LEGISLATIVE RESOLUTION commending Chaplain Emeritus Thomas Tobin upon the occasion of his designation for special recognition after 50 years of dedicated service to Protection Fire Company No.1

WHEREAS, The character and richness of religious and community life in this noble Empire State is nourished and fulfilled through the faithful concern and selfless devotion of those who would commit their energies and purpose to the ministry of others; and

WHEREAS, It is the sense of this Legislative Body to bring full recognition and just tribute to those individuals who distinguish themselves and the ministry through their unremitting commitment and preeminence of service; and

WHEREAS, Attendant to such concern, and in full accord with its long-standing traditions, this Legislative Body is justly proud to commend Chaplain Emeritus Thomas Tobin upon the occasion of his designation for special recognition after 50 years of dedicated service to the Port Washington Fire Department to be celebrated at its Annual Installation/Inspection ceremony on Saturday, April 2, 2016; and

WHEREAS, For the past five decades, Chaplain Emeritus Thomas Tobin has been an integral part Protection Fire Company No.1; and

WHEREAS, Chaplain Emeritus Thomas Tobin has been called upon to contribute his time and talents to countless civic and charitable endeavors and has always given of himself unstintingly; and

WHEREAS, This distinguished man of God has always given enlightenment, guidance and wisdom to the many entrusted to his care and has administered abundantly and unstintingly to the spiritual and corporal needs of all; and

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

RESOLVED, That this Legislative Body pause in its deliberations to commend Chaplain Emeritus Thomas Tobin for 50 years of distinguished service to the Potection Fire Company No.1; and be it further

RESOLVED, That a copy of this Resolution, suitably engrossed, be transmitted to Chaplain Emeritus Thomas Tobin.