

LEGISLATIVE RESOLUTION commending the Rotary Club of Flushing upon the occasion of its designation for special recognition by the Poppenhusen Institute

WHEREAS, From time to time this Legislative Body takes note of certain extraordinary organizations it wishes to recognize for their valued contributions to the success and progress of society and publicly acknowledge their endeavors which have enhanced the basic humanity among us all; and

WHEREAS, Attendant to such concern, and in full accord with its long-standing traditions, this Legislative Body is justly proud to commend the Rotary Club of Flushing upon the occasion of its designation for special recognition by the Poppenhusen Institute, to be celebrated at its Spring Dinner on Saturday, May 11, 2013, in College Point, New York; and

WHEREAS, Established in 1953 and celebrating its 60th Anniversary in 2013, the Rotary Club of Flushing provides civic minded professionals with an enjoyable and organized way to support its community and the needy areas of the world; the Club is a longtime supporter of Poppenhusen Institute; and

WHEREAS, In addition, the Rotary Club of Flushing is an advocate of many community organizations such as Ronald McDonald House, Bayside Little League, New York Hospital Queens and Child Center of New York just to name a few; the Club stands out as a leader, where its members regularly travel internationally to help alleviate poverty by providing housing support, access to clean water, all in support of the Gift of Life program; and

WHEREAS, The Rotary Club of Flushing also infuses young people with the community service spirit by spearheading an annual scholarship award program to local high schools; and

WHEREAS, A true asset to society, the Rotary Club of Flushing's distinguished record merits the recognition and respectful tribute of this Legislative Body; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That this Legislative Body pause in its deliberations to commend the Rotary Club of Flushing upon the occasion of its designation for special recognition by the Poppenhusen Institute; and be it further

RESOLVED, That a copy of this Resolution, suitably engrossed, be transmitted to the Rotary Club of Flushing.