

PROPOSAL BY THE PARISH COUNCIL

Whereas, St. Leon's Armenian Church has been in existence for over 50 years, serving the Armenian Community first in Paterson, New Jersey and since 1965 in Fair Lawn, New Jersey and

Whereas, over the span of its life, the Parish of St. Leon's has been blessed with dedicated and hard working parishioners who have, over the years, given of their means in various forms and served the parish with unselfish dedication and

Whereas, it is a Christian act of thanksgiving to express appreciation and public recognition to individuals who serve God and his people through the church, therefore

Be it resolved that St. Leon's Armenian Church hereby establishes THE ST. LEON'S OUTSTANDING SERVICE AWARD, to be given to an individual or group of individuals, either living or posthumously. The award shall be given by the Parish Council in the name of the entire Parish Community. The Parish Council shall take into consideration years of service, the capacity in which the service was rendered and the nature and scope of service. The frequency of giving the award shall be determined based on the availability of qualified individuals in any given period of time. Recommendations maybe made for candidates for the award to the Parish Council in written form, by individual parishioners or church organizations.

Presented to the Parish Assembly
of St. Leon's Armenian Church
February 19, 1989