Senate Resolution No. 1972

BY: Senator PARKER

COMMENDING the United for Progress Democratic Club upon the occasion of hosting its Annual Awards Dinner on April 26, 2026

WHEREAS, It is the sense of this Legislative Body to recognize and pay tribute to those organizations of high purpose and worthy accomplishment whose commitment to democratic participation, civic engagement, and community empowerment has enriched the political and civic life of the State of New York; and

WHEREAS, Attendant to such concern, and in full accord with its long-standing traditions, this Legislative Body is justly proud to commend the United for Progress Democratic Club upon the occasion of its Annual Awards Dinner on Sunday, April 26, 2026; and

WHEREAS, The United for Progress Democratic Club has long stood as a pillar of grassroots democratic organizing in its community, working steadfastly to ensure that the voices of its neighbors are heard in the halls of government, that civic participation is accessible to all, and that the democratic process serves as a genuine vehicle for community uplift and progress; and

WHEREAS, The club's commitment to honoring those who have served their communities with distinction reflects its deep understanding that the health of our democracy depends not only on elections but on the sustained engagement of citizens, leaders, and advocates who show up year after year to do the work of building a more just and equitable society; and

WHEREAS, The Annual Awards Dinner serves as both a celebration of past achievement and a renewed call to action, bringing together elected officials, civic leaders, community members, and supporters in a spirit of shared purpose and collective commitment to the values of the Democratic Party and the communities it serves; and

WHEREAS, This Legislative Body is proudly moved to honor the United for Progress Democratic Club, its leadership, its membership, and its honorees, whose work demonstrates that progress is not the province of any single election cycle but the product of sustained, principled, and passionate community organizing; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That this Legislative Body pause in its deliberations to commend the United for Progress Democratic Club upon the occasion of its Annual Awards Dinner on April 26, 2026, and to extend sincere congratulations to its honorees and appreciation to all who have contributed to the club's enduring mission; and be it further

RESOLVED, That copies of this Resolution, suitably engrossed, be transmitted to the officers and members of the United for Progress Democratic Club, in recognition of their steadfast commitment to

democratic engagement and community service.