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Hofstra University President Susan Poser 101 Hofstra University Hempstead, New York 11550

Re: Hofstra University Gala

## Greetings!

I am beyond thrilled and excited to send this letter of congratulations to Hofstra University for the occasion of your annual Gala.

I am happy to join many others in celebrating the amazing works and contributions of Dr. Kathleen Gallo, the Founding Dean and Professor of Hofstra Northwell School of Nursing and Physician Assistant Studies. Dr. Gallo is a pioneer in healthcare and education. Her years of service has changed and transformed the lives of countless individual. This honor is so fitting and well deserved.

Leaders like Dr. Kathleen Gallo are genuine gifts to humanity. She continues to give so much to make our communities better, set the standard for excellence, and deposit so much in the lives of aspiring medical professionals. The Incorporated Village of Hempstead joins with our Hofstra University family and the throngs of others locally and nationally to recognize the work of Dr. Kathleen Gallo.

Hofstra is one of the premier learning institutions in the nation and we are so blessed to have you here in the Incorporated Village of Hempstead. We send best wishes as you celebrate your annual gala.

Sincerely.

Waylyn Hobbs, Jr.

Mayor