



Re: Fw: Longfellow Council

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Dear Eileen,

I am writing on behalf of the Coordinating Committee of the Mid-Cambridge Neighborhood Association (MCNA) to inquire about the future of the Longfellow Council, another important Mid-Cambridge organization. The Council has provided many, many residents with programming that has enriched their lives.

For some time, the MCNA has been closely following the fate of the Longfellow Council. Many of us attended the December meeting where we were informed that an interim director would be named as a prelude to hiring a permanent program director. We have not heard anything further about the permanent position since that meeting. Now, much to our dismay, we are hearing rumors that might spell the end of the Council. After the December meeting, we felt the Council was secure with the naming of an interim director and the representation of City officials that a permanent position would follow. So, as you can imagine, this `rumor' comes as an unpleasant

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