

ESTABLISHMENT OF YOUTH CAMPS - 1950 **

The National Federation of Temple Sisterhoods is the Mother Arm of Reform Judaism. It has either initiated or wholeheartedly supported every endeavor of our movement to educate our children and transmit to them the meaningful heritage which is ours. Mindful of the unique role which the summer camp has assumed in the field of education and of the unlimited potentialities of the camp program as a means of inspiring our youth in the Liberal Jewish way of life,

We hereby resolve, that the National Federation of Temple Sisterhoods adopt as its next national project, immediately upon the completion of the House of Living Judaism project, the acquisition and establishment of camps for Reform Jewish youth; That this project be implemented, wherever possible, through the instrumentality of the Regional or State Federations of the National Federation of Temple Sisterhoods; That the Eighteenth Biennial Assembly of the National Federation of Temple Sisterhoods establish a Committee for Youth Camps and direct this Committee to begin its work immediately, in conjunction with our youth organization, the child of the National Federation of Temple Sisterhoods, the National Federation of Temple Youth

****NOTE:** This resolution was ordered spread upon the minutes without action as the NFTS Executive Board, at its pre-convention session, had voted to have a Committee of the NFTS Board meet with representatives of the Boards of the Union of American Hebrew Congregations and the National Federation of Temple Youth to discuss all phases of the subject of a youth camp or camps