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Dear Friends,


I would like to extend my sincerest congratulations to the Polish Genealogical Society of Connecticut and the Northeast on your 25th anniversary. Your organization is to be commended for the assistance you have provided to people of Polish descent to learn about their ancestors.

As New Britain's congressional representative, I am proud of your efforts to preserve Polish culture for my constituents and others throughout the state and region. The collection of resources you have compiled is a testament to the hard work that has been put forth throughout the past 25 years. I am impressed by the society's ability to obtain and preserve gazetteers, parish directories, and telephone books-some over one hundred years old.

Over the last quarter of a century, the Polish Genealogical Society of Connecticut and the Northeast has shown remarkable growth. Since 1984 when the society was founded, your services have grown from the Connecticut River Valley to all of New England and the Mid-Atlantic. Your efforts will ensure that the Polish Heritage will not be lost to future generations.

It is inspiring to see such dedicated people working to ensure that others have the ability to enjoy and experience a truly rich and unique culture. Congratulations for all that you have accomplished and best wishes for your continued success.

Every best wish,



Christopher S. Murphy