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LEGISLATIVE RESOLUTION honoring Sandra Chapman upon the occasion of her designation as recipient of the Caribbean Woman of the Year Award by the Neighborhood Technical Assistance Clinic

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, From time to time this Legislative Body takes note of certain extraordinary individuals it wishes to recognize for their valued contributions to the success and progress of society and publicly acknowledge their endeavors which have enhanced the basic humanity among us all; and

WHEREAS, This Legislative Body is justly proud to honor Sandra Chapman upon the occasion of her designation as recipient of the Caribbean Woman of the Year Award by the Neighborhood Technical Assistance Clinic, to be celebrated at its 9th Annual Gala, A Salute to New York City's Nonprofits and the Neighborhoods They Serve, on Tuesday, June 14, 2016, at Giando on the Water, Brooklyn, New York; and

WHEREAS, The Neighborhood Technical Assistance Clinic (NTAC) is a strategic partner and advisor to philanthropists, foundations, government and political entities, public institutions, grassroots nonprofit organizations, and faith-based institutions wishing to improve their programs and organizational effectiveness in addressing the needs of low-income and service-starved communities; and

WHEREAS, In addition, NTAC provides consultation, strategic direction, management, technical assistance and forums for increasing substantive outcomes in all areas of human and financial investment; and

WHEREAS, Chief Program Officer for the Brooklyn Borough President, Sandra Chapman has served three borough presidents in Brooklyn, New

York, namely Howard Golden, Marty Markowitz and Eric Adams; and

WHEREAS, Born in Guyana, Sandra Chapman is being recognized for her nearly three decades of experience as a manager, problem solver and advocate in the public and nonprofit sectors; 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 Sandra Chapman upon the occasion of her designation as recipient of the Caribbean Woman of the Year Award by the Neighborhood Technical Assistance Clinic; and be it further

RESOLVED, That a copy of this Resolution, suitably engrossed, be transmitted to Sandra Chapman.