

**SENSE OF THE BOARD RESOLUTION CONGRATULATING  
REPRESENTATIVE JOHN ZELINSKY ON FORTY CONSECUTIVE YEARS OF  
SERVICE ON THE STAMFORD BOARD OF REPRESENTATIVES**

**WHEREAS**, Representative John Zelinsky has served on the Board of Representatives as a representative of the 11<sup>th</sup> District since April 4, 1977, and has served on numerous committees during his tenure on the Board, including as current Vice-Chair of the Operations Committee and a member of the Legislative & Rules and; Public Safety & Health Committees; and the Cost Savings and Revenue Enhancement and Performance Metrics Special Committees and a former member of the Transportation and Steering Committees; and has introduced and sponsored numerous ordinances and resolutions; and

**WHEREAS**, Representative John Zelinsky has been an active member of many community organizations, including the Holy Name Athletic Club, where he is a Board member; the Polish American Cultural Society, the 11<sup>th</sup> District Neighborhood Association, the Stamford Jaycees and the Stamford Lions Club and has routinely volunteered his time to numerous activities throughout the City; and

**WHEREAS**, Representative John Zelinsky has also served on the Stamford Human Rights Commission, including as chair; and a member of the Connecticut Public Transportation Commission; and

**WHEREAS**, Representative John Zelinsky has received several awards, including being named "Citizen of the Year" by the Holy Name Athletic Club and "Outstanding Young Man of the Year" by the Stamford Jaycees and receiving the Navy League of the United States "Certificate of Appreciation" for outstanding service and support of local Sea Cadets and the Navy League.

**NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED**, that the 29<sup>th</sup> Board of Representatives of the City of Stamford congratulates Representative John Zelinsky on his forty consecutive years of service on the Stamford Board of Representatives.

*Approved by the 29<sup>th</sup> Board of Representatives  
this 3<sup>rd</sup> day of April, 2017*

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Randall M. Skigen, President

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Annie M. Summerville, Clerk