



City of Cambridge

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Calendar Item # 1
IN CITY COUNCIL
~~October 17, 2016~~
October 31, 2016

MAYOR SIMMONS

- WHEREAS: The elevator in City Hall has been exhibiting signs of wear and tear in recent months, with numerous people reporting getting stuck between floors from anywhere between several minutes to substantially longer intervals; and
- WHEREAS: The worst episode occurred during the City's Iftar celebration in July, when several people packed into the elevator became trapped for close to an hour; and
- WHEREAS: The City has been fortunate that nothing more than inconvenience has been experienced by those who have been trapped in the elevator, but it would be wise to invest in a long-term solution to ensure that more serious episodes are not given the opportunity to occur; now therefore be it
- ORDERED: That the City Manager be and hereby is requested to consult with the appropriate personnel to determine the feasibility of replacing the City Hall elevator with a newer, more reliable system, and to report back to the City Council in a timely manner.

In City Council October 31, 2016.
Adopted by the affirmative vote of eight members.
Attest:- Donna P. Lopez, City Clerk

A true copy;

ATTEST:-

Donna P. Lopez, City Clerk