first Principal. Along with the school growing, vocations to Religious life also flourished, including Sister Ann Therese Martin, presently living in the convent, and on the staff of Don Bosco High School; and

WHEREAS: For ninety four years, this Religious Community has been an integral part of St. Peter's Parish, where they have been responsible for the education and religious training of many, many successful individuals; and

WHEREAS: At present, the five sisters remaining in the convent, will be leaving St. Peter's, some to retire, and others to continue their work elsewhere; now therefore be it

RESOLVED: That this City Council go on record as thanking these Dedicated members of the School Sisters of Notre Dame for their tireless work, educating not only the children of St. Peter's Parish, but also children who have travelled to St. Peter's from Boston for many years to benefit from the teaching of these good Sisters, and further to wish each of them good health, and happiness as they continue God's work in whatever endeavors they have chosen.

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Adopted by the affirmative vote of nine members.

Attest:- D. Margaret Drury, City Clerk.

A true copy;

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Born. Quebay Gallucci Angus
Sullivan Torrey

Consent Order #15

R-223

Vice Mayor Russell re: Many thanks
to the School Sisters of Notre Dame
of St. Peters Church in the Observatory
Hill area as some retire and others
continue their work elsewhere.

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Order adopted.