

RESOLUTION HONORING ELAINE KEVGAS FOR HER DECADES OF SERVICE

WHEREAS, ELAINE KEVGAS has dedicated a lifetime of service to her family, community and to the Daughters of Penelope without missing a beat; *and*

HEREAS, ELAINE KEVGAS' commitment has been and continues with her never-ending support for the Daughters of Penelope and it all started in 1971 with her dedicated efforts to establish DOP Pallas Chapter #330 in Lawrence, MA; *and*

WHEREAS, ELAINE KEVGAS served the chapter rising through the ranks with an unwavering zeal propelling her to the DOP Bay State District 8 Lodge where she served in every District position until her election in 1977 as District Governor and she was re-elected as District Governor seven (7) additional times; *and*

WHEREAS, ELAINE KEVGAS' service to the DOP continued on the national level when she was elected DOP Grand Governor Zone 1 in 1979, Grand Treasurer in 1980, Grand Secretary in 1981 and Grand Vice President in 1982; *and*

WHEREAS, ELAINE KEVGAS was elected as Daughters of Penelope Grand President in 1983 having reached the highest office of the organization; a testament to her leadership becoming the youngest elected Grand President since Alexandra Apostolides became the first Grand President in 1931; *and*

WHEREAS, ELAINE KEVGAS is still going strong supporting her family, her community, Saint Constantine and Helen Greek Orthodox Church in Andover, Greek Ladies Philoptochos Society and her beloved Whittier Technical High School where she serves as Librarian and of course, she is currently serving as DOP Bay State District 8 Lt. Governor; **NOW THEREFORE BE IT**

RESOLVED: That the Boston City Council extends its wholehearted congratulations and recognizes **ELAINE KEVGAS** for her decades of service to the Daughters of Penelope and to the AHEPA Family offering its sincerest gratitude and best wishes for continued good health, happiness and success; **AND BE IT FURTHER**

RESOLVED: That the Boston City Council unanimously declares **Saturday, March 28, 2026 as Elaine Kevgas Day in the City of Boston**; that this Resolution be duly signed by the President of the City Council and attested to and a copy thereof transmitted by the Clerk of the City of Boston.