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Senate Resolution No. 2338

BY: Senator PARKER

COMMENDING the Most Excellent Prince Hall Grand Chapter of Holy Royal Arch Masons of the State of New York & Jurisdiction upon the occasion of hosting its 66th Annual Grand Assembly on October 3, 2024

WHEREAS, It is the sense of this Legislative Body to recognize and pay tribute to those organizations of high purpose and worthy accomplishment whose endeavors have faithfully served the welfare of the citizens of the State of New York; and

WHEREAS, Attendant to such concern, and in full accord with its long-standing traditions, this Legislative Body is justly proud to commend the Most Excellent Prince Hall Grand Chapter of Holy Royal Arch Masons of the State of New York & Jurisdiction upon the occasion of hosting its 66th Annual Grand Assembly on Thursday, October 3, 2024, at the Crowne Plaza/Albany-The Desmond Hotel in Albany, New York; and

WHEREAS, The dedicated Masons of the Most Excellent Prince Hall Grand Chapter of Holy Royal Arch Masons of the State of New York & Jurisdiction are men with a social conscience and a charitable perspective, who are also known as Freemasons; they are part of a fraternal organization that shares common moral ideals and esoteric values which are based on the doctrine of Brotherly Love, Relief, and Truth; and

WHEREAS, The men of this ancient and most respected order of Royal Arch Masons operate under the direction and most serene leadership of Most Worshipful Gregory R Smith Jr, Grand Master New York and in harmony with M.I Marvin E. Williams, (Kych) Thrice, Illustrious Grand Master, Most Excellent Rex H. Garret Grand High Priest; there has been 66 successful years of excellence, and the sustained meeting of Masters through the trials and tribulations of this Nation and State; and

WHEREAS, The success of the Most Excellent Prince Hall Grand Chapter of Holy Royal Arch Masons of the State of New York & Jurisdiction is in direct correlation to the efforts of its leadership and its members, whose involvement is, and always has been, characterized by an impressive commitment, an unbridled enthusiasm, and an uncompromising standard of excellence in all endeavors on behalf of the organization and the community it serves; and

WHEREAS, This Legislative Body is proudly moved to honor and commend the members of the Most Excellent Prince Hall Grand Chapter of Holy Royal Arch Masons of the State of New York & Jurisdiction, Free and Accepted Masons, past and present, who have labored so conscientiously to secure and improve the quality of life for the community it serves; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That this Legislative Body pause in its deliberations to commend the Most Excellent Prince Hall Grand Chapter of Holy Royal Arch Masons of the State of New York & Jurisdiction upon the occasion of hosting its 66th Annual Grand Assembly on October 3, 2024; and be it further

RESOLVED, That a copy of this Resolution, suitably engrossed, be transmitted to the of Most Excellent Prince Hall Grand Chapter of Holy

Royal Arch Masons of the State of New York & Jurisdiction Free and
Accepted Masons of the State of New York.