

A RESOLUTION OF APPRECIATION TO RABBI ROBERT DOBRUSIN FOR
TWENTY-FIVE YEARS OF PASTORAL SUPPORT FOR BETH ISRAEL
CONGREGATION

WASHTENAW COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS

APRIL 17, 2013

WHEREAS, Washtenaw County recognizes Rabbi Dobrusin for twenty-five years of providing spiritual and pastoral support for Beth Israel Congregation, Ann Arbor's oldest Jewish Institution; and

WHEREAS, Rabbi Dobrusin has served as a teacher in various positions, including from the pulpit, in the synagogue religious school and at the Hebrew Day School, during his twenty-five years with Beth Israel Congregation; and

WHEREAS, Rabbi Dobrusin is a continued supporter, as well as a founding member of the Interfaith Round Table of Washtenaw County; and

WHEREAS, Rabbi Dobrusin's commitment to the Interfaith Council for Peace and Justice is demonstrated through his participation in Washtenaw County events and forums to promote peace amongst diverse religious and non-religious groups; and

WHEREAS, Rabbi Dobrusin is involved in human rights efforts, including his current position as national co-chair with T'Ruah: The Rabbinic Call for Human Rights; and

WHEREAS, Rabbi Dobrusin's numerous essays and sermons have appeared in anthologies and journals since his time as Rabbi began at Beth Israel Congregation in 1988.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the Washtenaw County Board of Commissioners thanks Rabbi Robert Dobrusin for his twenty-five years of service to Washtenaw County and wishes him continued success in his work with Beth Israel Congregation and as a dedicated community citizen.

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