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Senate Resolution No. 1487

BY: Senator PHILLIPS

HONORING Emilia Asaro upon the occasion of her designation for special recognition in conjunction with the observance of National Library Workers Day

WHEREAS, It is the custom of this Legislative Body to recognize that the quality and character of life in the communities across the great State of New York is reflective of certain exemplary institutions and individuals whose purpose is dedicated to serving the community and the needs of 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 Emilia Asaro upon the occasion of her designation for special recognition in conjunction with the observance of National Library Workers Day, to be celebrated on Tuesday, April 11, 2017, in Mineola, New York; and

WHEREAS, National Library Workers Day (NLWD) is a day for library staff, users, administrators and Friends groups to recognize the valuable contributions made by all library workers; and

WHEREAS, On January 23, 2003, a resolution was proposed to recognize the hard work, dedication, and expertise of library support staff and librarians on the Tuesday of National Library Week, and to designate

this day as National Library Workers Day; and

WHEREAS, A member of the East Williston Library team since 2001, Emilia Asaro is intelligent, patient and kind, making her a truly remarkable library worker; and

WHEREAS, Emilia Asaro has a loyal following of patrons at the East Williston Library, and she is especially great at helping the children find special books; in addition, she is highly valued for her library technical skills and is excellent at training new employees and volunteers; and

WHEREAS, The success of the East Williston Library is in direct correlation to the efforts of Emilia Asaro, whose involvement is, and always has been, characterized by an impressive commitment, an unbridled enthusiasm, and an uncompromising standard of excellence in all endeavors on behalf of the library and the community it serves; and

WHEREAS, This auspicious occasion presents an opportunity for this Legislative Body to recognize and pay tribute to Emilia Asaro; and

WHEREAS, It is the sense of this Legislative Body that when individuals of such noble aims and accomplishments are brought to our attention, they should be recognized and applauded by all the citizens of this great Empire State; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That this Legislative Body pause in its deliberations to honor Emilia Asaro upon the occasion of her designation for special recognition in conjunction with the observance of National Library Workers Day; and be it further

RESOLVED, That a copy of this Resolution, suitably engrossed, be transmitted to Emilia Asaro.