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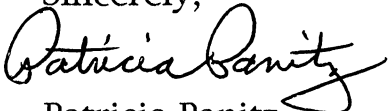
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Dear Cambridge City Council Members,

I am writing in regard to the plight of the Charles River White Geese. It's outrageous that their nesting area was destroyed with no input from the community prior. The geese have lost a home and the community has lost precious natural land due to behind the scenes collusion between Boston Univ. and the Metropolitan District Commission. I, for one, am tired of large corporations and entities like BU throwing their weight around and thumbing their nose at the rest of the community to get whatever they want at others' expense. If they are allowed to get away with this, BU or other large businesses will undoubtedly be back with other plans for "improvement" of land areas.

It's almost time for the present geese to leave their nesting area. I can think of no better gift to the citizens of Cambridge than to restore the land back to its original state so that geese families may again grace the shores of the Charles River locally for all to see and enjoy next spring and every spring thereafter.

Sincerely,


Patricia Panitz

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A communication was received from
Patricia Panitz, transmitting
concern relative to the plight of
the Charles River white geese.

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