

Proclamation

HONORING FRANK'S PHARMACY

WHEREAS, A GREAT STATE IS ONLY AS GREAT AS ITS CITIZENS AND ORGANIZATIONS WHO PERFORM EXEMPLARY SERVICES ON BEHALF OF THEIR COMMUNITIES, WHETHER THROUGH VOLUNTEERISM AND PHILANTHROPY, PROFESSIONAL ACHIEVEMENTS, OR SIMPLY THROUGH GOOD CITIZENSHIP; AND

WHEREAS, IT IS THE PRIVILEGE OF THIS LEGISLATIVE BODY TO HONOR FRANK'S PHARMACY FOR ITS EXTRAORDINARY SERVICE TO THE COMMUNITY AND STATE AND TO PROCLAIM OCTOBER 25, 2014 FRANK'S PHARMACY DAY; AND

WHEREAS, FRANK'S PHARMACY IS A BELOVED FAMILY OWNED BUSINESS THAT HAS PROUDLY SERVED JACKSON HEIGHTS, WOODSIDE AND ELMHURST SINCE 1991. FRANK'S PHARMACY'S COMMITMENT TO CUTTING-EDGE CARE COMBINED WITH OLD-FASHIONED SERVICE HAS DISTINGUISHED FRANK'S AS A TRUE NEIGHBORHOOD INSTITUTION UNDER THE LEADERSHIP OF ITS FOUNDER, FRANK BUONAGURIO JR., A LIFE-LONG QUEENS RESIDENT AND A PROLIFIC PHILANTHROPIST. WHEN A FIVE-ALARM FIRE IN THE BRUSON BUILDING DESTROYED THE PHARMACY, IT COULD EASILY HAVE MEANT THE END OF THIS PILLAR OF OUR COMMUNITY. HOWEVER, FRANK BUONAGURIO'S DEDICATION TO SERVING THE PEOPLE OF QUEENS, BUOYED BY AN INCREDIBLE OUTPOURING OF SUPPORT, LEAD HIM TO DO EVERYTHING IN HIS POWER TO SWIFTLY REOPEN FRANK'S PHARMACY, ENSURING THAT THE PEOPLE OF THIS COMMUNITY WILL GET THE CARE THEY DESERVE FOR MANY YEARS TO COME; AND

WHEREAS, SUCH SERVICE, IS TRULY THE LIFEBLOOD OF THE COMMUNITY; AND

WHEREAS, FRANK'S PHARMACY EFFORTS HAVE TOUCHED THE LIVES OF COUNTLESS PEOPLE AND ARE WORTHY OF SPECIAL RECOGNITION; AND


WHEREAS, IT IS THE BELIEF OF THIS LEGISLATIVE BODY THAT WHEN ORGANIZATIONS OF SUCH NOBLE AIMS AND ACCOMPLISHMENTS ARE BROUGHT TO OUR ATTENTION, IT IS APPROPRIATE TO PUBLICLY PROCLAIM AND COMMEND THOSE ORGANIZATIONS FOR THE EDIFICATION AND EMULATION OF OTHERS; NOW THEREFORE, BE IT

RESOLVED, THAT I, STATE SENATOR JOSE PERALTA, RECOGNIZE THAT IN THE FRANK'S PHARMACY WE HAVE AN ORGANIZATION WORTHY OF OUR HIGHEST RESPECT AND ESTEEM; AND BE IT FURTHER

RESOLVED, THAT I, JOSE PERALTA, DULY ELECTED MEMBER OF THE NEW YORK STATE SENATE FROM THE 13TH DISTRICT, COUNTY OF QUEENS, CITY AND STATE OF NEW YORK, DO HEREBY DECLARE AND RESOLVE THAT OCTOBER 25, 2014 SHALL BE DECLARED FRANK'S PHARMACY DAY AND THAT A COPY OF THIS PROCLAMATION BE TRANSMITTED TO THE FRANK'S PHARMACY DURING TODAY'S EVENT



DATED: *OCTOBER 25, 2014*
IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I HAVE HEREUNTO
SET MY HAND AND SIGNATURE


JOSE PERALTA
NEW YORK STATE SENATE
DISTRICT 13, QUEENS