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Woodlands Community Temple
White Plains, NY

BOARD OF TRUSTEES INSTALLATION

- Welcome. Introduce theme of evening, preferably via iyyun.
- Service through *Silent Prayer* and *Mee Sheberakh*

Installation

- Reflections of outgoing President
- Invite outgoing President to present D'var Torah (which will include thank you's and gifts to outgoing Trustees)
- Outgoing President invites incoming President and new Board of Trustees for Chain of Tradition
- *Ayn Kamokha* as Torah is removed from Ark and Board lines up in front of Ark
- Rabbi facilitates Chain of Tradition (Outgoing President at beginning, incoming President at end)
 - As Chain of Trad'n progresses, rabbi drashes on Torah reading
- *Kee Mitziyon/Sh'ma/Lekha Adonai*
 - Incoming President leads Board in *hakafah*. All return to *bimah*.
- Rabbi: *brief* intro to Torah reading
- New Board is called for aliyah
 - ... *Ya'amdu likhvod haTorah* ...
 - ... *kol manhigei kehillah kedosha ha'zot* ...
 - ,, , *the leadership of this sacred community*.
- New Board recites 1st blessing
- Outgoing President reads Torah
 - Translation
- Incoming President reads Torah
 - Translation
- New Board recites 2nd blessing
- Rabbi: brief blessing for Board
- New Board sits
- Incoming President presents D'var Torah (including presentation of gift to outgoing President).
- *Hagbah/Etz Hayim/Hashivenu*

- Finish service