



City of Cambridge

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IN CITY COUNCIL

June 19, 2000

MAYOR GALLUCCIO
 COUNCILLOR BORN
 COUNCILLOR BRAUDE
 COUNCILLOR DAVIS
 COUNCILLOR DECKER
 VICE MAYOR MAHER
 COUNCILLOR REEVES
 COUNCILLOR SULLIVAN
 COUNCILLOR TOOMEY

- WHEREAS On July 1, 2000 Cambridge will commemorate the 225th anniversary of the arrival of General George Washington, the first commander-in-chief of the American armed forces, through the Revolutionary Cambridge Discovery Day'; and
- WHEREAS Cambridge played a significant role during the first months of the American Revolution, including serving as General Washington's headquarters from July 2, 1775 to April 4, 1776; and
- WHEREAS While in Cambridge General Washington established his first command post, thus creating the foundation for the American army and navy; and
- WHEREAS Revolutionary Cambridge Discovery Day is being organized by the Historic Cambridge Collaborative which includes the Longfellow National Historic Site, the Cambridge Historical Society, the Cambridge Historical Commission, the Cambridge African American Heritage Advisory Committee, the Cambridge Center for Adult Education, the Cambridge Office of Tourism, the Friends of the Longfellow House, the Harvard University Office of News and Public Affairs, and Mount Auburn Cemetery; and is being supported by the City of Cambridge and other organizations and individuals; and
- WHEREAS This event will be held at Fort Washington in Cambridgeport, Harvard Square, Harvard Yard, Cambridge Common, Brattle Street and Elmwood Avenue; now therefore be it
- RESOLVED That July 1, 2000 will be known as Revolutionary Cambridge Discovery Day; and be it further
- RESOLVED That the City Clerk be and is hereby requested to forward a suitably engrossed copy of this resolution to the Cambridge Historical Society on behalf of the entire City Council.

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Adopted by the affirmative vote of nine members.

Attest:- D. Margaret Drury, City Clerk.

A true copy;

ATTEST:-

A handwritten signature in cursive script, reading "D. Margaret Drury".

D. Margaret Drury
 City Clerk

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