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Senate Resolution No. 1962

BY: Senator PARKER

COMMENDING Richard Crews upon the occasion of his designation for special recognition by James H. Farrell Lodge No. 34, Free and Accepted Masons of the State of New York on May 7, 2022

WHEREAS, The unity of our State and Nation is built upon the compassion of individuals such as Past Master Richard Crews who uphold the values of community life and who, through their great actions, epitomize the best of humanity; and

WHEREAS, This Legislative Body is justly proud to commend Richard Crews upon the occasion of his designation for special recognition by James H. Farrell Lodge No. 34, Free and Accepted Masons of the State of New York to be celebrated at its Pre-Mother's Day Brunch on Saturday, May 7, 2022; and

WHEREAS, The dedicated Masons of James H. Farrell Lodge No. 34 are men with a social conscience and a charitable perspective, also known as Freemasons; it is a fraternal organization that shares common moral ideals and esoteric values and is based on the doctrine of Brotherly Love, Relief and Truth; and

WHEREAS, Devoted to his community and to the mission of the Freemasons, Richard Crews proudly served his Lodge as a Past Master; and

WHEREAS, Rare indeed is the impressive dedication shown by an individual for the benefit of others which Richard Crews has displayed throughout his 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 commend Richard Crews upon the occasion of his designation for special recognition by James H. Farrell Lodge No. 34, Free and Accepted Masons of the State of New York on May 7, 2022; and be it further

RESOLVED, That a copy of this Resolution, suitably engrossed, be transmitted to Richard Crews.