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LEGISLATIVE RESOLUTION commending Human First upon the occasion of its 13th Anniversary Gala to be held October 2, 2014

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

WHEREAS, Attendant to such concern and fully in accord with its long-standing traditions, this Legislative Body is justly proud to commend Human First upon the occasion of its 13th Anniversary Gala to be held at Terrace on the Park, Flushing Meadows Park, on Thursday, October 2, 2014; and

WHEREAS, Human First is a multicultural organization focused on providing services to individuals with disabilities from underserved communities who have had a difficult time fitting into mainstream programs; and

WHEREAS, Its mission is to provide greater opportunities for individuals with special needs to achieve their personal goals; and

WHEREAS, Under the able leadership of CEO Wafa Abboud, Human First is a leader among multicultural and emerging organizations in New York State, serving over 1200 individuals; and

WHEREAS, It is the practice 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 to

commend Human First upon the occasion of its 13th Anniversary Gala to be held October 2, 2014; and be it further
RESOLVED, That a copy of this Resolution, suitably engrossed, be transmitted to Wafa Abboud, CEO, Human First.