

COMMUNITY ORIENTED POLICING LEADERSHIP COUNCIL

STATEMENT OF PURPOSE

The Community Oriented Policing Leadership Council was established in 1994 to help implement the basic goals of Community Oriented Policing: to reduce crime and to improve the quality of life in the City of Cambridge through a collaborative interaction between the Cambridge Police Department and the community.

The Leadership Council is comprised of a broad range of business, government, civic, church, youth, police, and community leaders who believe that a joint problem-solving process is the best way to resolve contemporary community concerns related to crime, fear of crime, social and physical disorder, and neighborhood decay. Our mission is to mobilize, coordinate, and maximize existing community resources in order to make it possible for the Cambridge Police Department to focus on law enforcement. We are committed to fostering a community which is responsive to the needs of all its members by:

- identifying and discussing community problems, and seeking creative and effective solutions which are consistent with the principles of Community Oriented Policing;
- promoting the active involvement of community resources and service providers;
- creating a supportive forum for working in partnership;
- acknowledging and maximizing the strengths associated with a richly diverse and inclusive community;
- monitoring the effectiveness of the solutions as implemented, and recommending alternatives, depending on the outcomes; and
- educating the community about how to contribute to a safe and positive environment for all.

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Dear Ms. Drury,

Enclosed please find the statement of purpose for the Community Oriented Policing Leadership Council. Please include this in the hearing packet for November 13. Please also include any letters you receive from Cambridge businesses regarding support for the C.O.P. dedicated team initiative.

Regards,

Vicky
Vicky Boulrice
Neighborhood Coordinator
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Consent Communication #4

Communication was received from
Vicky Boulrice, Neighborhood Coordina-
tor, Cambridge Police Department,
enclosing a statement of purpose for
the Community Oriented Policing
Leadership Council.

In City Council November 13, 1995

*Referred to the 7:00 p.m.
hearing*