

**SENSE OF THE BOARD RESOLUTION CONGRATULATING
GERALD AND GINNY FOX ON BEING NAMED THE GRAND
MARSHALS OF THE ST. PATRICK'S DAY PARADE**

WHEREAS, Gerald Fox, Jr. and Ginny Fox have been named the grand marshals of the St. Patrick's Day parade scheduled for noon Saturday, March 14, 2009; and

WHEREAS, Gerald Fox, Jr. is a judge in the Stamford Probate Court and Ginny Fox is the outreach coordinator for U.S. Rep. Jim Himes; and

WHEREAS, the Foxes are both of Irish descent, Gerald Fox's grandfather having immigrated to Hartford from Ireland in 1907 and Ginny Fox's Irish ancestors having arrived in New York City around the time of the potato famine in the 1840s; and

WHEREAS, the Foxes settled in Stamford in 1970; and

WHEREAS, the parade's organizer, the Ancient Order of Hibernians' Stamford division, selected Gerald and Ginny Fox as grand marshals for this year's St. Patrick's Day parade, because of their service to neighbors and the community.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED by the 27th Board of Representatives that it congratulates Gerald and Ginny Fox on being named the Grand Marshals of the 2009 Stamford St. Patrick's Day parade.

*Submitted by: David R. Martin, President (D-19)
Approved this 2nd day of March, 2009*

David R. Martin, President

Annie M. Summerville, Clerk