

City of Boston
IN
CITY COUNCIL



**OFFICIAL RESOLUTION
OFFERED BY CITY COUNCIL PRESIDENT ED FLYNN**

WHEREAS: The American Public Affairs Committee (AIPAC) is working to strengthen the U.S.-Israel relationship, *and*

WHEREAS: We thank you for your dedication to educating political leaders on the importance of America's strategic alliance with Israel; *and*

WHEREAS: On October 7, 2023, Hamas terrorists launched a massive, unprovoked war on Israel by air, land, and sea. 1,400 Israelis were brutally massacred, and over 240 men, women, children and elderly were taken hostage; *and*

WHEREAS: I stand with Israel as it defends its citizens from Iranian-backed terrorist attacks on multiple fronts; *and*

WHEREAS: I reaffirm Israel's right to self-defense, condemn Hamas' brutal war against Israel, call on all democratic leaders to unequivocally condemn Hamas, and call on Hamas to immediately cease these violent attacks and safely release all hostages; *and now therefore be it*

RESOLVED: I stand in solidarity with our longtime friend Israel and against antisemitism in the world.

By: Edward M. Flynn
President of the City Council

Attest: _____
Clerk of the City of Boston

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Date: November 2, 2023,