



**CITY OF CAMBRIDGE**  
**INTEROFFICE CORRESPONDENCE**

**To** Mr. Paul Healy, City Clerk  
**From** Mr. George Teso, Traffic Director  
**Subject**

**Date** Sept. 12, 1974

**Reference**

Dear Mr. Healy:

After viewing the proposed driveways at 232 Hampshire Street and 1409 Cambridge Street, I recommend that these permits be denied for the following reasons:

1. The driveways would be too close to the already hazardous Inman Square intersection and the turns in and out would create a definite accident hazard, especially, the left turns.
2. If these driveways were approved for a fourteen (14) car parking lot, I would have to remove at least six (6) on-street parking spaces to allow for visibility of cars entering and leaving.

It is my understanding that the Conservation Commission is interested in utilizing some of this land for its open space program and also the Mid-Cambridge Neighborhood Group has voiced their opposition to parking on this site.

Very truly yours,

George Teso  
Traffic Director

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Cambridge, June 26, 19 74

To the Honorable, the City Council of the  
City of Cambridge:

The undersigned respectfully pray that a driveway for commercial use may be constructed and agrees to deposit with the City Treasurer the sum of seventy five (\$75.00) dollars, subject to the following conditions, to wit: In case the amount so deposited is in excess of the cost of the driveway, the difference shall be refunded by the City Treasurer, but in case the cost of the driveway exceeds that deposit, said deposit shall be applied as a credit to the bill and the balance shall be paid to the City Treasurer within thirty days from the receipt of the bill.

Location of proposed driveway 232-238 Hampshire Street

Owner or Owners Name 1400 Investment Realty Trust  
Trustee - Arthur G. DiMeo

Address 272R Sidney St.; Cambridge, Mass.

Arthur G. DiMeo

Telephone Number 354-3500

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PETITION

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of 1400 Investment Realty Trust.....

for Driveway at premises

- 236-238 Beacon Street -

No. 232-238 Hampshire St. ....

Sept. 16, 1974

Location of driveway approved by

*Mary Lee*  
.....  
Traffic Director

*Referred to Planning  
Sept 30, 1974*

In City Council,

*Sept 16* 1974

Referred to the Committee on Roads and  
Bridges

Attest:

City Clerk

*Addendum not be  
checked again*