



City of Cambridge

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IN CITY COUNCIL

October 28, 1996

VICE MAYOR BORN
 COUNCILLOR DAVIS
 COUNCILLOR DUEHAY
 COUNCILLOR GALLUCCIO
 MAYOR RUSSELL
 COUNCILLOR SULLIVAN
 COUNCILLOR TOOMEY
 COUNCILLOR TRIANTAFILLOU

WHEREAS: Many women living alone in Cambridge have concerns about their personal safety in the privacy of their homes; and

WHEREAS: That recent home invasions, house breaks and rapes in Cambridge have highlighted the importance of a woman's right to privacy about her living arrangements, especially women living alone; and

WHEREAS: The continuous posting of electoral rolls outside Cambridge voting places for the nearly eight weeks between the primary and general elections has caused concern to a great many women concerned with their safety as well as proving an eyesore when the lists deteriorate in bad weather; now therefore be it

ORDERED: That the City Manager be and hereby is requested to communicate the City Council's concern to the staff and directors of the Cambridge Election Commission and request that, in the future, these lists be displayed only for the minimum time required by state law.

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 Adopted by the affirmative vote of nine members.
 Attest:- D. Margaret Drury, City Clerk.

A true copy;

ATTEST:-

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 City Clerk

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Davis, Duha, Galluccio, Russell
Consent ORDER #17 Sullivan, Toomey

Vice Mayor Born re: Concern about
the personal safety of women in
the privacy of their homes as they
relate to the posting of electoral
rolls.

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ORDER ADOPTED