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## ACHIEVEMENTS IN LEGACY

These legacy commitments (LOIs) have come in the form of cash gifts today, bequests, retirement plan assets, life insurance policies and other planned giving vehicles.





13 Cohort partners: 627 LOIs 15 Audit partners & 17 write-in orgs: 192 LOIs

\$32,440,000+ ESTIMATED VALUE OF FUTURE LEGACY GIFTS TO THE TWIN CITIES JEWISH COMMUNITY

Some endowment gifts were previously funded. \$11,081,240 is already invested in the future of our Jewish Community at endowments with our Agency Partners.



## ON LEAVING A LEGACY

As part of the IT'S YOUR LEGACY celebration, we asked donors about their desire to leave a legacy gift to the local Jewish community and how It's Your Legacy helped shape that process. Here's what they said:

- "Leaving a legacy, making the announcement, making the commitment, was very valuable to us. It provided clarity in our lives."
- Sheri & Steve Lear
- "We always planned to leave money to the things we care most about. It's Your Legacy formalized that."
- Karen & Russ Rubin

"We only hope that we can help provide the means for each generation to reinvent the community in a way that suits them."

- LeeAnn & Joe Rubenstein
- "Legacy—for us—is about making sure the institutions and organizations that provide for the community will continue to be here."
- Rosalyn & Yoav
  Segal

## LEGACY IMPACT

As part of the celebration, we asked our partners to share the impact **IT'S YOUR LEGACY** has had on their organizations:

- "Our legacy donors have strengthened our ability to communicate the importance and relevance of our mission, especially during these challenging times for social justice organizations. The training, in addition to helping us connect with our donors, has strengthened our relationships with our community partners and has contributed to building a stronger and more united Jewish community in Minnesota."
- Beth Gendler
  Executive Director

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- "The program has created a community of Legacy supporters of the JCRC where none existed before. This helps remind us that while much of our JCRC work is urgent in nature we are also building the future. We are so proud to be a part of this program because it has helped us have our Legacy conversations from a universal perspective about our large, diverse and wonderful Jewish community. Hazak, Hazak."
- Holly Brod Farber Co-Director JCRC Speakers Bureau



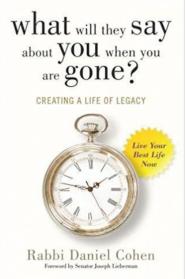
### MENTOR, GUIDE, AND MOTIVATOR

Rabbi Cohen shares his unique blend of wisdom and spiritual insight.

In a world in flux, Rabbi Cohen's engaging and captivating style draws on timeless stories and strategies enabling you to maximize every moment while leading a life of impact and legacy.

His personal experience as a Rabbi, sharing hundreds of life-affirming moments from birth to death, combined with his humor and humanity, provide him with a compelling narrative and navigational guide for your life.

Rabbi Cohen is the author of *What Will They Say About You When You Are Gone?* Creating a Life of Legacy. He is co-host of the nationally syndicated radio show, The Rabbi and the Reverend, with Reverend Greg Doll, writes for the Huffington Post Blog, and is a Bottom Line Inc. Expert. He serves as Senior Rabbi of Congregation Agudath Sholom, the largest modern orthodox synagogue in New England.





The **vibrancy** of Jewish life around the world is a testament to those who came before us. Every noisy chorus of Purim groggers, every senior cared for, and every basketball game at the Jewish community center delivers a message passed on for thousands of years: **"Let's build community that lasts."** 

## A special thank you to Tamra L. Dollin for your guidance and support!

Tamra Dollin is a Legacy Community Consultant for the Harold Grinspoon Foundation's LIFE & LEGACY initiative, providing training and support to communities across North America to secure meaningful after-lifetime gifts and integrate legacy giving into the philanthropic culture of organizations. Working in the Jewish non-profit community for over 25 years, Tammy most recently directed the establishment of summer camp Ramah in the Rockies, where she led the effort to create the camp's organizational, financial, and physical infrastructure.



She is a certified professional Co-Active coach. Tammy holds Masters Degrees from Columbia University (MSW) and the Jewish Theological Seminary, and an undergraduate degree from UC Berkeley. Tammy is an alumna of the Wexner Graduate Fellowship.

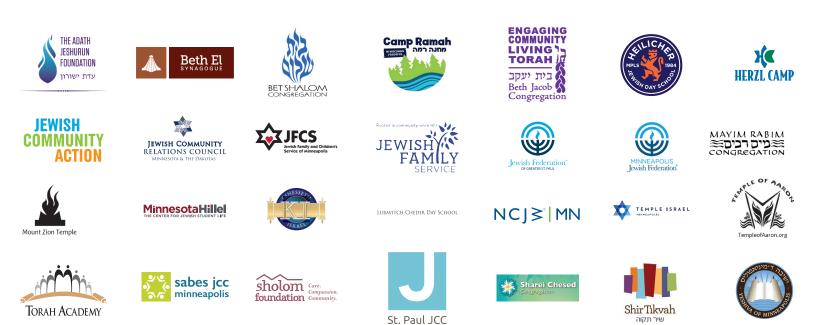




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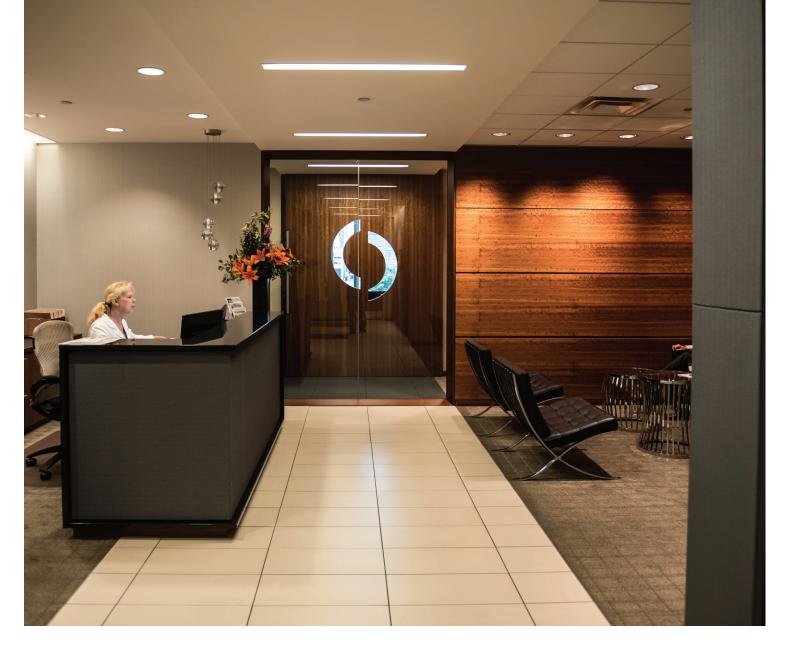
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