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Dear Friends and Members of CSFA,

I hope you and your families are well and enjoying the summer as New York City reopens and we feel our lives returning to something like normal. The synagogue has also reopened. We had a fabulous Gala that many members attended and enjoyed. We have also been having in-person Shabbat services which have been vibrant and well-attended. Thank you to all our members who have worked hard to participate in the services and to those who have come. A special thanks to Rabbi Gaffney for being part of our services all year. We are planning to have High Holiday services once again at the Center for Jewish History if the pandemic remains in remission.

We are on the cusp of a new and exciting phrase in the history of our shul. On August 1, 2021, Rabbi Rosenberg will arrive and assume our pulpit. We are very much looking forward to Rabbi Rosenberg leading our congregation and hope that everyone will have a chance to meet and get to know the new rabbi. In addition, we are planning on starting a small Hebrew School this October which we will attract younger families to our shul. This is a wonderful opportunity for our community to grow. Our future is bright.

I am writing to you today to ask you to renew your membership and pay your dues as soon as possible. Dues are a major component of our budget. Your membership in the shul is vital and demonstrates your commitment to our synagogue and to maintaining a strong Jewish community. As I have said many times over this last year and a half, the pandemic only served to reinforce the importance of being part of a supportive and active Jewish community which is there for its members in times of joy and in times of need.

Please pay your dues with an open heart and support our community and its future.

Sincerely,

Beth Farber
President

P.S. As always, your membership dues include your High Holiday tickets.