

**SENSE OF THE BOARD RESOLUTION  
CONGRATULATING TIMOTHY J. CURTIN, JR. ON BEING  
SELECTED STAMFORD'S CITIZEN OF THE YEAR 2013**

**WHEREAS**, the Jewish War Veterans Post 142 sponsors and runs the City of Stamford's Annual Citizen of the Year Program and has selected Timothy J. Curtin, Jr. as Stamford's Citizen of the Year for 2013, as "[a] person who ... has demonstrated a belief in interfaith harmony, possesses the highest standards of responsibility in civic life, has helped in the promotion of projects for the public welfare and who has personally worked with distinction to benefit Stamford on a communitywide basis;" and

**WHEREAS**, Timothy J. Curtin, Jr. moved to Stamford with his wife and family in the 1960s while he was working in the legal department of CIBA-Geigy and dedicated himself to making Stamford a better place to live from that point forward; and

**WHEREAS**, beginning in the 1970s, Timothy J. Curtin, Jr. took on a series of unsalaried positions in City government, including serving as a member of the Stamford Planning Board; as Chairman of the Stamford Fire Commission; as a member of Mayor Dannel P. Malloy's transition team and then as an unsalaried Special Assistant in the Mayor's Cabinet, in which role he was in the forefront of several important municipal projects, including the reconstruction of the Palace Theater and the Mill River initiative; and

**WHEREAS**, Timothy J. Curtin, Jr. then took on paid positions in the City government; from April 1998 through July 1999, he was Interim Director of Economic Development and from December, 1999 until December, 2007, he was the Director of Operations and was instrumental in saving Old Town Hall, building four new parks in the City and promoting public art throughout Stamford; in 2006 he was appointed by the Mayor to Chair the Old Town Hall Redevelopment Agency and continues to serve in that position; and in December, 2007, he left the Office of Operations and returned to the position of unsalaried Assistant to the Mayor; and.

**WHEREAS**, Timothy J. Curtin, Jr. was also president of the Board of the Stamford Cultural Development Corp. and served on the Leadership Council of Success by 6, an initiative of the United Way that focused on early childhood development, and is a former member of the Board of the Stamford Partnership.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED**, that the 29th Stamford Board of Representatives congratulates Timothy J. Curtin, Jr. for being selected Stamford Citizen of the Year 2013.

**AND BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED**, that the Board of Representatives sincerely thanks Timothy J. Curtin, Jr. for his many years of dedication, service and contributions to the City of Stamford.

*Approved by the 29<sup>th</sup> Board of Representatives  
This 7<sup>th</sup> day of April, 2014*

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Randall M. Skigen, President

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Annie M. Summerville, Clerk