

## CITY OF CAMBRIDGE

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EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT  
JAMES L. SULLIVAN  
City Manager

June 3, 1974

To the Honorable, the City Council:

With respect to your expressed concern regarding the expenditure of Model Cities funds for salaries of City employees, the Model Cities Agency has provided the vehicle for the continued employment of two members of Cambridge's minority groups who were employed under provisions of the Emergency Employment Act.

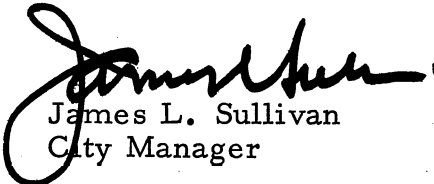
The two employees are Job Developers operating the Neighborhood Employment Center serving Areas 3 and 4, as well as the East Cambridge neighborhood. The Neighborhood Employment Center is housed at the site of the Community Learning Center, 238 Columbia Street, Cambridge.

The employees are temporarily being paid with Model Cities funds until the City is reimbursed through the Comprehensive Employment and Training Act of 1973 (CETA) under Title II. The funds which make this reimbursement possible were appropriated by Congress on April 1, 1974, but will not be distributed until after July 1, 1974. Therefore, a speedy means of advancing funds locally had to be devised as a preferable alternative to the unemployment of the individuals.

For your further information I have listed the names of the two employees, both residents of Cambridge, with their respective weekly wages:

Rose Riggins	\$183.58
Manuel Mosquera	\$183.58

Very truly yours,

  
James L. Sullivan  
City Manager

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Communication from City Manager  
relative to Model Cities expenditures.

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