30TH BOARD OF REPRESENTATIVES CITY OF STAMFORD

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RESOLUTION NO. 3879 CREATING A SPECIAL COMMITTEE TO ADVANCE COMMUNICATIONS BETWEEN THE BOARD OF REPRESENTATIVES OR CITY GOVERNMENT AND RESIDENTS

WHEREAS, in order to effectively execute its responsibilities, the Board of Representatives must successfully communicate with the residents of the City of Stamford, both to educate constituents about current and pending law changes as well as to receive input on the issues affecting residents' lives; and

WHEREAS, it is in the best interests of the City that communication systems and processes be enhanced and developed that will strengthen the dialogue between the Board of Representatives or city government and city residents while promoting additional investments in government transparency.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED by the 30th Board of Representatives of the City of Stamford that the President of the Board of Representatives of the City of Stamford appoint a special committee to recommend the enhancement and development of systems and processes that will improve how the Board of Representatives and city government communicate with the residents of Stamford, CT; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the committee consist of not less than five (5) members; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that such special committee shall meet on a monthly basis at the discretion of the chair of the committee; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that such special committee shall report back to the Board of Representatives with recommendations for investments and improvements that will advance communications between the Board of Representatives or City government and the residents of Stamford, CT. The recommendations may include but are not limited to the following:

- 1. Proposed Legislation
- 2. Initiatives and/or investments within the Board of Representatives' office, its members, and/or Leadership
- 3. Initiatives and/or investments by city departments

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BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the report of such special committee shall be placed after the reports of the Standing Committees on the agenda of the monthly Board of Representatives meeting.

This resolution will take effect upon enactment.

This resolution was approved by a Machine Vote of 29-9-3 at the regular monthly meeting of the 30th Board of Representatives held on Monday, March 5, 2018.

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