

# 32<sup>nd</sup> Annual New Jersey Women of the ELCA Convention

Saturday, September 21, 2019

Holy Trinity Lutheran Church  
508 Green Pond Road  
Rockaway, NJ 07866

**“Love is patient, love is kind. Love is not jealous or boastful”**

1 Corinthians 13:4

## RESOLUTIONS FORM FOR THE 2019 CONVENTION

TO: Committee on Reference and Counsel

Please consider the following resolution at the 2019 NJ Women of the ELCA Convention.

WHEREAS:

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED:

Submitted by:

Name of Voting Member: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone:(\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ Congregation: \_\_\_\_\_

Church Address: \_\_\_\_\_

**To be included in the BOR, all resolutions must submitted by Sept 16, 2019**

Please contact us with any questions at [njwelca@yahoo.com](mailto:njwelca@yahoo.com). Please mail completed forms to: **Charlene Rollins, 244 Brook Avenue, North Plainfield, NJ 07060** or [njwelca@yahoo.com](mailto:njwelca@yahoo.com)  
Resolutions can also be presented at the Convention business meeting. They are due the morning of the Convention, Saturday, September 21, 2019.

*(see other side for Resolution guidelines/helpful hints)*

## **Resolution Instruction Guide**

*Here are some helpful hints to use as a guide when writing your resolution....*

### **1. Formatting your Resolution**

- Begin each statement or paragraph describing or explaining the purpose of the resolution with the word "WHEREAS..."
- Begin the recommended action statement(s) or paragraph(s) with the words "THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, THAT..." (and if needed, "AND BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED THAT...")

Format Example:

WHEREAS, \_\_\_\_\_; AND

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THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED THAT \_\_\_\_\_.

### **2. Implications of Resolution if Adopted**

Answer briefly, the following questions:

- What is the financial impact of this resolution on the New Jersey Women of the ELCA budget? If expenditures are required, what are the sources of income anticipated to accomplish the purpose of the resolution?
- How does this resolution enhance or forward the mission of the New Jersey Women of the ELCA?