

## 2015-K1341

LEGISLATIVE RESOLUTION commending the New York League of Conservation Voters upon the occasion of hosting its Annual Spring Gala, and paying tribute to this year's honorees on May 16, 2016

WHEREAS, It is the sense of this Legislative Body that the continuing welfare of the citizens of the State of New York is greatly enriched and reliably served by the purposeful endeavors of organizations which are committed to the preservation of our natural environment and the enhancement of the appreciation of the distinctive features of our surroundings, and to the economic well-being of the areas in which they exist; and

WHEREAS, Attendant to such concern, and in full accord with its long-standing traditions, this Legislative Body is justly proud to commend the New York League of Conservation Voters upon the occasion of hosting its Annual Spring Gala, and paying tribute to this year's honorees on Monday, May 16, 2016, at Pier Sixty at Chelsea Piers, New York, New York; and

WHEREAS, This auspicious occasion brings together an exciting group of business leaders, elected officials and environmental partners to celebrate and support the work the New York League of Conservation Voters (NYLCV) has accomplished throughout the year; and

WHEREAS, In addition, the NYLCV will proudly recognize Stephen Ross of Related Companies and The New Jewish Home for their steadfast and unremitting commitment to promoting cleaner, greener communities; and

WHEREAS, Under the luminous leadership of President, Marcia Bystryn, NYLCV is the only statewide environmental organization in New York which fights for clean water, clean air, renewable energy and open space through political action; and

WHEREAS, It is incumbent upon all citizens to recognize and applaud

the efforts of organizations such as the New York League of Conservation Voters which work tirelessly on behalf of protecting our natural surroundings for the benefit of present and future generations of New Yorkers; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That this Legislative Body pause in its deliberations to commend the New York League of Conservation Voters upon the occasion of hosting its Annual Spring Gala, and paying tribute to this year's honorees on May 16, 2016; and be it further

RESOLVED, That a copy of this Resolution, suitably engrossed, be transmitted to Marcia Bystryn, President, the New York League of Conservation Voters.