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LEGISLATIVE RESOLUTION commending Firefighter Glenn Davis upon the occasion of his designation as recipient of the Heroism Award by the Manorville Fire Department

WHEREAS, The firefighters of New York State are renowned throughout the Nation; their reputation is synonymous with excellence in the arduous field of fire protection and prevention; and

WHEREAS, Since the early days of "teapot steamers," the volunteer firefighter has been the cornerstone of our great Nation's efforts to spare us from the ravages of fire; and

WHEREAS, This Legislative Body is proud to commend Firefighter Glenn Davis upon the occasion of his designation as recipient of the Heroism Award by the Manorville Fire Department to be celebrated at its Annual Inspection Dinner on Saturday, April 30, 2016, at Majestic Gardens, Rocky Point, New York; and

WHEREAS, Firefighter Glenn Davis is receiving this auspicious award for his efforts on June 3, 2015, at JFK Airport while on duty as a TSA Agent when he saved a choking victim and administered CPR to save her life; and

WHEREAS, Volunteer firefighters and fire departments not only provide the critical service of fire protection but also engage in other activities of great benefit and importance to the communities they serve; and

WHEREAS, It takes a special dedication, a strong desire to help others and a tireless sense of community to forsake precious time with family and friends to respond to the signal that a neighbor is in need; Glenn Davis is such a firefighter; throughout his many years of devoted service, this volunteer heroically performed, above and beyond the call of duty, those responsibilities which define the task of fire protection; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That this Legislative Body pause in its deliberations to commend Firefighter Glenn Davis upon the occasion of his designation as recipient of the Heroism Award by the Manorville Fire Department; and be it further

RESOLVED, That a copy of this Resolution, suitably engrossed, be transmitted to Firefighter Glenn Davis.