



City of Cambridge

38.

IN CITY COUNCIL

September 24, 1990

COUNCILLOR SULLIVAN

Revs

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- WHEREAS: Clifton, a decorated veteran of World War I, receiving the Distinguished Service Cross and the Croix de Guerre with palm from the French Government; now therefore be it
- RESOLVED: That this City Council go on record designating the corner of Inman Street and West Street as the "CLIFTON MERRIMAN SQUARE" and further that the City Clerk in conjunction with the Director of Veteran Services and Benefits to arrange for a suitable dedication ceremony.

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IN CITY COUNCIL

August 7, 1989

COUNCILLOR WALTER SULLIVAN
COUNCILLOR GRAHAM

WHEREAS: The Cambridge City Council was deeply saddened upon learning of the death of Clifton Merriman, late long time resident of Cambridge and retired Assistant Superintendent of the Cambridge Post Office; and

WHEREAS: Clifton, a veteran of World War I, served in the United States Army and was decorated with the Distinguished Service Cross for his instinctive actions while serving as a Corporal in L Company successfully threw a grenade destroying a German machine gun nest which had pinned down his comrades near Bussy Farm in France and he also received the Croix de Guerre with palm and Medaille Militaire from the French Government; and

WHEREAS: Clifton has served as a Past Commander of the Isaac Wilson Taylor Post #2443 Veterans of Foreign Wars and was a tenor in the Union Baptist Church Chancel Choir and in the Greater Boston Negro Chorus while also serving as the Sunday School Superintendent and Trustee and President of the Men's Fellowship, now therefore be it

RESOLVED: That this City Council go on record extending its deepest sympathy to the Merriman Family at this time of such personal loss; and be it further

RESOLVED: That the City Clerk be and hereby is requested to prepare a suitable resolution for presentation to the family on behalf of the entire City Council.

In City Council August 7, 1989.
Adopted by the affirmative vote of 9 members.
Attest:- Joseph E. Connarton, City Clerk.

A true copy;

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A handwritten signature in black ink, reading "Joseph E. Connarton".

Joseph E. Connarton
City Clerk.

Order # 38 S-898

Councillor Walter Sullivan and Vice Mayor
Reeves re: designating the corner of
Inman and West Street as "CLIFTON MERRIMAN
SQUARE".

In City Council,

Sept. 24, 1990

ORDER ADOPTED