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LEGISLATIVE RESOLUTION honoring Hugh Johnson Advisors LLC upon the occasion of its designation as recipient of the 2016 Circle of Humanity Award by Temple Israel, Albany, New York

WHEREAS, Organizations which serve the interests of the people of this Empire State merit the commendation of this Legislative Body; and

WHEREAS, It is the custom of this Legislative Body to honor Hugh Johnson Advisors LLC upon the occasion of its designation as recipient of the 2016 Circle of Humanity Award by Temple Israel, Albany, New York, to be celebrated at a dinner on Thursday, May 19, 2016; and

WHEREAS, The Circle of Humanity Award is presented to local individuals and institutions who devote themselves to making a positive difference in our community and beyond; and

WHEREAS, This auspicious award is given to those who have shown courage and initiative to reach out, together, to create an atmosphere that is at once positive, exciting and contagious, spreading its arms in an extension of human circles which includes those in every walk of life;

Hugh Johnson Advisors LLC epitomizes this definition; and

WHEREAS, Hugh Johnson Advisors LLC is a registered investment advisor with responsibility for over \$1 billion in managed assets and over \$1 billion in consulting assets; it is small enough to have a strong local presence and large enough to have a global perspective; and

WHEREAS, Hugh Johnson Advisors LLC's approach to wealth management is simple; whether an individual or institutional client, it believes in managing wealth based on a clearly articulated set of objectives; one product does not fit all sizes; it is the responsibility of the institution to help establish clear and achievable wealth accumulation goals, and then manage the clients' assets to provide them the best opportunity to meet them; and

WHEREAS, Hugh Johnson Advisors LLC is an employee owned firm that has roots back to 1994 when it was founded as First Albany Asset Management; it believes that as a successful growing business, it has an obligation to play a role in advancing the missions of its non-profits who so ably serve the many needs of the community; and

WHEREAS, Hugh Johnson Advisors LLC has served the interests of the people of the Empire State for over 20 years; this occasion presents an opportunity for this Legislative Body to recognize and pay tribute to Hugh Johnson Advisors LLC; and

WHEREAS, It is the sense of this Legislative Body that those institutions and individuals who enhance the quality of life in their community and have shown a long and sustained commitment to the maintenance of high standards in their profession, certainly have earned the recognition and applause of all the citizens of this great Empire State; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That this Legislative Body pause in its deliberations to honor Hugh Johnson Advisors LLC upon the occasion of its designation as recipient of the 2016 Circle of Humanity Award by Temple Israel, Albany, New York; and be it further

RESOLVED, That a copy of this Resolution, suitably engrossed, be transmitted to Hugh Johnson Advisors LLC.