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Senate Resolution No. 670

BY: Senator DILAN

COMMENDING Julia Watt-Rosenfeld upon the occasion of her designation as recipient of the Staff Distinguished Service Award by the Cypress Hills Local Development Corporation

WHEREAS, Service to community and country is the foundation of our society, and the contributions and future efforts of those in service to them are a vital part of, and valuable asset to, the fabric of our communities; and

WHEREAS, This Legislative Body is justly proud to commend Julia Watt-Rosenfeld upon the occasion of her designation as recipient of the Staff Distinguished Service Award by the Cypress Hills Local Development Corporation to be observed at its Annual Celebration of Community Progress event on Thursday, February 16, 2017; and

WHEREAS, Julia Watt-Rosenfeld, a vibrant and strategic leader with 20 years of experience working to activate individuals, groups, and organizations to clarify mission, build leadership and strengthen organizations, is currently the Director of Community Organizing at Cypress Hills Local Development Corporation; and

WHEREAS, Working hard to build communities for justice, equity, learning, and friendship, Julia Watt-Rosenfeld has a proven record of forming strong and successful relationships with young people and adults in school and community-based settings, winning grassroots advocacy campaigns, and facilitating organizational development; and

WHEREAS, An excellent communicator with skills in supervision, group

facilitation, and strategic planning, Julia Watt-Rosenfeld is passionate about coaching for personal transformation and social change; and

WHEREAS, Going above and beyond the call of duty, Julia Watt-Rosenfeld exemplifies the values of Cypress Hills Local Development Corporation, has pioneered new programs and has dedicated significant time to the agency; and

WHEREAS, It is the sense of this Legislative Body that those who enhance the well-being and vitality of their community and have shown a long and sustained commitment to excellence 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 commend Julia Watt-Rosenfeld upon the occasion of her designation as recipient of the Staff Distinguished Service Award by the Cypress Hills Local Development Corporation; and be it further

RESOLVED, That a copy of this Resolution, suitably engrossed, be transmitted to Julia Watt-Rosenfeld.