

Senate Resolution No. 1201

BY: Senator PARKER

COMMENDING the 67th Precinct Clergy Council upon the occasion of hosting its 15th Annual Anniversary Gala on June 18, 2025

WHEREAS, It is the custom of this Legislative Body to recognize and commend those exceptional organizations whose enduring commitment to service, advocacy, and community collaboration strengthens the social fabric of New York State; and

WHEREAS, Attendant to such concern, and in full accord with its long-standing traditions, this Legislative Body is proud to commend the 67th Precinct Clergy Council upon the occasion of hosting its 15th Annual Anniversary Gala, to be held on Wednesday, June 18, 2025; and

WHEREAS, For fifteen years, the 67th Precinct Clergy Council, also known as the "GodSquad," has been a pillar of support and leadership within the Flatbush community, working tirelessly to promote peace, address critical issues, and foster unity among residents, law enforcement, and faith leaders; and

WHEREAS, This year's Gala is graced by the presence of Emmy Award-winning journalist and advocate Alecia Reid, who will serve as Master of Ceremonies; an esteemed correspondent for CBS New York and a passionate champion of sustainability, social justice, and environmental advocacy, Alecia Reid embodies the spirit of empowerment and positive change celebrated by this event; and

WHEREAS, Through its annual Gala and other initiatives, the 67th Precinct Clergy Council continues to uplift the community, providing a platform to highlight voices, celebrate progress, and support programs that enhance public safety, social justice, and community well-being; and

WHEREAS, Under the dedicated leadership of its clergy members and supporters, the GodSquad has become synonymous with compassion, resilience, and transformative action, ensuring that its legacy of service continues to inspire and make an impact; and

WHEREAS, It is fitting that this Legislative Body recognize and commend the 67th Precinct Clergy Council for its fifteen years of dedicated service and for hosting this year's Anniversary Gala, a testament to its ongoing commitment to justice, unity, and hope; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That this Legislative Body pause in its deliberations to commend the 67th Precinct Clergy Council upon the occasion of hosting its 15th Annual Anniversary Gala, and to commend its visionary leadership and supporters for their vital contributions to the Flatbush community and beyond; and be it further

RESOLVED, That a copy of this Resolution, suitably engrossed, be transmitted to the 67th Precinct Clergy Council for this momentous occasion.