SALT: Sharing, abundance, Love and Thanks,

RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, women across the [synod name] Synod have generously supported the work of the churchwide organization throughout the years;

WHEREAS, Women of the ELCA's fundraising team has launched a new appeal to close last year's \$250,000 funding gap;

WHEREAS, We are reminded in Leviticus 2:13 to "add salt to all your offerings," we recognize God's message that we are called not just to give our "first fruits" yet also to offer them with seasoning, with SALT: Sharing, Abundance, Love, and Thanks;

WHEREAS, This generosity will support the day-to-day operations of Women of the ELCA (i.e. salaries, insurance, technology) and allow the ministries of the organization to continue including, not limited to women's ministries, anti-racist efforts, *Gather* magazine, *Bold Café*, scholarships, and grants;

RESOLVED, We encourage all units, clusters, conferences, and synodical organizations to include discussion of the SALT Appeal and contribute through a special offering to be used where needed most;

RESOLVED, We encourage all women to SALT their offerings to Women of the ELCA by sharing an extra gift to be used where needed most; and

RESOLVED, that we memorialized this resolution to the 2026 Triennial Convention encouraging each Synodical Women's Organization to pass a similar resolution.

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