

In City Council September 22, 1986.
Adopted by the affirmative vote of 8 members.
Attest:- Joseph E. Connarton, Acting City Clerk.

A true copy; *Joseph E. Connarton*

ATTEST:-

Joseph E. Connarton, Acting City Clerk. ,

(COUNCILLOR WALSH RECORDED AS NOT VOTING IN THIS MATTER)



City of Cambridge

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IN CITY COUNCIL

COUNCILLOR D. SULLIVAN

September 22, 1986

- WHEREAS: For more than three years, the Cambridge Electric Light Company (the "Company") has been attempting to secure approvals for a new substation in the Cambridgeport-Riverside area, and for a transmission line connecting the substation with an existing power source in the Alewife area; and
- WHEREAS: In recent discussions with the community, the Company has expressed willingness to show greater flexibility in its preferred locations for this substation and this transmission line, if these preferred locations receive the support of the City Council and the Cambridge community; and
- WHEREAS: Without expressing any views about the need for this substation and transmission line, an issue which is properly decided by the state Energy Facilities Siting Council and Department of Public Utilities, the City Council wishes to encourage a rapid settlement of this matter that will preserve the housing at Putnam and Western Avenues, and that will also protect the environment along the Charles River; therefore, be it
- RESOLVED: That the Cambridge City Council declare its support for locating the Company's proposed substation at the "pole-yard" site on Putnam Avenue, in preference to locating it at the intersection of Putnam and Western Avenues; and be it further
- RESOLVED: That the City Council further declare its support for the proposed "all city of Cambridge street route" for the transmission line, in preference to any route running along or crossing the Charles River; and be it further
- RESOLVED: That the City Council understands that, in constructing and maintaining this substation and transmission line, the Company will take all steps possible to minimize any inconvenience to the surrounding neighborhoods as outlined in detail by the Company in its several meetings with neighborhood residents.

C.D. Sullivan re: resolutions supporting
CELCO's locating the Company's proposed sub-
station at the "pole-yard" site on Putnam
Ave.

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C.D. Sullivan

v/v
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C. Walsh indicated he wished
to be recorded as not voting
on this matter