

**Boston Eruv
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Mazel Tov,

Can it really be twenty-five years since the first Shabbat of our Community Eruv? It was only after eight prior years of effort, from October 1984 through January 1993, that we completed this awesome project in time for Parshat VaYeChi in 5753. Over that time, we have checked the Eruv nearly 1,300 times, repaired over 3,500 issues, expanded the Eruv four times (Nonantum, Boston University, South Newton, and South Brookline), and built new Eruvin in Malden, Newport, Waltham, and Swampscott.

Our Eruv enhances Shabbat here every weekend of the year. People from every Shul or Minyan within its expanded 28-mile perimeter can move about freely, pushing strollers or wheelchairs, carrying tallit bags or house-keys. We ask you to make a clear statement about the importance of having an Eruv in our community and to help us all celebrate our first quarter-century!

Fundraising is critical to support salaries for Eruv checking, Federal taxes and Social Security deposits for our employees, Liability and Workman's Compensation Insurance, bucket truck usage, repair materials, our website and weekly voice status service, and fundraising expenses.

All administrative activities associated with the Eruv have always been and continue to be accomplished through volunteer effort.

To help us celebrate this TWENTY-FIFTH year, we ask you for a tax-deductible, "double donation" of \$250.00.

If you prefer to contribute the regular, annual donation, please consider \$125.00. Send your 2018 donation either by check or Paypal (link is on our website).

We need to hear from EVERY one of you to make this fund-raising cycle a success!

Please send your tax-deductible donation to (and please include your Shul affiliation if you are a first-time contributor):

Greater Boston Eruv Corporation, 653 Chestnut Hill Avenue, Brookline, MA 02445

You can also contribute online at our website using PayPal or several popular *Donor Advised Fund links*.

Thanks,
Jesse

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