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Senate Resolution No. 3606

BY: Senator PHILLIPS

HONORING outgoing Chief Ann Mullooly upon the occasion of her designation for special recognition after 30 years of dedicated service to the New Hyde Park Fire Department

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 outgoing Chief Ann Mullooly upon the occasion of her designation for special recognition after 30 years of dedicated service to the New Hyde Park Fire Department, to be celebrated at its 108th Annual Inspection Dinner on Saturday, April 14, 2018, at The Inn at New Hyde Park; and

WHEREAS, Ann Mullooly joined the New Hyde Park Fire Department in 1988, during which time she became a member of Rescue Company 174; and

WHEREAS, Five years later, Ann Mullooly transferred to the Estates Engine Company 173, where she rose through the officers ranks to Captain; and

WHEREAS, With a steadfast and unwavering dedication to firefighting, Ann Mullooly began her rise through the Chief's hierarchy in 2013, before her election as Chief of Department, the esteemed position she held until 2017; and

WHEREAS, As a member of the New Hyde Park Fire Department, Ann Mullooly has been the proud recipient of such awards and accolades as Firefighter of the Year and multiple EMS lifesaving awards; and

WHEREAS, Ann Mullooly has further served the people of the State of New York through her 30-year professional career with FDNY/EMS as an officer in the Special Operations Command; 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; Ann Mullooly is such a firefighter; throughout three decades 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 outgoing Chief Ann Mullooly upon the occasion of her designation for special recognition after 30 years of dedicated service to the New Hyde Park Fire Department; and be it further

RESOLVED, That a copy of this Resolution, suitably engrossed, be transmitted to outgoing Chief Ann Mullooly.