BY: Senator STAVISKY

COMMEMORATING the 54th Anniversary of **Sing Tao Daily** New York

WHEREAS, It is the sense of this Legislative Body to pay tribute to those illustrious journalistic entities which have diligently and consistently, year after year, recorded the history of their communities and brought local news and news of the larger world to their readers; and

WHEREAS, Attendant to such concern, and in full accord with its long-standing traditions, this Legislative Body is justly proud to commemorate the 54th Anniversary of Sing Tao Daily New York; and

WHEREAS, On August 1, 2019, Sing Tao Daily New York will celebrate its 54th year of journalistic contribution and service to the Chinese American community on the east coast of the United States; and

WHEREAS, Having opened its first overseas office in the United States in 1965, Sing Tao Daily is the only Chinese media corporation publishing on four continents; and

WHEREAS, Sing Tao Daily news engages long-time and recently arrived Chinese Americans, as well as students and visitors from China, Taiwan, Hong Kong and Southeast Asia; and

WHEREAS, Sing Tao Daily news is committed to charitable endeavors in the arts, cultural activities, and disaster relief in cooperation with civic and social groups in cooperation with the Chinese-American community; and

WHEREAS, While seeking to create a link to the Chinese homeland for the overseas Chinese community, it also informs Chinese Americans about the culture and events of their new home; and

WHEREAS, With 13 local editions in major cities across the globe, Sing Tao Daily seeks to forge strong ties between its publications and the Chinese communities it serves; and

WHEREAS, Sing Tao Daily New York, which has received numerous awards including the IPPIES Award from the Independent Press Association, is a highly acclaimed ethnic and community publication; and

WHEREAS, It is with great pleasure that this Legislative Body acknowledges Sing Tao Daily's distinguished journalist history and its outstanding record of growth and achievement, recognizes its contributions to the local and State economies, and extends its highest commendation to the newspaper and its employees, fully confident that, in its future, it will enjoy the same success which has so characterized its past; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That this Legislative Body pause in its deliberations to commemorate the 54th Anniversary of **Sing Tao Daily** New York; and be it further

RESOLVED, That a copy of this Resolution, suitably engrossed, be transmitted to **Sing Tao Daily** New York.