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**Cambridge Fire Department Partners
with Stroke Recovery Association of Cambridge & District**

Cambridge, Ontario. June 17, 2009...The Stroke Recovery Association of Cambridge and District is hosting a Pancake Breakfast in the Civic Square, 55 Dickson Street, Cambridge from 8:00 am until 11:00 am on Saturday, June 20, 2009. Funds from the breakfast will go to support the work on the Association, which includes education, counseling and assistance with recovery after a stroke.

The Cambridge Fire Department will be partnering with the Stroke Recovery Association to bring awareness to the public of the signs of a stroke and the need to take quick emergency action. At 10:00 am, the Fire Department and Waterloo Regional Emergency Services will respond to a simulated stroke in the Civic Square.

“It is important to recognize the signs of a stroke and respond quickly so that the proper medical attention can be received as quickly as possible,” says Jim Shuttleworth, one of the organizers of the breakfast. “Medical attention may include drugs that can reduce the severity of the stroke and make recovery that much quicker and easier.”

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Contact:

For additional information or tickets for the breakfast please call
Jim at 519-621-5162

The City of Cambridge is one of the fastest growing areas in the country. It is strategically located astride highway 401 in Southwestern Ontario, part of Canada's Technology Triangle. In 2009, the population reached over 126,000 people. With a multicultural mix and a strong foundation of support services, Cambridge has a diverse economic base with leading industries in manufacturing, automotive, high technology, pharmaceutical, business and financial services and hospitality/retail. The Corporation of the City of Cambridge is an employer with a work environment that offers the opportunity to provide service to the community through creativity and innovation, and with opportunities for career growth and advancement. Based on the 2007 BMA Management Consulting Inc Municipal Study, the City of Cambridge is one of only four municipalities in the province that is debt free.

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