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LEGISLATIVE RESOLUTION congratulating Esther's House of Hope, Inc. upon the occasion of celebrating its 6th Anniversary on May 31, 2014

WHEREAS, It is the sense of this Legislative Body to recognize that the quality and character of life in the communities across New York State are reflective of the concerned and dedicated efforts of those organizations and individuals who would devote themselves to the welfare of the community and its citizenry; and

WHEREAS, Attendant to such concern, and in full accord with its long-standing traditions, this Legislative Body is justly proud to congratulate Esther's House of Hope, Inc. upon the occasion of celebrating its 6th Anniversary on Saturday, May 31, 2014; and

WHEREAS, Founded in 2008, Esther's House of Hope, Inc. is a faith-based organization that works across cultures to provide social welfare services, spiritual enrichment and financial literacy; with a special emphasis on young women, it promotes personal growth and development through mentorship and lifestyle travel tours; and

WHEREAS, This remarkable organization's purpose is to transform the lives of those it helps through programs designed to foster meaningful change; it provides disadvantaged women ages 18-25 with temporary shelter, coaching, mentorships, and educational empowerment; through its many services, they are equipped with the tools and self-confidence to take control of their lives, break negative cycles, and embody success; and

WHEREAS, Esther's House of Hope, Inc. has been the recipient of numerous awards and honors, including: the Congressional Achievement Award, the Lady of Impact Award, a Town of Hempstead Certificate of Recognition, and numerous New York City Council and State citations; and

WHEREAS, Esther's House of Hope, Inc. has become a solid cornerstone

of the community it serves; it stands ready to continue its important mission of restoring lives, extending hope and fulfilling visions for many years to come; and

WHEREAS, It is the custom of this Legislative Body that those who enhance the well-being and vitality of their community and have shown a long and sustained commitment to excellence 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, in recognition of the significance of this meritorious achievement, to congratulate and honor Esther's House of Hope, Inc. upon the occasion of celebrating its 6th Anniversary; and be it further

RESOLVED, That a copy of this Resolution, suitably engrossed, be transmitted to Esther's House of Hope, Inc.