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LEGISLATIVE RESOLUTION honoring Fran Lubrano D'Alessandro upon the occasion of her designation for special recognition by the Port Washington Parent Resource Center on March 18, 2016

WHEREAS, Individuals who give of their time and energies and serve the best interests of their communities are an asset beyond remuneration and cannot be sufficiently extolled; and

WHEREAS, Fran Lubrano D'Alessandro 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 Fran Lubrano D'Alessandro upon the occasion of her designation for special recognition by the Port Washington Parent Resource Center, to be celebrated at its Annual Gala on Friday, March 18, 2016, at the Village Club of Sands Point; and

WHEREAS, For more than 35 years, the Parent Resource Center (PRC) has been an integral part of the Port Washington community, bringing together families with young children to play, learn, grow, and make life-long friendships; and

WHEREAS, Fran Lubrano D'Alessandro moved to Port Washington, New York, in 1999, during which time she became a member of the Parent Resource Center; after spending many years in various accounting positions in the corporate world she decided to leave and raise her children; and

WHEREAS, With a steadfast and unwavering commitment to community service and giving back, Fran Lubrano D'Alessandro began her volunteerism in her children's schools as a class parent and various activities in the HSA; and

WHEREAS, In addition, she was active in supporting roles in her son's Boy Scout Troop, a Girl Scout Leader for her daughter's troop for 13

years, and a Community Chest board member; and

WHEREAS, As her children got older she expanded her efforts; after losing her father to blood cancer, Fran Lubrano D'Alessandro became a vigilant supporter of the Leukemia Lymphoma Society where she is the co-chair of its Leadership Committee; she was also nominated to compete in the organization's Man/Woman of the Year campaign, during which time she was instrumental in raising more than \$87,000; and

WHEREAS, Furthermore, Fran Lubrano D'Alessandro is a founding member of Warriors for a Cause, an organization dedicated to supporting various charitable causes such as the Leukemia Lymphoma Society and the Stephen Siller Foundation; and

WHEREAS, Fran Lubrano D'Alessandro sincerely believes in the mission of the Parent Resource Center, and the critical role it plays in supporting the families and children of Port Washington; she currently serves as the head bookkeeper for this vital organization; and

WHEREAS, Throughout the entire period of her community service, a period of constructive involvement, Fran Lubrano D'Alessandro has stood constant in dignity, good grace and humor; and

WHEREAS, With her throughout have been her husband, John, and their two children, John and Juliana, all of whom feel privileged to be a part of her life and rejoice in her achievements; and

WHEREAS, Rare indeed is the impressive dedication shown by an individual for the benefit of others which Fran Lubrano D'Alessandro has displayed throughout her life; and

WHEREAS, It is the sense of this Legislative Body that when individuals 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 honor Fran Lubrano D'Alessandro upon the occasion of her designation for special recognition by the Port Washington Parent Resource Center on

March 18, 2016; and be it further

RESOLVED, That a copy of this Resolution, suitably engrossed, be transmitted to Fran Lubrano D'Alessandro.