## SENSE OF THE BOARD RESOLUTION CONGRATULATING LAURIE ALBANO ON RECEIVING THE 2015 DISTINGUISHED SERVICE AWARD FROM THE CONNECTICUT RECREATION AND PARKS ASSOCIATION, INC

**WHEREAS,** on November 24, 2015, at its annual awards luncheon, the Connecticut Recreation and Parks Association, Inc. (the "CRPA"); will award the 2015 Distinguished Service Award to Laurie Albano; and

**WHEREAS**, the Distinguished Service Award is the most prestigious award that the CRPA offers; to receive the Distinguished Service Award, an individual must have made outstanding contributions, over a significant number of years, to the recreation, and/or parks field; and

**WHEREAS**, Laurie Albano started with City as Recreation Services Coordinator in 1997, and became Superintendent of Recreation in 1998, a position she has held since, except for a brief stint as Interim Bureau Chief of Administrative Services from 2011 through 2013; and

WHEREAS, upon learning that Laurie Albano was to receive this award, Mayor Martin noted that "She has done tremendous work for the City of Stamford and has enhanced the lives of the young people who attend all of the recreation department's activities. It is great to see that she is getting the recognition she deserves, most importantly, from her peers;" and

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** that the 29<sup>th</sup> Board of Representatives extends its sincere thanks and appreciation to Laurie Albano for her many years of service to the City of Stamford and congratulates her on her receipt of the 2015 Distinguished Service Award.

Approved by the 29<sup>th</sup> Board of Representatives this 4<sup>th</sup> day of November, 2015

Randall M. Skigen, President	Annie M. Summerville, Clerk