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From: Michael Rome [michaelrome@comcast.net]
Sent: Tuesday, October 18, 2011 3:46 PM
To: Lopez, Donna
Subject: Bishop Petition

Dear City Councillors,

A lot of your fellow Cantabridgians have been working at a feverish pace to protect their neighborhood from over development. They would like to see a vote on the Bishop Petition at the Oct 20th meeting and I urge you to do so. Although the Harvey St. Project has changed with mounting pressure from the neighborhood, no similar changes have been presented by Fawcett Oil. Two huge Apartment buildings do not fit into this small neighborhood, and auto egress will be a nightmare.

I have been a resident of North Cambridge for 36 years. I own my own home and have a business here. I am all for density along Mass Ave., and even infill in the neighborhoods, but these projects are not commensurate with what exists. The need to reward owners of industrial property for developing residential housing does not exist as it did when SD2 was designed.

I urge you to bring this to a vote Oct 20th.

Thank you,
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