



CITY OF SOMERVILLE, MASSACHUSETTS
FIRE DEPARTMENT
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MAYOR

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CHIEF ENGINEER

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Commissioner Jill Lathan
City of Somerville
Traffic Commission

Re: Sycamore Street fire lane

Dear Commissioner Lathan,

I respectfully request that a fire lane be established on Sycamore Street. This fire lane will run from the corner of Pembroke Street down the even side in front of 74 Sycamore Street in a northerly direction for a distance of twenty (20) feet. The reason for this request is that it has been reported that fire apparatus had difficulty taking this turn during recent emergency response.

I am submitting this proposal in the interest of public safety. Thank you for your consideration in this matter.

Respectfully,

Charles J. Breen Jr.
Chief Engineer