QUEENS COLLEGE

Naming of the Florence and Bernard Friedman Endowment for the Social Sciences and the Florence Friedman Room

RESOLVED, That the Board of Trustees of The City University of New York approve the naming of “The Florence and Bernard Friedman Endowment for the Social Sciences” and “The Florence Friedman Room” at Queens College.

EXPLANATION: Linda and Mitchell Singer, both graduates of Queens College, have donated $100,000 to the College to establish “The Florence and Bernard Friedman Endowment for the Social Sciences.” Their gift is in memory of Linda Singer’s parents, Bernard and Florence Friedman, also Queens College alumni, and to honor the service of Florence Friedman, who worked at the College for many years in the Psychology Department, in the President’s Office, and for a number of Deans in the Division of Social Sciences.

Linda and Mitchell Singer’s gift will support scholarships and new initiatives in the Social Science Division of Queens College. In addition, a plaque has been inscribed in Florence Friedman’s memory and hung outside Powdermaker Hall 335, where she worked as Assistant to the Dean of the Division of Social Sciences. The College therefore requests that Room 335 in Powdermaker Hall be named “The Florence Friedman Room.”