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Greetings Agudas Israel Family and Friends:

As we prepare for the Jewish High Holy Days, we are once again reminded of our Shul's presence in our lives. The holidays give us the opportunity to reflect on our relationships - with God, with family and with friends. As we come together in observance of our Jewish faith, we choose to share this time surrounded, albeit virtually, by our community and the secure and inviting environment it provides.

The **Kol Nidre Appeal** is a vital component in supporting our Shul's continued presence in our lives. The donations bridge the gap between the annual dues and our operating expenses. In addition to supporting education and maintaining a safe building environment, these funds enable us to continue providing support for social outreach, philanthropy and long term planning for our community. Whether you are a member or a friend, we encourage your generous support in making a contribution to the **Kol Nidre Appeal** for Agudas Israel. We need your help to do the things we want to do for our synagogue and perpetuate Agudas Israel as the center for Jewish life in Henderson County and beyond. This year, even with the physical building closed, we need your help more than ever, since we are limited in the things we can do to raise funds because of the pandemic.

Enclosed is a pledge card. Please return it in the mail, with your check, to the synagogue. You also can pay online with *Paypal* or a credit card. On behalf of the Rabbi and our entire Board of Trustees, we thank you in advance for your support.

L'shanah Tovah,

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