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Council Member Annabel Palma
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February 28, 2010

Dear Council Member Palma:

The League of Humane Voters® of New York fully supports the legislation proposed by you in New York City Council Resolution 1872-2009 which makes psittacine birds, especially Quaker Parrots, protected birds.

The enactment of your resolution would provide for the protection of Quaker Parrots which have established themselves as naturalized citizens in New York City. As other naturalized citizens in New York City, these delightful additions to the environment are deserving of protection and support. Although some call them an "invasive species," there are no known negative impacts by Quaker Parrots. Quaker Parrots are not prolific breeders, and do not leave the general area into which they are born. They do not threaten, or impact in a destructive manner, other birds species, animal species, trees or plants.

Many New Yorkers delight in watching these beautiful parrots. They are not considered pests, or detrimental to human interests.

We thank you for sponsoring this important legislation.

Sincerely,

Peter Muller
Chair,
The League of Humane Voters® of New York

Mission Statement of the League of Humane Voters®

The Mission of the League of Humane Voters® (LOHV) is to create, unite, and strengthen local political action committees, which work to enact animal-friendly legislation and elect candidates for public office who will use their votes and influence for animal protection.

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Dear Council Member Vacca:

The League of Humane Voters® of New York fully supports the legislation proposed by you in New York City Council Resolution 1872-2009 which makes psittacine birds, especially Quaker Parrots, protected birds.

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February 28, 2010

Dear Council Member Gennaro:

The League of Humane Voters® of New York fully supports the legislation proposed in New York City Council Resolution 1872-2009, sponsored by Council Member Annabel Palma and Council Member James Vacca, which is currently before your Committee. The resolution makes psittacine birds, especially Quaker Parrots, protected birds.

We are counting on your support of this important legislative proposal by placing it on the Environmental Protection Committee agenda as soon as possible, and urging a favorable report on this resolution from your committee members.

The enactment of this resolution would provide for the protection of Quaker Parrots which have established themselves as naturalized citizens in New York City. As other naturalized citizens in New York City, these delightful additions to our environment are deserving of protection and support. Although some call them an "invasive species," there are no known negative impacts by Quaker Parrots. Quaker Parrots are not prolific breeders, and do not leave the general area into which they are born. They do not threaten, or impact in a destructive manner, other birds species, animal species, trees or plants.

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We hope for your support of this important legislation.

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