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LEGISLATIVE RESOLUTION commemorating the 10th Anniversary of the DUMBO Improvement District

WHEREAS, It is the sense of this Legislative Body to recognize the dedicated efforts and achievements of those organizations that substantially contribute to the liveliness and well-being of the community; and WHEREAS, Attendant to such concern, and in full accord with its long-standing traditions, this Legislative Body is justly proud to commemorate the 10th Anniversary of the DUMBO Improvement District; and WHEREAS, Guided by the leadership of Alexandria Sica, the DUMBO Improvement District has become a significant community development organization in the City of New York; and

WHEREAS, The DUMBO Improvement District is one of Brooklyn's largest business improvement groups, providing a model of how to serve residents, businesses, and visitors alike; and

WHEREAS, The DUMBO Improvement District has been working to enhance the quality of life in the community by providing a clean, safe, and vibrant neighborhood; and

WHEREAS, The DUMBO Improvement District has worked tirelessly in collaboration with other community organizations in the Brooklyn Tech Triangle to transform the neighborhood into a dynamic space that welcomes entrepreneurs and contributes to the local innovation economy; and

WHEREAS, The DUMBO Improvement District has invested in the community in both the short and long-term, in a myriad of ways, from making DUMBO one of the first neighborhoods to have free wireless internet service, to supporting a wide variety of cultural programs, to its community advocacy; and

WHEREAS, It is the custom of this Legislative Body that those individ-

uals and organizations which strengthen the well-being and prosperity of their community and have shown a long and sustained commitment to excellence have earned the recognition and gratitude of all the citizens of this great Empire State; and

WHEREAS, It is with great pleasure that this Legislative Body acknowledges the many contributions of the DUMBO Improvement District, and wishes this valuable organization continued success in its mission to advance the communities it represents; now, therefore, be it RESOLVED, That this Legislative Body pause in its deliberations to commemorate the 10th Anniversary of the DUMBO Improvement District; and be it further

RESOLVED, That a copy of this Resolution, suitably engrossed, be transmitted to the DUMBO Improvement District.