

**SENSE OF THE BOARD RESOLUTION
CONGRATULATING
THE JEWISH HISTORICAL SOCIETY OF FAIRFIELD COUNTY
ON ITS THIRTIETH ANNIVERSARY**

WHEREAS, on June 7, 2015, the Jewish Historical Society of Fairfield County (“JHSFC”) will be holding a celebration marking its 30th Anniversary; and

WHEREAS, The Jewish Historical Society of Fairfield County was incorporated on March 13, 1984 as the Stamford Jewish Historical Society (JHS), and

WHEREAS, the Jewish Historical Society has undergone many changes in the last thirty years, changing its name in 1996 to The Jewish Historical Society of Greater Stamford; merging with the Norwalk Jewish Historical Society in 2003 and changing its name again to The Jewish Historical Society of Lower Fairfield County to reflect its growth in serving the larger community, and then becoming The Jewish Historical Society of Fairfield County in 2011 to reflect its inclusion of the Bridgeport Jewish Historical Society and establishing JHSFC as one of the largest secular Jewish organizations in Fairfield County; and

WHEREAS, JHSFC maintains the only Jewish archives in Fairfield County, with reference materials about Jewish individuals, families and, businesses and organizations, large photography collection, a free lending library of Jewish books including an extensive Holocaust collection and offers free programs and book talks most months.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the 29th Board of Representatives congratulates the Jewish Historical Society of Fairfield County on reaching the milestone of its 30th Anniversary.

*Approved by the 29th Board of Representatives
this 6th day of May, 2015*

Randall M. Skigen, President

Annie M. Summerville, Clerk