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LEGISLATIVE RESOLUTION honoring Patricia Fernandez upon the occasion of her designation as recipient of the Community Service Award by the Girls High School Alumnae Association

WHEREAS, It is incumbent upon the people of the State of New York to recognize and acknowledge those within our midst who have made significant contributions to the quality of life therein; and

WHEREAS, Patricia Fernandez has given not only of her time and energies but also of her competence, intelligence and leadership and consequently has been designated for special honor; and

WHEREAS, This Legislative Body is justly proud to honor Patricia Fernandez upon the occasion of her designation as recipient of the Community Service Award by the Girls High School Alumnae Association, to be celebrated on Saturday, April 27, 2013, at its Annual Scholarship Luncheon in Brooklyn, New York; and

WHEREAS, President and CEO of the Bedford-Stuyvesant Family Health Center, Patricia Fernandez has been called upon to contribute her time and talents to countless civic and charitable endeavors and has always given of herself unstintingly; and

WHEREAS, Throughout the entire period of her community service, a period of constructive involvement, Patricia Fernandez has stood constant in dignity, good grace and humor; and

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

RESOLVED, That this Legislative Body pause in its deliberations to honor Patricia Fernandez upon the occasion of her designation as recipient of the Community Service Award by the Girls High School Alumnae Association; and be it further

RESOLVED, That a copy of this Resolution, suitably engrossed, be transmitted to Patricia Fernandez.