

Teri Fields, President BQLI Region Women's League for Conservative Judaism 2024-2026

Dear Woman of Achievement Honorees, L'Dor V'Dor Awards Recipients and Gala Guests,

Have a wonderful evening tonight!

As the incoming Women's League for Conservative Judaism BQLI Region President, I stand in awe of the women who have come before me and those who are being honored tonight. I have much to learn and am so fortunate to welcome the amazing women who will work with me on the 2024-2026 Region Board of Directors. Together we strengthen our ties to Judaism, our love for Israel and our own Brooklyn, Queens, and Long Island (Nassau and Suffolk Counties) synagogue communities, all while being part of the International Women's League for Conservative Judaism.

Enjoy tonight's program focusing on our exemplary honorees. Their many accomplishments, knowledge, and time have helped to create strong Sisterhood Affiliates that further the mission of WLCJ to engage, enrich and empower Jewish women. Our upcoming 2024-2025 Torah Fund theme of *Am Yisrael Chai* - The People of Israel Live is evident in each of them.

Much gratitude to the Woman of Achievement Co-Chairs, Journal Chairs and Committee. Your attention to detail and focus shining on each individual's accomplishments is outstanding.

I have much to look forward to over the next two years. I know I will be enriched by knowing each of you. Please introduce yourself to me and invite me to your Sisterhood Affiliate events.

B'Shalom, Teri