RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE REOPENING OF THE GLENBROOK COMMUNITY CENTER AT 35 CRESCENT STREET

WHEREAS The City of Stamford owns the parcel at 35 Crescent Street also known as The Glenbrook Community Center; and

WHEREAS The Glenbrook Community Center has been serving the people of Stamford since 1969; and

WHEREAS The City closed The Glenbrook Community Center in March of 2020 due to the pandemic and has not reopened it; and

WHEREAS there is an established need in the City for Community Centers, and Daycare; and

WHEREAS the Glenbrook Community Center, provided Stamford with necessary services such as children's after school activities, adult activities, daycare, preschool education, summer camp, addiction services, classroom and community meeting spaces; and

WHEREAS the Stamford Board of Representatives have received over 100 personalized emails from residents expressing their desire for the Community Center to be reopened; and

WHEREAS over eleven hundred Stamford residents, most of who live in or near the Glenbrook community, signed a petition expressing their desire for the Community Center to be reopened.

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, BY THE 31st BOARD OF REPRESENTATIVES that the administration work with the Board of Representatives and the public to reopen The Glenbrook Community Center, at 35 Crescent Street, as a community center by investigating all possible avenues to achieve this goal with deliberate speed.