LEGISLATIVE RESOLUTION commending Saul Kupferberg upon the occasion of his designation for special honor by the Queens Botanical Garden on June $6,\ 2013$

WHEREAS, Individuals who give of their time and energies and serve the best interests of their communities are an asset beyond remuneration and cannot be sufficiently extolled; and

WHEREAS, Saul Kupferberg has given not only of his time and energies but also of his competence, intelligence and leadership and consequently has been designated for special honor; and

WHEREAS, This Legislative Body is justly proud to commend Saul Kupferberg upon the occasion of his designation for special honor by the Queens Botanical Garden, to be celebrated at its 18th Annual Rose Gala on Thursday, June 6, 2013; and

WHEREAS, The Queens Botanical Garden is an urban oasis where people, plants and cultures are celebrated through inspiring gardens, innovative educational programs and demonstrations of environmental stewardship; and

WHEREAS, Saul Kupferberg has an Artium Baccalaureatus degree from Trinity College, as well as a Master of Arts degree from Dropsie College of Hebrew and Cognate Learning; and

WHEREAS, Saul Kupferberg has been affiliated with Kepco, Inc., a family-owned manufacturer of electronic equipment, since 1988; he now holds the position of Vice President of Sales and Marketing; and

WHEREAS, Active within his community, Saul Kupferberg is Treasurer and a Board Member of Queens Botanical Garden, Chair of the Queens College Arts Advisory Council, and Board Member of the Queens College Foundation; and

WHEREAS, With him throughout has been his wife, Gail Coleman Kupferberg, who feels privileged to be a part of his life and rejoices in his achievements; and

WHEREAS, Rare indeed is the impressive dedication shown by an individual for the benefit of others which Saul Kupferberg has displayed throughout his life; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That this Legislative Body pause in its deliberations to commend Saul Kupferberg upon the occasion of his designation for special honor by the Queens Botanical Garden on June 6, 2013; and be it further

RESOLVED, That a copy of this Resolution, suitably engrossed, be transmitted to Saul Kupferberg.