

**BY:** Senator KAPLAN

**CONGRATULATING** Traci S. Caines upon the occasion of being inducted into the 28th Annual May W. Newburger Women's Roll of Honor by the Town of North Hempstead, in conjunction with the observance of Women's History Month

**WHEREAS,** It is the custom of this Legislative Body to recognize and pay tribute to those women of achievement within this great Empire State who have made strong contributions to their communities and who inspire others through their model citizenship; and

**WHEREAS,** Attendant to such concern, and in full accord with its long-standing traditions, this Legislative Body is justly proud to congratulate Traci S. Caines upon the occasion of being inducted into the 28th Annual May W. Newburger Women's Roll of Honor by the Town of North Hempstead, in conjunction with the observance of Women's History Month; and

**WHEREAS,** Since 1994, the Town of North Hempstead has honored women who have made a contribution to their community, or have accomplished a significant achievement through public or private efforts; Traci S. Caines is one such woman; and

**WHEREAS,** Traci S. Caines is an advocate for her community and is a promoter for change, advancements and investments that improve and advance causes close to her heart; she is a champion of children's rights and is the personification of philanthropic and selflessness; and

**WHEREAS,** Born and raised in Nassau County, Traci S. Caines has always understood the importance of serving the community; from her early involvement in Class Government, Operation Pride, Lady Devils Athletics and Chorale, she was definitely a standout student-leader at Freeport High School; and

**WHEREAS,** Upon completion of high school, Traci S. Caines attended Nassau Community College before being accepted to New York University where she studied Organizational Behavior and Communications; throughout her years of study, her civic-minded nature continued to manifest itself in her church involvement; and

**WHEREAS,** It is the sense of this Legislative Body that when individuals of such noble aims and accomplishments are brought to our attention, they should be celebrated and recognized by all the citizens of the State of New York; now, therefore, be it

**RESOLVED,** That this Legislative Body pause in its deliberations to congratulate Traci S. Caines upon the occasion of being inducted into the 28th Annual May W. Newburger Women's Roll of Honor by the Town of North Hempstead, in conjunction with the observance of Women's History Month; and be it further

**RESOLVED,** That a copy of this Resolution, suitably engrossed, be transmitted to Traci S. Caines.