

**SENSE OF THE BOARD RESOLUTION
CONGRATULATING
FIRST COUNTY BANK ON ITS
160TH ANNIVERSARY**

WHEREAS, First County Bank is celebrating its 160th anniversary in business;
and

WHEREAS, First County Bank was founded on September 20, 1851 as the Stamford Savings Bank, opened its doors for business on Main Street as a mutual savings bank in business to safeguard and invest the money of Stamford's residents as well as make loans for the construction and purchase of homes; and

WHEREAS, Stamford Savings Bank was renamed First County Bank in 1989;
and

WHEREAS, First County Bank Foundation, Inc., established in 2001, distributes grants on a yearly basis to benefit local non-profit organizations; and

WHEREAS, First County Bank Foundation, Inc., since its inception, has provided grants in excess of \$4 million to deserving non-profits in Fairfield County; and

WHEREAS, First County Bank is locally managed, has more than 200 employees, fifteen branches in Stamford, eight branches in Norwalk, three in Greenwich, one in Darien, one each in New Canaan and Westport and assets in excess of \$1.3 million.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the 28th Stamford Board of Representatives congratulates First County Bank on its 160th Anniversary.

*Approved by the 28th Board of Representatives
This 6th day of June, 2011*

Randall M. Skigen, President

Annie M. Summerville, Clerk