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LEGISLATIVE RESOLUTION commending Florence Licurse upon the occasion of her designation as recipient of the Senior Recognition Honor by the Town of North Hempstead on May 17, 2016

WHEREAS, Senior citizens bring a wealth of experience and knowledge to the increasingly active roles they play in today's society; their past contributions and future participation are a vital part of, and valuable asset to, the fabric of community life and activity; and WHEREAS, This Legislative Body is justly proud to commend Florence Licurse upon the occasion of her designation as recipient of the Senior Recognition Honor by the Town of North Hempstead to be celebrated with a Luncheon on Tuesday, May 17, 2016, at Harbor Links Golf Course, Port Washington, New York; and

WHEREAS, Members of older generations have helped build and shape our Nation to be the greatest in the world; they have defended our freedoms and values to ensure that those who come after them may have better lives; nowhere in the Nation is the legacy of their efforts more visible and more a part of the lives of all citizens than here in the State of New York; and

WHEREAS, This esteemed woman 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, Florence Licurse, affectionately known as Flo, has been an active member of the Mineola Golden Age Club since 2004; she became Chairperson of the club's Outreach Program in March of 2012, where she is responsible for the transportation of volunteers to local nursing homes such as Sun Harbor, Sands Point and Highland Gardens; and WHEREAS, In addition to coordinating transportation, Florence Licurse leads the group in singing favorite old songs, telling jokes and, most

important of all, making sure the patients join in the festivities; and WHEREAS, Florence Licurse leads the club members in singing "God Bless America" at various events and volunteers to do the inspirational readings at the club meetings; she has also put on a one woman show and has won an Entertainer's Trophy; and

WHEREAS, Throughout the entire period of her community service, a period of constructive involvement, Florence Licurse has stood constant in dignity, good grace and humor; and

WHEREAS, Rare indeed is the impressive dedication shown by an individual for the benefit of others which Florence Licurse has displayed throughout her life; and

WHEREAS, Florence Licurse, a very active and industrious woman, has inspired and enriched the lives of those she serves through her volunteerism, generously sharing the wisdom gained over years of experiencing life to its fullest; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That this Legislative Body pause in its deliberations to commend Florence Licurse upon the occasion of her designation as recipient of the Senior Recognition Honor by the Town of North Hempstead on May 17, 2016; and be it further

RESOLVED, That a copy of this Resolution, suitably engrossed, be transmitted to Florence Licurse.