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LEGISLATIVE RESOLUTION honoring Nancy Lippman Israeli, M.D. upon the occasion of her designation as a Community Champion by PeerPals.org on April 7, 2011

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, Dr. Nancy Lippman has given not only of her time and energies but also of her competence, intelligence and leadership and consequently has been designated for special commendation; and

WHEREAS, This Legislative Body is justly proud to honor Nancy Lippman Israeli, M.D. upon the occasion of her designation as a Community Champion by PeerPals.org to be celebrated at its First Annual Planting Seeds of Community Dinner at the Fox Hollow in Woodbury, New York, on Thursday, April 7, 2011; and

WHEREAS, PeerPals.org is a non-profit organization that matches preschool age children with disabilities with typically developing children in their communities for one-on-one play dates; these friendships serve as the building blocks for inclusive communities when the children enter kindergarten together; and

WHEREAS, A strong supporter of PeerPals.org and its mission, Dr. Nancy Lippman exemplifies a sincere dedication to the welfare of children and has always given of herself unstintingly; and

WHEREAS, A graduate of Smith College and Mt. Sinai Medical School, Dr. Nancy Lippman is currently a Pediatrician with Pediatric Health Associates in Plainview, New York; and

WHEREAS, Throughout the entire period of her community service, a period of constructive involvement, Dr. Nancy Lippman has stood constant in dignity, good grace and humor; and

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

WHEREAS, It is the sense of this Legislative Body to recognize and pay just tribute to those citizens who embody the true American spirit, demonstrating compassion and determination, and significantly contributing to the enhancement of the quality of life of our most precious resource, our youth; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That this Legislative Body pause in its deliberations to honor Nancy Lippman Israeli upon the occasion of her designation as a Community Champion by PeerPals.org on April 7, 2011; and be it further RESOLVED, That a copy of this Resolution, suitably engrossed, be transmitted to Dr. Nancy Lippman Israeli, M.D., Laurel Hollow, New York.