

Network of Religious Communities Board of Governors Supports the resettlement of Syrian Refugees in USA

As members of the Board of Governors of the Network of Religious Communities, representing denominations, religious organizations, and houses of worship throughout Western New York, we voice our support for the acceptance and resettlement of Syrian refugees in Western New York. Despite calls to block President Obama's order to resettle thousands of Syrian refugees in the coming year due to concerns over the terrorist attacks in Paris, we urge our government to remain steadfast in bringing these refugees to the United States using security measures to safeguard US citizens. In this time of crisis, it is important that we stand together with those wandering stateless, and see it as our duty to do our part in helping them find a home.

Unanimously approved by the Network of Religious Communities Board of Governors meeting the evening of November 19, 2015 at Congregation Shir Shalom