



**LETTER OF RECOGNITION
PRESENTED TO
Natick Soccer Club**

Charles M. Hughes, Chair
Carol A. Gloff, Vice-Chair
Paul R. Joseph, Clerk
Joshua Ostroff
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WHEREAS *The Natick Soccer Club provides the youth of Natick with opportunities to develop sportsmanship, learn about soccer and team play, and create a foundation for a lifelong enjoyment of athletics; and,*

WHEREAS *The Natick Soccer Club hosted the 30th annual Natick Columbus Day Tournament in October 2011; and*


WHEREAS *The Natick Columbus Day Tournament has grown from a primarily local event to a major, New England youth athletic contest, featuring 300 teams, 25 from out of state, and attracts an estimated 12,000 participants and spectators to the Town of Natick's soccer fields and local businesses over the Columbus Day holiday weekend; and*

WHEREAS *Natick's residents, visitors, and merchants derive significant social and economic benefits from the Natick Soccer Club and its Columbus Day Tournament,*

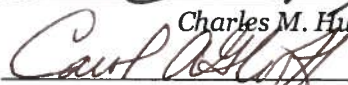
NOW, THEREFORE, WE THE NATICK BOARD OF SELECTMEN do hereby congratulate and commend the Natick Soccer Club, its leaders, coaches, volunteers, and hundreds of players and their families for this outstanding achievement and contribution to our quality of life in the Town of Natick.




NATICK BOARD OF SELECTMEN



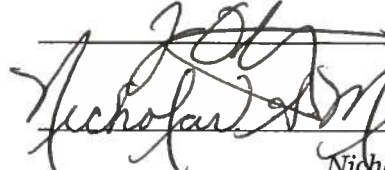
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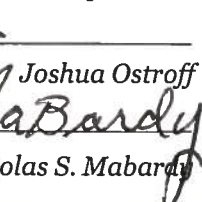
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