

Mrs. James Donovan
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To Members of the Cambridge City Council:

I am dismayed to read of the probable closing of the Observatory Hill Branch of the Cambridge Public Library.

This branch serves the interests of a great many "Senior Citizens", like myself—as well as school children—and large numbers of mothers with their pre-school children. The programs for this group are outstanding and receive warm response.

I cannot speak too highly of Bliss and Carol, who staff the branch.

Her pleasant efficiency and her
concern for us all -

Of course I understand the con-
strictions of your budget,
but I think that the circulation
figures of this branch must
be very high, that closing it
would have a bad impact
on its community. I do hope
that you may be able to
find means to continue its
excellent service -

Sincerely yours,

Frances Brandon

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Comm. from Frances Donovan in opposition to
the possible closing of the Observatory
Hill Branch of the Cambridge Public Library

In City Council,

May 23, 1983

5/23/83

Richard L. Lorge

*copy sent to the City Manager
5/20/83 mh*