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To: The Honorable, the City Councillors

From: The Cambridgeport Neighborhood Initiative (CNI)

Co-Chairs: Daphne Abeel, Gordie Fellman, Stash Horowitz

Anastasia Leotsakos, Laurie Taymor-Berry, Maureen VanStry, Elie Yarden

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For: Council Meeting of May 18, 1998

Re: Continuing concerns about City permits being issued, without proper procedures being followed, for proposed project at 784 Memorial Drive.

CNI members would like to address the Council on their concerns relating to:

1. Building permits for the 577-car garage, and for the addition to the historic building now being renovated.
2. The withdrawal by Spaulding & Slye of its application to relocate unsafe and non-conforming curb cuts on neighborhood streets, to safer, conforming (to zoning ordinance) ones.
3. Meetings held recently between CNI and
 - (a) State Board of Building Regulations & Standards
 - (b) Inspectional Services Department Commissioner
4. Meetings held recently among CNI; CDD; Traffic, Parking & Transportation; Rizzo Associates; Spaulding & Slye; Vanasse Associates; and the MDC, on traffic concerns -- an update.

Consent Communicaiton #13

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A communication was received from the Cambridgeport Neighborhood Initiative (CNI) Co-Chairs, transmitting continuing concerns about City permits being issued, without proper procedures being gollowed, for proposed project at 784 Memorial Drive.

In CityCouncil May 18, 1998

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