

**Reconstructionist Rabbinical Association
RESOLUTION**

**SUPPORTING THE LEADERSHIP OF THE RECONSTRUCTIONIST RABBINICAL
COLLEGE**

1992

We, the members of the RRA assembled for our 1992 convention, wish to convey our recognition and appreciation to the Board of Governors of the Reconstructionist Rabbinical College for your continued leadership and support of the College.

We also want to commend our many colleagues, specifically Rabbis Arthur Green, David Teutsch, Jacob Staub, Linda Holtzman, Nancy Fuchs-Kreimer and Reena Spicehandler for their outstanding devotion to the RRC, its students, and to its academic and intellectual integrity.

We are concerned that the precarious state of the current financial climate and of the College's finances continues to necessitate faculty reductions, curriculum adjustments, and a limiting of opportunities for the development and expansion of new and necessary programs.

We recognize our responsibility as Reconstructionist rabbis to support the RRC, and we recommit to increasing our efforts at our own RRA Joint Campaign.

We believe it important for the Board of Governors of the College to know how strongly we back the efforts of its professional leadership, and how important it is to us, both RRC alumni and those who have joined the RRA independently, that the academic strength of the college curriculum not be diminished.

The maintenance, support, and development of the RRC is a mutual commitment by all partners in the Reconstructionist movement. We recognize that the Board faces difficult times and even difficult decisions.

We offer this letter as the sense of our convention not in order to place additional demands on the lay and professional leadership of the College, but for two reasons which we intend in a positive way: to applaud and support the efforts of our colleagues, and to communicate our concern and commitment to work with you so that we may all accomplish as much as we can during the trying and difficult times that lie in the immediate future.

We are, most of us, rabbis because the RRC enabled us to be rabbis; we look forward to welcoming new colleagues from a vibrant and vital college for many years to come.