



City of Cambridge

32.

IN CITY COUNCIL

February 5, 1996

COUNCILLOR DAVIS
COUNCILLOR BORN
COUNCILLOR DUEHAY
COUNCILLOR GALLUCCIO
COUNCILLOR REEVES
COUNCILLOR RUSSELL
COUNCILLOR SULLIVAN
COUNCILLOR TRIANTAFILLOU

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RESOLVED: That the City Manager be requested to confer with the Election Commission about its plans increasing voter participation with a view to presenting a report before the City Council; and be it further

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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
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~~Report the City Manager~~

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Consent Order #32
Russey, Sullivan

Councillor Davis re: Thanks to the
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and request for report on how to
increase voter participation.

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Order Adopted