

LEGISLATIVE RESOLUTION commending James and Laura Marino upon the occasion of their designation as recipients of the Angel Award by Gift of Life, Inc.

WHEREAS, It is the sense of this Legislative Body to recognize that the quality and character of life in the communities across New York State are reflective of the concerned and dedicated efforts of those individuals who would devote themselves to the welfare of the community and its citizenry; and

WHEREAS, Attendant to such concern, and in full accord with its long-standing traditions, this Legislative Body is justly proud to commend James and Laura Marino upon the occasion of their designation as recipients of the Angel Award by Gift of Life, Inc., to be celebrated at its 38th Anniversary Crusade of the Heart Gala on Friday, May 3, 2013, in Garden City, New York; and

WHEREAS, Residents of Oyster Bay, James and Laura Marino have been married 29 years; James is a Managing Director for Investments at Wells Fargo Advisors in Woodbury; and

WHEREAS, A graduate of the University of Pennsylvania, Wharton School, James Marino has been working in the financial services industry for 29 years; for the past 24 years, he has been a financial advisor at Wells Fargo Advisors and its predecessor firms; in addition, he teaches CCD at St. Dominic's Roman Catholic Church in Oyster Bay, New York; and

WHEREAS, Laura Marino is a homemaker, who after raising their two daughters, now works part-time in retail sales; and

WHEREAS, Active in their community, James and Laura Marino enjoy working with and supporting charitable groups, including Gift of Life, Wounded Warriors, Hospitality Too, The Bubba Fund, as well as the Last Hope organization; and

WHEREAS, With them throughout have been their children, Nina and Christine, both of whom feel privileged to be a part of their lives; and

WHEREAS, It is the sense of this Legislative Body that those who enhance the wellbeing and vitality of their community and have shown a long and sustained commitment to excellence certainly have earned the recognition and applause of all the citizens of this great Empire State; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That this Legislative Body pause in its deliberations to commend James and Laura Marino upon the occasion of their designation as recipients of the Angel Award by Gift of Life, Inc.; and be it further

RESOLVED, That a copy of this Resolution, suitably engrossed, be transmitted to James and Laura Marino.