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LEGISLATIVE RESOLUTION honoring Diane Berger upon the occasion of her designation as recipient of an award in recognition of her 30 years of dedicated service to the Children's Learning Center by the United Cerebral Palsy Association of Nassau County, Inc.

WHEREAS, This Legislative Body seeks to acknowledge those individuals whose professional lives and civic endeavors serve to enhance the stature of the State of New York; and

WHEREAS, Attendant to such concern, and in full accord with its longstanding traditions, this Legislative Body is justly proud to honor Diane Berger upon the occasion of her designation as recipient of an award in recognition of her 30 years of dedicated service to the Children's Learning Center by the United Cerebral Palsy Association of Nassau County, Inc. celebrated at its Annual Association meeting held in August 2013; and

WHEREAS, Diane (Dee) Berger has served as Principal of the Children's Learning Center since 1996; she began her career at the United Cerebral Palsy Association of Nassau County in 1982 when she was Director of Program Services; in 1992, she became Assistant Executive Director, the position she held prior to serving as Principal; and

WHEREAS, During her tenure, Children's Learning Center has developed many special events and activities, including Homecoming, Prom, Ballet Club, Boy Scouts, Girl Scouts, a Carnival, Pep Rallies and a Spring Fling; these vital activities are great for every child's self-esteem and provide an invigorating learning environment; and

WHEREAS, Rare indeed is the impressive dedication shown by an individual for the benefit of others which Diane Berger has displayed throughout her life; and

WHEREAS, It is the sense of this Legislative Body that those who

enhance the quality of life in their community and have shown a long and sustained commitment to the maintenance of high standards in their profession, 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 honor Diane Berger upon the occasion of her designation as recipient of an award in recognition of her 30 years of dedicated service to the Children's Learning Center by the United Cerebral Palsy Association of Nassau County, Inc.; and be it further

RESOLVED, That a copy of this Resolution, suitably engrossed, be transmitted to Diane Berger.