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Senate Resolution No. 2442

BY: Senator PHILLIPS

HONORING Firefighter Steven Moon upon the occasion of his designation for special recognition after 25 years of dedicated service to the Floral Park Centre Fire Company

WHEREAS, Citizens across our State and Nation are inspired by and indebted to our noble volunteer firefighters who exhibit courage and bravery every day in the course of their duties; and

WHEREAS, Volunteer firefighters exemplify the power of human compassion and the strength of the American spirit through actions of the most heroic magnitude; their sacrifices and their selfless dedication merit tribute and recognition by all citizens of this great country; and

WHEREAS, This Legislative Body is justly proud to honor Firefighter Steven Moon upon the occasion of his designation for special recognition after 25 years of dedicated service to the Floral Park Centre Fire Company, to be celebrated at its Annual Installation Dinner on Friday, June 2, 2017, at the New Hyde Park Inn; and

WHEREAS, Steven Moon joined the Floral Park Centre Fire Company in January of 1992; throughout his 25 years of service, he has held several positions within the Department including Chief of Department and as

Commissioner of the Board of Directors; and

WHEREAS, In addition, he has been active in department operations, and has served as a trainer during drills; and

WHEREAS, Firefighters unwaveringly serve our great State with pride, valor, and integrity; these respected volunteers are often the first to respond to an emergency, whether the emergency is a fire, transportation accident, natural disaster, act of terrorism, medical crisis, or spill of hazardous materials; 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; Steven Moon is such a firefighter; throughout 25 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 honor Firefighter Steven Moon upon the occasion of his designation for special recognition after 25 years of dedicated service to the Floral Park Centre Fire Company; and be it further

RESOLVED, That a copy of this Resolution, suitably engrossed, be transmitted to Firefighter Steven Moon.