LEGISLATIVE RESOLUTION commending Dr. Hal Teitelbaum upon the occasion of his designation as recipient of the Leadership in Business Award by SUNY Orange Foundation

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, Dr. Hal Teitelbaum 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 Dr. Hal Teitelbaum upon the occasion of his designation as recipient of the Leadership in Business Award by SUNY Orange Foundation; he will be celebrated at the foundation's 8th Annual Leadership Awards Ceremony, featuring The Spirit of Entrepreneurship, on Thursday, April 10, 2014, on the SUNY Orange Newburgh, New York, campus; and

WHEREAS, Hal Teitelbaum, MD, JD, MBA, is the founder, managing partner, and chief executive officer of Crystal Run Healthcare, a premier multi-specialty group medical practice serving the mid-Hudson Valley and Catskill regions of New York State; and

WHEREAS, Crystal Run Healthcare was founded in 1996, and today includes more than 250 physicians and more than 300 healthcare providers practicing in 40 specialties at 16 sites in its service area; this dynamic health organization continues to be one of the fastest growing medical practices in the region; and

WHEREAS, Dr. Hal Teitelbaum is board certified in internal medicine, medical oncology, and hematology; he completed his training in internal medicine at New York Hospital-Cornell Medical Center, and his training in medical oncology and hematology at Memorial Sloan-Kettering Cancer Center; committed to broadening his expertise, he earned a master's degree in business administration from Columbia Business School in 1998, and a Juris doctor degree from Columbia Law School in 2012; and

WHEREAS, Throughout the entire period of his community service, a period of constructive involvement, Dr. Hal Teitelbaum has stood constant in dignity, good grace and humor; and

WHEREAS, This compassionate healer has dedicated himself to the ongoing improvement of access to and quality of health care in the community he serves; his vision, business acumen, and commitment to excellence have enhanced the lives of countless individuals and merit the recognition of the citizens of this great Empire State; and

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

RESOLVED, That this Legislative Body pause in its deliberations to commend Dr. Hal Teitelbaum upon the occasion of his designation as recipient of the Leadership in Business Award by SUNY Orange Foundation; and be it further

RESOLVED, That a copy of this Resolution, suitably engrossed, be transmitted to Dr. Hal Teitelbaum.