

10 September 1993

Cambridge City Council
City Hall
Cambridge, MA 02139

Re: The HOPE Boston, Inc. Bike-a-thon.

Dear Members of Council:

On Saturday, October 9 there will be a bike-a-thon sponsored by HOPE Boston, Inc. a Boston-based non-profit organization whose purpose is to promote services to disadvantaged people in Boston and around the world. The 100 km (62.4 mi) ride will start at 7:00am in Waltham and end at 5:00pm in Boston at the Hatch Memorial Shell. I am writing to secure approval to have the bike-a-thon pass through Cambridge and to get any comments you have concerning safety or traffic impact of the route.

HOPE Boston, Inc. is the Boston area affiliate of HOPE Worldwide, Ltd., an international network of 45,000 volunteers and clinics that provide care, assistance and funds to poor and needy people around the world. In addition to contributing to established organizations such as Big Sisters, Children's Hospital and the Department of Social Services, HOPE Boston is currently evaluating the need for additional medical services in the metropolitan Boston area. This year, we will explore the most effective manner to begin serving the troubled population of the inner city and make a significant financial and volunteer commitment to this area. Some of these funds will be raised by the estimated 400 riders participating in this bike-a-thon.

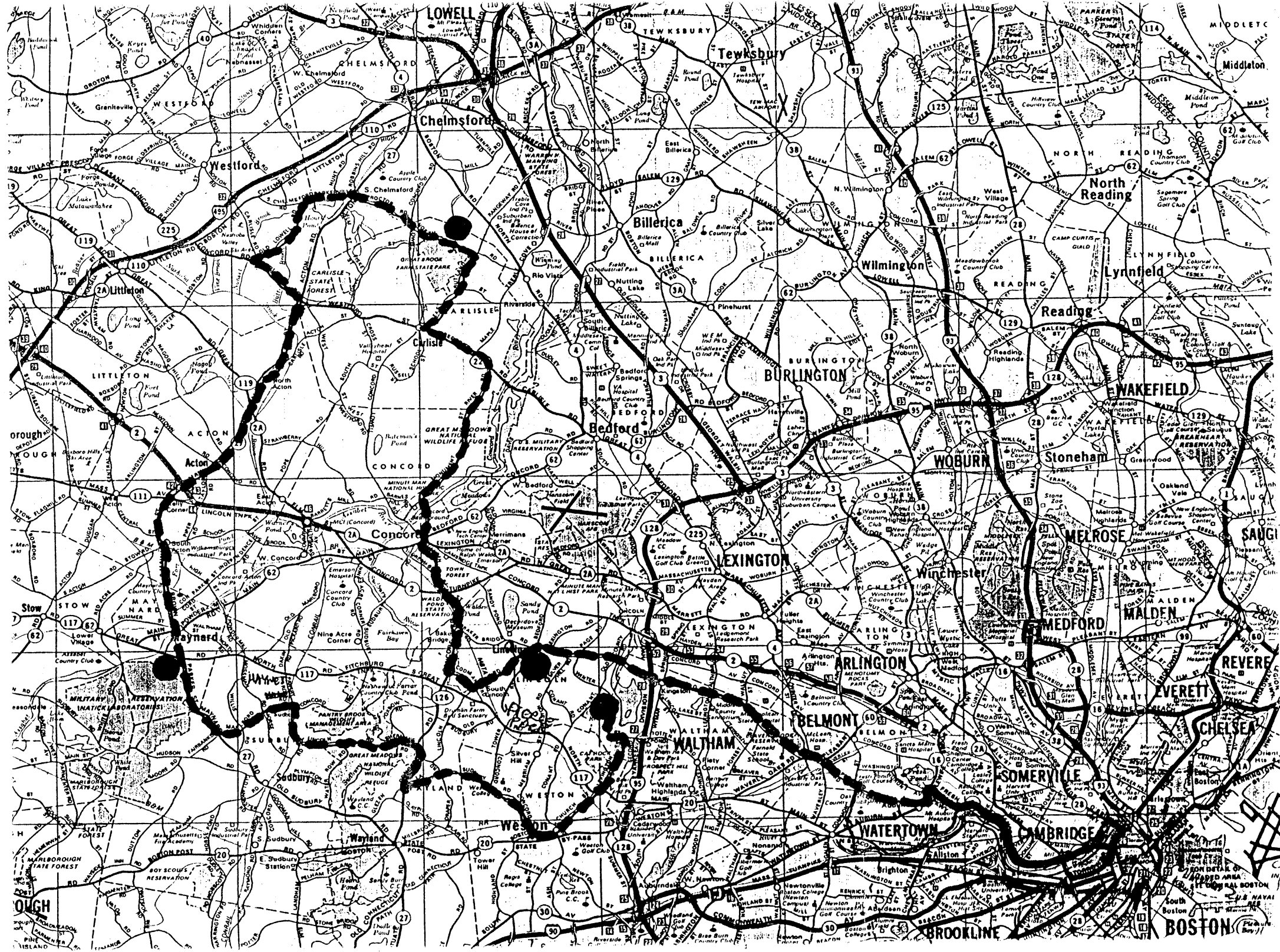
A map of the proposed route with the Cambridge segment highlighted is enclosed for your review. I can be contacted at work (617)951-0060 or at home (617)696-3169 or via correspondence sent to the letterhead address. Thank you, your support is greatly appreciated.

Sincerely,

Brian M. Scott
Architect, HOPE Volunteer

cc: Thom Bogle, Chairman
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In City Council September 20, 1993

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