

April 24, 1975

Mr. Connarton
Assistant City Clerk
Cambridge City Hall
Cambridge, Massachusetts

Dear Mr. Connarton;

I would like to express my gratitude to Mr. Leonard Russell, Vice-Mayor of the City of Cambridge, who found the time in his very busy schedule to take part in the opening of the renovated Intensive Care Unit at the Cambridge Hospital. Mr. Russell was quite impressed with the quality and professionalism of the work that was done by the Maintenance Department of the Hospital.

The following was done:

Removal of walls, construction of new walls, creation of a Conference Room and Isolation Room, relocation and tying in of the various medical gases, relocation of electrical fixtures, rewiring, installation of new electrical outlets, removal and installation of plumbing facilities, heating, ventilating and air conditioning, redesigning of shelving that holds medical gases behind each bed, installation of new I. V. tracks, new ceiling installation, floor tile installation, wiring and installing of the new console that monitors all patients in the unit.

Before this was started, one must bear in mind that a temporary Intensive Care facility had to be set up in 4 West which involved emergency power, additional electrical outlets, etc., This could not have been accomplished without the strong cooperation of the Director of Nurses - Miss Joan Kenney and her able staff, Mr. John Welsh, Assistant Director of the Hospital and the entire Maintenance Staff.

Those in the Maintenance Staff who participated in the renovation are as follows:

Mr. Richard Sullivan, Mr. John W. Ford, Mr. Peter McCann, Mr. Albert Nevaras, Mr. James J. Ford, Mr. Paul Murphy, Mr. Manuel Ferreira, Mr. Peter Giannino, Mr. Arthur Stone, Mr. James Gravallesse, Mr. John Murphy and Mr. Rodney Silva. We would also like to thank the young men from the CETA program for their help.

Sincerely,

Thomas H. Ford
Thomas H. Ford
Plant Engineer
Cambridge Hospital

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City of Cambridge

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IN CITY COUNCIL

April 28, 1975

Councillor Russell

WHEREAS:

The Intensive Care Unit of the Cambridge Hospital has just recently been renovated, and

WHEREAS:

This entire and comprehensive renovation was done by the maintenance staff at the Hospital under the capable direction of Plant Engineer, Thomas H. Ford, and

WHEREAS:

The work which was done is of such high quality and done in such a professional manner, therefore be it

RESOLVED:

That this City Council extend our sincere congratulations and heartfelt thanks to Thomas H. Ford and his entire maintenance staff for a tremendous job well done, and be it further

RESOLVED:

That a copy of this resolution be forwarded to each member of the maintenance staff responsible for this fine job and further that a copy be placed in each members personnel file.

City Council April 28, 1975

Adopted by the affirmative vote

of 9 membersPaul E. Leahy
City Clerk

Order # 9/6 S

C. Russell re: resolutions on Thomas H.
Ford and his maintenance staff.

In City Council,

April 28, 1975

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of the Hospital staff
5/1/75 dl.*

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