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Senator Squadron, Congresswoman Velázquez, Comptroller Stringer, Senator Montgomery, Assemblymember Simon, Councilmember Levin, Community, Honor Former Assemblymember Joan Millman

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Electeds: Thank You for Over 17 Years of Service to Our District!

*Resolution, Proclamations Presented at Eileen C. Dugan Amico Senior Center*

**BROOKLYN'S 52<sup>ND</sup> ASSEMBLY DISTRICT** – Monday, October 26, State Senator Daniel Squadron, Congresswoman Velázquez, Comptroller Stringer, Senator Montgomery,

Assemblymember Simon, Councilmember Levin, Community Board representatives, and community members honored former Assemblymember Joan Millman for her 17 years of service in the New York State Assembly with a State Senate Resolution and proclamations.

Squadron introduced the State Senate Resolution which passed the State Senate unanimously this June. Among her other accomplishments, the Resolution noted the former Assemblymember's strong presence in the district, commitment to senior and education issues, and role as the Eileen C. Dugan Senior Center's biggest cheerleader.

"As anyone in the neighborhood can tell you, Former Assemblymember Joan Millman was a lifeline in our community, deeply involved, and great partner in government," said **State Senator Daniel Squadron**. "Whether it was fighting for senior and youth issues in Albany, or helping get a flu shot back in the neighborhood, Joan looked out for our local community and vulnerable populations statewide. I thank Assemblymember Simon, Congresswoman Velázquez, Comptroller Stringer, Senator Montgomery, Councilmember Levin, Community Board 2 and 6, and community members for joining me today, and thank former Assemblymember Joan Millman for over 17 years of service."

"Joan Millman has been a steadfast and dedicated champion of seniors, children and the most vulnerable among us. Among her many achievements, she has been critical to making Brooklyn Bridge Park a reality. Her tireless efforts over the last 17 years on behalf of all Brooklyn residents are an inspiration to all of us in public service and I salute her," said **Rep. Nydia M. Velázquez (D-NY)**.

"Joan Millman is one of a kind - a friend, a colleague and a fierce advocate for the people of Brooklyn. During her 17 years of service in the New York State Assembly, her hard work, dedication, and commitment earned her the respect and admiration of her colleagues in government, and the gratitude of the communities she served. Her legacy of service has left

an indelible impression on the people of Brooklyn Heights, Carroll Gardens, Boerum Hill, Gowanus, and Park Slope. Thank you, Senator Squadron for introducing this resolution in her honor," said **City Comptroller Scott Stringer**.

"Joan Millman is a true champion of Brooklyn and its interests. On issue after issue, she has fought vigorously with her head and her heart on behalf of her constituents, and her record of results speaks for itself. I join in honoring her career and thanking her for her continued public service," said **Brooklyn Borough President Eric L. Adams**.

"Joan Millman has been a wonderful colleague, ally and dear friend. I was sad to lose her as a partner in Albany and in our Brooklyn communities. I miss working with her on projects and important issues, but I enjoy seeing her smile when I run into her in my district. She is one of my favorite constituents," said **State Senator Velmanette Montgomery**.

"It is a joy and a privilege to honor former Assemblywoman Joan L. Millman for her nearly 18 years of dedication and service to our communities as our State Assembly representative. The list of her accomplishments is long, but perhaps even more importantly, the list of her friends and admirers is even longer. Joan led by example, with heart and head, advocating for our children, our seniors and people with disabilities – always engaged and working to improve the lives of those around her. I could not have had a better or more noble mentor and friend," said **Assemblymember Jo Anne Simon**.

"Joan Millman is an exemplary public servant. Her years of dedicated service to her community in the New York State Assembly have unquestionably made Brooklyn a better place and her continued advocacy for seniors and children proves that she's far from done fighting for New Yorkers. Joan's legacy is truly an inspiration to all of us who have chosen a career in public service," said **Councilmember Stephen Levin**.

“Joan Millman leaves behind her an unquestionable legacy of dedicated and effective advocacy for her constituents and beyond. Her perseverance and commitment to improving public education and protecting and strengthening the rights of seniors has touched tens of thousands of lives throughout the State of New York. She has been and continues to be a true inspiration,” said **Paige Bellenbaum, Female District Leader, 52nd AD.**

“Former Assemblywoman Joan Millman was a tireless advocate for the neighborhoods she served,” said **Community Board 2 Chairperson Shirley A. McRae.** “And as she did so,” Ms. McRae added, “Joan was always a pleasure to work with.”