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LEGISLATIVE RESOLUTION commending BronxWorks upon the occasion of its designation for special recognition

WHEREAS, It is the custom 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 organizations which would devote themselves to the welfare of the community and its citizenry; and

WHEREAS, Attendant to such concern, and in full accord with its long-standing traditions, this Legislative Body is justly proud to commend BronxWorks upon the occasion of its designation for special recognition; and

WHEREAS, This occasion presents an opportunity for this Legislative Body to recognize and pay tribute to BronxWorks, a non-profit organization, on a successful 2014, and what is shaping up to be a promising 2015; and

WHEREAS, In 2014, BronxWorks was nominated as a finalist for the coveted Brooks W. Mahoney Award for Outstanding Board Leadership; and

WHEREAS, This vital organization surpassed an enrollment goal of over 2,000 SNAP (food stamps) recipients, transitioned 109 previously homeless adults into permanent housing, and administered a Family Rewards Program which brought over \$700,000 in cash incentives to 317 households; and

WHEREAS, It is the sense of this Legislative Body that when organizations of such noble aims and accomplishments are brought to our attention, they should be celebrated and recognized by all the citizens of this great Empire State; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That this Legislative Body pause in its deliberations to commend BronxWorks upon the occasion of its designation for special

recognition; and be it further

RESOLVED, That copies of this Resolution, suitably engrossed, be transmitted to BronxWorks.