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LEGISLATIVE RESOLUTION commemorating the 100th Anniversary of P.S. 94 David D. Porter School, Little Neck, New York, on May 29, 2015

WHEREAS, It is the sense of this Legislative Body to recognize and commend those institutions of true purpose and high achievement whose exemplary programs and accomplishments clearly demonstrate an enduring pursuit of excellence in the education of the youth of this noble Empire State; and

WHEREAS, Attendant to such concern, and in full accord with its long-standing traditions, this Legislative Body is justly proud to commemorate the 100th Anniversary of P.S. 94 David D. Porter School, Little Neck, New York, to be celebrated on Friday, May 29, 2015; and WHEREAS, In 1913, construction began on the P.S. 94 David D. Porter School, one of the few mission style buildings constructed in that era by renowned Architect C.B.J. Snyder; and

WHEREAS, In September of 1914, the school opened its door to students for the first time: and

WHEREAS, Throughout the last century P.S. 94 has lived up to its mission to foster a collaboration among parents, students and staff to enrich the learning experience of each child through high expectations, academic rigor and a thinking curriculum; and

WHEREAS, In an atmosphere rich with cultural diversity, it provides a differentiated program of instruction that sets the highest standards for all its children while celebrating individuality and encouraging creativity, preparing them to meet the academic and technological challenges of both the present and future; and

WHEREAS, Ably led by Principal Laura Avakians, P.S. 94 David D. Porter School is one of 22 public elementary schools in New York City Geographic District No. 26 which serves approximately 400 students grades

Kindergarten-5; 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 P.S. 94 David D. Porter School; and

WHEREAS, This Legislative Body is very pleased to have this opportunity to salute P.S. 94 David D. Porter School of Little Neck for its long history of purposeful endeavor which has greatly benefited the community of Queens, New York, and to wish this worthy organization continued success in future years; now, therefore, be it RESOLVED, That this Legislative Body pause in its deliberations to commemorate the 100th Anniversary of P.S. 94 David D. Porter School, Little Neck, New York, on May 29, 2015; and be it further RESOLVED, That a copy of this Resolution, suitably engrossed, be transmitted to Principal Laura Avakians, P.S. 94 David D. Porter School.