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Dear Carol and Rhonda,

I would like to take the opportunity of the 100<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the Women's League for Conservative Judaism to congratulate you on the tremendous progress and undeniable impact that the Women's League has made in helping to overcome the obstacles that limit egalitarianism in the Jewish world. Your work in this realm helps support the participation of young women in the Conservative Movement, and provides a platform from which adult women are able to serve as role models for the next generation.

Throughout the many years of your crucial work, we have witnessed a change in the role of women in the Conservative Movement both in Israel and overseas. As leaders in the field of feminism and equality, the Women's League is an important partner in our struggle to ensure a more pluralistic and egalitarian Israeli society. Furthermore, more and more women are active in the Movement and their role is often the key to the broader involvement of their families and other community members.

We are very pleased that we are able to support the annual Masorti Women's Study Day that provides Masorti women with the opportunity to study various aspects of Jewish culture, law, history and religion connected to the changing role of women in the Jewish world.

Thank you for all of the important work that you have already accomplished, that you are currently doing, and that you will achieve in the future.

Mazal Tov!

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