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LEGISLATIVE RESOLUTION commending the Floral Park Lions Club upon the occasion of its 85th Anniversary

WHEREAS, It is the sense of this Legislative Body to recognize and pay tribute to organizations of high purpose and worthy accomplishment whose endeavors have been dedicated to improving the quality of life for others; and

WHEREAS, Attendant to such concern and in full accord with its long-standing traditions, this Legislative Body is justly proud to honor the Floral Park Lions Club upon the occasion of its 85th Anniversary, which was celebrated at the Lions District 20K's Annual Convention at the Plainview Marriot on Sunday, March 6, 2011; and

WHEREAS, The Lions Club of Floral Park is renowned for its dedication to the Floral Park community and its residents; part of the largest worldwide service organization, Lions Clubs International, with 45,000 clubs and 1.35 million members in 206 countries and geographic areas dedicated to identifying and meeting local community needs, the Floral Park Lions Club may take pride in its history of support of Lions International and of local charitable projects; and

WHEREAS, The Floral Park Lions Club continues to work diligently to help Lions Clubs International achieve its vision of being the global leader in community and humanitarian service and fully supports its mission of empowering volunteers to serve their communities, meet humanitarian needs, encourage peace and promote international understanding through Lions Clubs; and

WHEREAS, Chartered in 1926, the Floral Park Lions Club's dedicated members have created an enduring legacy of service and pride of community; the Club is well-known for its efforts on behalf of the blind and visually and hearing impaired and for a wide range of projects benefiting the entire community; and

WHEREAS, The Floral Park Lions Club and its members exemplify the Lions' motto, "We Serve"; the dedication to community service prevalent among all those associated with the club merits the recognition and applause of this Legislative Body and the appreciation of all those who

benefit from its services; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That this Legislative Body pause in its deliberations to commend the Floral Park Lions Club, and its members, past and present, upon the occasion of the celebration of its 85th Anniversary on March 6, 2011; and be it further

RESOLVED, That a copy of this Resolution, suitably engrossed, be transmitted to the Floral Park Lions Club.