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Mr. Paul E. Healy
City Clerk
Cambridge City Hall
Cambridge, MA 02139

Dear Mr. Healy:

This letter respectfully requests your help and the help of the City Council members to rescue the pear tree at the City's redevelopment site in Kendall Square. Due to changes in design plans over the years, the tree, which I understand was to be the focus of a small park, must now be either killed or moved because of subway construction and the 25-story hotel complex.

I have talked with Mr. Tony Cristello and Mr. Joe Tulumieri of the Redevelopment Authority, and they are both quite sympathetic about saving the tree if possible. I have been marshalling support for that effort and would greatly appreciate an official statement of support from you and the Council. I was also advised to write to the City Manager, to inquire about the availability of funds to share the cost of moving and transplanting, and will do so today.

During the day, I can be reached at 491-6005.

Thank you very much,



Stuart M. Leiderman

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Comm. from Stuart M. Leiderman, requesting
the assistance of the Council in rescuing a
pear tree at the City's redevelopment site
in Kendall Sq.

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In City Council,

March 11, 1985

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City Manager*