



City of Cambridge

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IN CITY COUNCIL

July 29, 1996

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COUNCILLOR REEVES
COUNCILLOR GALLUCCIO
COUNCILLOR SULLIVAN

- WHEREAS: This day, October 12, 1997, the Cambridge City Council commemorates the more than fifty years during which **Sen Lee** and the Lee family have made Cambridge their home and built the Hong Kong Restaurant as a Cambridge destination; and
- WHEREAS: Sen Lee was born in Tai Sun, China, and came to the United States; and
- WHEREAS: Sen Lee attended public schools, fought in World War II and opened a laundry; and
- WHEREAS: Sen Lee married Buoy Lin Fong; their marriage was blessed with four children, George, William, Evelyn Thom and Paul; and in turn, with eight grandchildren; and
- WHEREAS: In 1947, Sen Lee opened the Hong Kong Restaurant at 1238 Massachusetts Avenue; and
- WHEREAS: Sen Lee passed away on April 21, 1994; and
- WHEREAS: Buoy Lin Fong Lee, Sen Lee's wife, and his children have continued the business until the present day; and
- WHEREAS: The Lee family story is the story of the immigrant experience in America; and
- WHEREAS: In turn, the Lee family experience, like that of so many immigrants to this city, has added immeasurably to the cultural wealth and diversity which are key to Cambridge; now therefore be it

RESOLVED: That the City Council go on record dedicating this corner of Massachusetts Avenue and Bow Street as **Sen Lee Corner**; and be it further

RESOLVED: That the City Clerk be and hereby is requested to prepare a suitably engrossed copy for presentation to the Lee family on October 12, 1997 on behalf of the entire City Council.

In City Council July 29, 1996

Adopted by the affirmative vote of nine members.

Attest:- D. Margaret Drury, City Clerk.

A true copy;

A handwritten signature in cursive script, reading "D. Margaret Drury".

ATTEST:-

D. Margaret Drury
City Clerk

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Suitable placement
of a Plaque or
corner marker
for the late
owner of the
Hong Kong Restaurant

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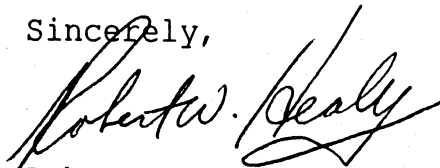
Dear Secretary Coxé,

I am writing to express my grave concerns and those of the City Council about the lack of prompt public notification by state agencies in response to the serious water quality problem recently discovered in the Charles River. The delay in alerting river users about this health hazard needlessly put their well-being at risk.

Recreational activity in and along the Charles River is at its peak in the summer months. On a typical summer weekend day, the river is filled with boats and canoes, and its shores attract picnicking families, runners, anglers, and many others. The river normally provides a beautiful and safe environment in which area residents feel confident they can enjoy themselves. Yet the high fecal coliform levels recently discovered posed a risk to park users even through incidental contact.

The efforts of state agencies in publicizing the sewage leak and warning river users of the associated health risks were unfortunately grossly delayed. I urge you to review your public notification procedures to ensure that in the future, any condition in the river that may pose public health risks are announced to the public in a more timely manner.

Sincerely,



Robert W. Healy



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ORDERED: That a suitable placement of a plaque or corner marker be prepared for the late owner of the Hong Kong restaurant.

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A true copy;

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ORDERED: That a suitable placement of a plaque or corner marker be prepared for the late owner of the Hong Kong restaurant, after consultation with the Assistant to the City Council regarding the family's wishes.

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Consent Order #122

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Councillors Reeves, Galluccio and
Sullivan re: Prepare and place a
suitable plaque or corner marker
for the late owner of the Hong Kong
restaurant.

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Order Adopted