

Donna Conkling

From: Mayor
Sent: Wednesday, March 24, 2021 6:54 PM
To: Leah Dembitzer
Cc: Trustee Arest; Trustee Lewis; Trustee Waldman; Trustee Ross; Trustee Crandall; Trustee Whitestone; Donna Conkling
Subject: Re: League Board Statement against AAPI racism and Tributes to outgoing Village Board members

Hi Leah,

Thank you for your comments and kind words last night.

Also, thank you for all your diligent and meaningful work as President of LWVS. As your term is winding down, please know that the Village Board greatly appreciates all that you have done to encourage thoughtful engagement in the Village and beyond.

The League's work is important to the responsible functioning of our Village government. Knowing that the League is always diligently keeping a watchful eye on Village matters helps to keep the Village Board on its toes.

Thank you for your service to the community!

I look forward to seeing you around the Village as we share the enjoyment of our respective retirements.

Best regards,

Marc

On Mar 24, 2021, at 9:25 AM, Leah Dembitzer <lwvsresident@gmail.com> wrote:

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Hello Mayor Samwick, Trustees of the Village Board and Village Clerk Conkling,

I hope that this email finds you well -- that was a long meeting last night! Great public engagement!

I wanted to share with you the statement I read on behalf of the League Board in support of the AAPI community. I've included the link to the statement below:
https://docs.google.com/document/d/1XeaYuAVQrBKZpLH1Ku_hx8PA05t1u1ruV_jV3c47ETs/edit?usp=sharing

Here are my remarks in tribute to the Mayor, Trustee Ross and Trustee Waldman -- deep thanks for your service to Scarsdale:

The League Board would like to extend thanks to Mayor Marc Samwick, Trustee Seth Ross and Trustee Rochelle Waldman, for their years of dedicated work on the Village Board.

To the Mayor -- you have navigated the village through an extraordinarily challenging and difficult time. Thank you for your thoughtful leadership and your community updates.

To Trustee Ross, you have served on the Village Board for two terms, showing a dedication to hard, intensive work and village service. The League appreciates all of the time and energy that you dedicated to the Village over these years.

To Trustee Waldman, you have served on the Village Board for one term, a term marked by the difficult challenges of the covid pandemic. The League is grateful for all of your work as trustee in service of our village and community.

Mayor Samwick, Trustee Ross and Trustee Waldman,, the League Board deeply appreciates all of your dedicated work to preserve and enhance the Village of Scarsdale and we wish you all the best in your future endeavors.

Best,
Leah Dembitzer