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LEGISLATIVE RESOLUTION honoring Tina Urzan of the Olde Judge Mansion Bed & Breakfast upon the occasion of her designation as recipient of the Jeanette Dworkin Small Business Award by the Community Loan Fund

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, Tina Urzan has given not only of her time and energies but also of her competence, intelligence and leadership and consequently has been designated for special recognition; and

WHEREAS, This Legislative Body is justly proud to honor Tina Urzan of the Olde Judge Mansion Bed & Breakfast upon the occasion of her designation as recipient of the Jeanette Dworkin Small Business Award by the Community Loan Fund on Tuesday, October 29, 2013; and

WHEREAS, Tina Urzan was chosen to receive this auspicious award in recognition of her perseverance in opening and growing a small business, and her commitment to the revitalization of North Troy; and

WHEREAS, Small Businesses such as the Olde Judge Mansion Bed & Breakfast exert a strong, positive influence on the communities they serve and are a crucial element in the economy of New York State; and

WHEREAS, Tina Urzan purchased the Olde Judge Mansion Bed & Breakfast in the historic City of Troy, New York, and with the help of her brother, returned the stately old building to its beautiful Victorian origins; and

WHEREAS, The small business of Olde Judge Mansion Bed & Breakfast has demonstrated the value of investing in North Troy and bringing back the pride and vitality the area once had and will have again; and

WHEREAS, Born and raised in Troy, New York, Tina Urzan is a member of Friends of North Central Neighborhood Association, Project Safe Neigh-

borhood, Project IMPACT, and the Focus Block in North Central; in addition, she is a founding member of the Landlord Training Program; and WHEREAS, Owner of Olde Judge Mansion Bed & Breakfast, Tina Urzan has served guests from 31 different countries, some of whom requested long-term accommodations; and

WHEREAS, Tina Urzan has been called upon to contribute her time and talents to countless civic and charitable endeavors and has always given of herself unstintingly; and

WHEREAS, Throughout the entire period of her community service, a period of constructive involvement, Tina Urzan has stood constant in dignity, good grace and humor; and

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

WHEREAS, It is with great pleasure that this Legislative Body acknowledges this exceptional business and its contributions to the local and State economies, fully confident that it will continue to enjoy the sparkling successes it has experienced thus far; now, therefore, be it RESOLVED, That this Legislative Body pause in its deliberations to honor Tina Urzan upon the occasion of her designation as recipient of the Jeanette Dworkin Small Business Award by the Community Loan Fund; and be it further

RESOLVED, That a copy of this Resolution, suitably engrossed, be transmitted to Tina Urzan.