

**SENSE OF THE BOARD RESOLUTION
CONGRATULATING MICHAEL LIONETTI
ON OWNING AND OPERATING
MICHAEL'S PIZZERIA RESTAURANT
IN STAMFORD FOR 40 YEARS**

WHEREAS, Michael's Pizzeria Restaurant has been in business for 40 years in Stamford, CT; and

WHEREAS, Michael Lionetti came to the United States from Italy at the age of 18 in 1969; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Lionetti started working in his grandfather's pizzeria in the Bronx, New York as a young man; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Lionetti has been married to Grace Lionetti for 49 years; they have 5 children and 14 grandchildren; and

WHEREAS, Michael's Pizzeria Restaurant was started by Michael Lionetti in 1977; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Lionetti's children have worked alongside him, learning how to run the family business and a daughter has branched out to open another family restaurant on the Westside of Stamford; and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the 29th Board of Representatives of the City of Stamford congratulates Michael Lionetti on owning and operating Michael's Pizzeria, a true family pizzeria, for 40 years in Stamford, CT.

*Approved by the 29th Board of Representatives
This 10th day of July, 2017*

Randall M. Skigen, President

Annie M. Summerville, Clerk