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Jewish Federation of Delaware Earns a Four-Star Rating from Charity Navigator

Wilmington, DE, April 23, 2026 – Jewish Federation of Delaware is proud to announce that its strong financial health and ongoing effectiveness and reliability have helped it earn a Four-Star Rating from Charity Navigator. This rating designates Federation as an official “Give with Confidence” charity, indicating that our organization is using its donations effectively based on Charity Navigator’s comprehensive criteria that go beyond financials to reflect the work charities do. Charity Navigator is the nation’s largest charity evaluator, providing donors with thorough and credible ratings of more than 230,000 organizations. Since 2001, the organization has been an unbiased and trusted source of information for more than 11 million donors annually.

Charity Navigator analyzes overall nonprofit health and performance based on four key areas: Leadership & Adaptability to help donors understand if a charity has clarity of purpose, Accountability & Finance to explain if they are transparent and fiscally capable, Culture & Community to show how they engage with their constituents, and Impact & Results to explain what they have accomplished.

“We are delighted to provide Jewish Federation of Delaware with third-party accreditation that validates their operational excellence,” said Michael Thatcher, president and CEO of Charity Navigator. “The Four-Star Rating is the highest possible rating an organization can achieve. We are eager to see the good work that the Federation can accomplish in the years ahead.”

“Our Four-Star Charity Navigator rating is further validation that our valued supporters can trust our commitment to good governance, but also that we’re using our donors’ philanthropy effectively,” said Seth J. Katzen, President & CEO. “We hope it will introduce our work to new supporters who can help us advance our mission to preserve and strengthen our local and global community through philanthropic, volunteer, and professional leadership.”

Federation’s rating and other information are available free of charge on charitynavigator.org.

Earlier this year, Federation earned a 2026 Platinum Seal of Transparency from Candid as well as a 2026 Top-Rated Award from GreatNonprofits, the other two key industry evaluators of nonprofits.

To learn more about Jewish Federation of Delaware, please visit ShalomDelaware.org.

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