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LEGISLATIVE RESOLUTION honoring Supreme Court Justice Pam B. Jackman Brown upon the occasion of her designation for special recognition by the Rochdale Village Board of Directors

WHEREAS, It is the sense of this Legislative Body to recognize that the quality and character of life in the communities across New York State are reflective of the concerned and dedicated efforts of those individuals who would devote themselves to the welfare of the community and its citizenry; and

WHEREAS, This Legislative Body is justly proud to honor Supreme Court Justice Pam B. Jackman Brown upon the occasion of her designation for special recognition by the Rochdale Village Board of Directors, to be celebrated at its Women's History Month Program on March 31, 2012; and

WHEREAS, Judge Pam Jackman Brown is a Supreme Court Justice sitting in Matrimonial Part, Queens County; she was elected to the Supreme Court in November 2011; and

WHEREAS, Judge Pam Jackman Brown was elected as a Civil Court Judge in November 2008; she was appointed to the Housing Court in 1998 and served as the Supervising Judge of the New York County Housing Court from 2007 to 2009; her tenure on the Bench also includes Family Court and Criminal Court; and

WHEREAS, A graduate of the first class of City University of New York School of Law in 1986 and one of its first judges, Judge Pam Jackman Brown earned her B.S. degree from John Jay College of Criminal Justice graduating magna cum laude; and

WHEREAS, Judge Pam Jackman Brown is actively involved with several judicial and bar associations holding several positions as officer and board member; she was a criminal defense attorney at the Legal Aid Society from 1986 to 1989 and worked as a law clerk from 1989 to 1998; and

WHEREAS, A publisher of several judicial decisions, Judge Pam Jackman Brown was an adjunct professor at Borough of Manhattan Community College; she conducts several conferences, lectures and is a CUNY "Threefer" role model; and

WHEREAS, Rare indeed is the impressive dedication shown by an individual for the benefit of others which Judge Pam Jackman Brown has displayed throughout her life; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That this Legislative Body pause in its deliberations to honor Supreme Court Justice Pam B. Jackman Brown upon the occasion of her designation for special recognition by the Rochdale Village Board of Directors; and be it further

RESOLVED, That a copy of this Resolution, suitably engrossed, be transmitted to The Honorable Pam B. Jackman Brown.