

In 1975, the Westchester Jewish Conference (now the Council) was created to coordinate and convene the community in response to the Yom Kippur war.... In 2023, the Council is being put to the test like never before, as we work with our 132 member organizations to galvanize Westchester's support for Israel. And the response has been overwhelmingly positive.

Our Gala may feel different this year, but will be no less critical. As our only fundraising event of the year, the Gala support raises over 65% of our annual budget in just one evening and the proceeds fund our year-round work.

We hope you will join us and pay tribute to our dedicated honorees—Michele, Jeremy, and Harold and Sarene,— whose volunteerism (read their bios) supports our mission of coordinating the Westchester Jewish community, connecting with our elected officials and non-Jewish neighbors and most importantly this year, galvanizing the community's unwavering support for Israel.

We do not know what the situation will be like on January 27, but we do know that we will want to gather as a sacred community to honor friends, support each other and our work, and stand united with Israel.

We hope you will join us. Am Yisrael Chai!

The Leadership of the Westchester Jewish Council

