

**SENSE OF THE BOARD RESOLUTION
CONGRATULATING AND THANKING SCHOKE JEWISH FAMILY SERVICES
OF FAIRFIELD COUNTY FOR ASSISTING STAMFORD RESIDENTS
FOR FORTY-FIVE YEARS**

WHEREAS, Schoke Jewish Family Services of Fairfield County has been helping Stamford residents for forty-five years; and

WHEREAS, Schoke Jewish Family Services of Fairfield County is a professional, non-sectarian, non-profit organization dedicated to helping people better manage their personal lives, improve the quality of family living, and enhance the social organization of the community, and provides social services to the Jewish and general community; and

WHEREAS, Schoke Jewish Family Services of Fairfield County is a member of, and collaborates with, the Council of Churches and Synagogues, United Way of Western Connecticut, Stamford Coalition of Basic Human Rights, the Council of Agency Executives Network of Jewish Human Services Agencies, and the Southwest Area Agency on Aging; and

WHEREAS, Schoke Jewish Family Services of Fairfield County is licensed by the State of Connecticut as an outpatient mental health clinic and is accredited by the Council on Accreditation, the largest mental health accrediting organization in North America; and

WHEREAS, Schoke Jewish Family Services of Fairfield County serves over 5,000 clients annually, and operates the Kosher Food Pantry which serves residents of Stamford and the surrounding communities regardless of religion, race, ethnicity and gender.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the 30th Board of Representatives expresses its deep gratitude and congratulates Schoke Jewish Family Services of Fairfield County for the assistance it has provided to Stamford residents for forty-five years.

*Approved by the 30th Board of Representatives
This 6th day of May, 2019*

Matthew Quinones, President

Susan Nabel, Clerk