



# City of Cambridge

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**IN CITY COUNCIL**

November 4, 2002

VICE MAYOR DAVIS  
 COUNCILLOR DECKER  
 COUNCILLOR GALLUCCIO  
 COUNCILLOR MAHER  
 COUNCILLOR MURPHY  
 COUNCILLOR REEVES  
 COUNCILLOR SIMMONS  
 MAYOR SULLIVAN  
 COUNCILLOR TOOMEY

WHEREAS: Emergency personnel in Boston were recently hindered by illegally parked vehicles while responding to a fire, leading to the tragic death of an eight-year-old girl; and

WHEREAS: Narrow Cambridge streets and the density of vehicles in Cambridge neighborhoods pose similar safety risks; now therefore be it

ORDERED: That the City Manager be and hereby is requested to examine issues relating to unsafe parking and the safety implications posed; and be it further

ORDERED: That the City Manager be and hereby is requested to report back to the City Council as soon as possible with a list of narrow streets and alleyways where illegal parking is a problem and poses safety risks; and be it further

ORDERED: That the City Manager be and hereby is requested to report back to the City Council as soon as possible with a plan to address this issue, possibly including a revision of the fine structure and/or a public education campaign.

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Adopted by the affirmative vote of nine members.

Attest:- D. Margaret Drury, City Clerk.

A true copy;

ATTEST:-

D. Margaret Drury  
City Clerk

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**ORDER #6**

Report on unsafe parking and a list  
of narrow streets and alleyways  
where illegal parking is a problem.  
**Vice Mayor Davis**

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**ORDER ADOPTED.**