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Re-elect Hillary Goldberg, an Advocate for the Jewish People, To Teaneck Town Council

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As a 22-year resident of Teaneck and mother of 4, I care deeply about the leadership, stability and future of our township. Like numerous families across our town, my grandparents survived the Holocaust, passing down a sacred obligation to fight antisemitism and never remain silent in the face of hatred. It is with this deeply personal value and long-term investment in our community that I write to express my enthusiastic support for the re-election of Councilwoman Hillary Goldberg to the Teaneck Town Council.

Her **leadership** during a time of global and local crisis has completely **earned** my **deepest respect.** While **Hillary and I have had our share of differences** on issues in the past, **her actions since the tragic events of October 7, 2023, have been nothing short of exemplary**.

At a time when antisemitism surged and our local community felt under siege, Councilwoman Goldberg refused to remain silent.

She stepped forward as a **fierce, clear-eyed champion for the Jewish people** and our beloved Israel. **Hillary directly authored Teaneck's resolution to condemn Hamas terrorism and stand firmly with Israel.** In the face of **intense pressure, boycotts and personal threat**s, she has **stood on the front lines** to **defend** the **safety**, **dignity** and **visibility of Teaneck's Jewish residents.**

True leadership is measured when the stakes are highest. Hillary Goldberg has proven she has the moral courage to fight for our community when it matters most.

She has fully earned and completely deserves the unified support of Teaneck's Jewish community at the ballot box this November.

Please join me in voting to keep a dedicated, independent advocate on our town council. - Rachel Secesmski