

Town of Upper Marlboro  
Board of Town Commissioners

# Proclamation

## In Recognition of Jewish American Heritage Month

**WHEREAS**, during May 2023, hundreds of organizations and Americans of all backgrounds are joining together to discover, explore, and celebrate the vibrant and varied American Jewish experience from the dawn of our nation to the present day; **and**

**WHEREAS**, today, 7.6 million Jewish Americans makes up roughly 2.4% of the U.S. population', with researchers estimating that Jews of color represent at least 12-15% of American Jews; **and**

**WHEREAS**, the month of May is nationally recognized as Jewish American Heritage Month; **and**

**WHEREAS**, the Town of Upper Marlboro recognizes the contributions that Jewish Americans have made and continue to make to the United States of America, and to The Town of Upper Marlboro; **and**

**BE IT RESOLVED** that The Town of Upper Marlboro Board of Town Commissioners hereby recognizes the meaningful and significant contributions made by Jewish Americans;



Sarah Franklin

President / Mayor

Town of Upper Marlboro

