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LEGISLATIVE RESOLUTION commending John F. Kennedy Jr. School upon the occasion of hosting its 42nd Annual Spring Fair on May 20-21, 2014

WHEREAS, It is the sense of this Legislative Body to recognize and commend those institutions of commitment and high achievement whose purpose and endeavors prove a dedication to the pursuit of excellence in the education of the youth of this noble Empire State; and

WHEREAS, The steadfast and unyielding commitment of parents, educators and administrators to provide the highest quality education for students has become the hallmark and tradition of the John F. Kennedy Jr. School; and

WHEREAS, This Legislative Body is justly proud to commend John F. Kennedy Jr. School upon the occasion of hosting its 42nd Annual Spring Fair on Tuesday, May 20, 2014, and Wednesday, May 21, 2014 in Elmhurst, New York; this momentous occasion will be celebrated with food prepared by its culinary arts department, interactive games, student-generated arts and crafts projects, and musical entertainment; and

WHEREAS, The John F. Kennedy Jr. School is a special education public school serving an international community of young adult students from New York City; and

WHEREAS, With its main site located in Elmhurst, Queens, John F. Kennedy Jr. School has offsite inclusion programs at Information and Technology High School, Maspeth High School, and Queens College; and

WHEREAS, The John F. Kennedy Jr. School has been an integral part of the history of its community, representing a dynamic, responsive and positive force within the educational system of New York State; and

WHEREAS, The work-study classes at John F. Kennedy Jr. School provide services to numerous organizations throughout the community some of which include, Jamaica Hospital, Trump Pavilion for Nursing and Rehabil-

itation, Queens Community House, Hour Children Food Pantry, Queens Center for Progress, Lifespire, and the Salvation Army; and WHEREAS, The John F. Kennedy Jr. School is proudly aware of its distinguished past, eager to fulfill its present commitment to parents, students and the community, and planning with vision and purpose for the ebb and swell of growth and change it will encounter in the years to come; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That this Legislative Body pause in its deliberations to commend John F. Kennedy Jr. School upon the occasion of hosting its 42nd Annual Spring Fair on May 20-21, 2014; and be it further

RESOLVED, That a copy of this Resolution, suitably engrossed, be transmitted to John F. Kennedy Jr. School.