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LEGISLATIVE RESOLUTION commending Sharyn Kussin upon the occasion of her selection by The Sisterhood of Merrick Jewish Centre as the Torah Fund Breakfast honoree, on April 3, 2016

WHEREAS, It is the practice 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 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 honor Sharyn Kussin upon the occasion of her selection by The Sisterhood of Merrick Jewish Centre as the Torah Fund Breakfast honoree, to be celebrated on Sunday, April 3, 2016, at the Merrick Jewish Centre, Merrick, New York; and

WHEREAS, The Torah Fund Breakfast of The Sisterhood of the Merrick Jewish Centre is held annually to benefit the Jewish Theological Seminary in New York City, and to honor those sisters who have made contributions and commitment of themselves, and their time, to Sisterhood; and WHEREAS, Merrick Jewish Centre Sisterhood is a dynamic, inter-generational group of women who come together in friendship; their goals are to commit their talents and energy to the synagogue, to the community, and to tikkun olam - healing the world; and

WHEREAS, To achieve this goal, Sisterhood sponsors programs focusing on mitzvot, Israel, Jewish learning, and social activities which provide an outlet for everyone's creativity, leadership, and talents; Sisterhood allows each woman to expand and grow within a Jewish atmosphere; and WHEREAS, Sharyn Kussin 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, Sharyn Kussin has stood constant in dignity, good grace and humor; and

WHEREAS, It is the sense of this Legislative Body that those who enhance the quality of life in their community, with unremitting commitment, ceaseless devotion and spiritual resolve, 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 Sharyn Kussin upon the occasion of her selection by The Sisterhood of Merrick Jewish Centre as the Torah Fund Breakfast honoree; and be it further

RESOLVED, That a copy of this Resolution, suitably engrossed, be transmitted to Sharyn Kussin.