

LEGISLATIVE RESOLUTION congratulating Mr. and Mrs. William J. Eddy upon the occasion of celebrating their 50th Wedding Anniversary

WHEREAS, William J. Eddy and the former Ann Marie Sanford were united in marriage on February 16, 1963 at St. Rita's Catholic Church in Deferiet, New York; and

WHEREAS, William J. Eddy is the son of the late Carl and Bernice Eddy, and Ann Marie Eddy is the daughter of the late Vernon Sanford and Anne Laribee; and

WHEREAS, William and Ann Marie Eddy celebrated their 50th Anniversary at a family dinner at the home of their daughter and son-in-law, Roxann and Rich Paddock, in Calcium, New York, on February 16, 2013; and

WHEREAS, Mr. and Mrs. William Eddy are the parents of three children, Roxann, Carl, and William, II, and have seven grandchildren as well as three great-grandchildren; and

WHEREAS, Mr. and Mrs. William Eddy are and always have been a tower of strength, support, understanding and limitless love for their family; and

WHEREAS, Their love, devotion, caring, sensitivity and responsiveness to their family, friends and all who know them are their hallmark and tradition; and

WHEREAS, Mr. and Mrs. William Eddy have lived and continue to live their lives with great dignity and genuine grace, always demonstrating a deep and continuing concern for human values and ideals, and in so doing, they have inspired others to do the same; and

WHEREAS, This meaningful occasion is the result of the love, hard work and spirit this couple has invested in their marriage; and

WHEREAS, These same values they have passed to their loved ones, producing a family that is close-knit and supportive of its individual members, public-minded in its relations to the community and committed to the ideals of citizenship upon which this Nation was founded; and

WHEREAS, Mr. and Mrs. William Eddy have touched the lives of their family and many friends through the shining example of their marriage, which is a testament to the devotion and admiration which they possess for one another; and

WHEREAS, The longevity of this enduring marriage truly marks a milestone in life's journey, an event of personal triumph and joy; and

WHEREAS, It is the sense of this Legislative Body that when an occasion of such importance is brought to our attention, the same should be memorialized by us for the edification and emulation of others; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That this Legislative Body pause in its deliberations to congratulate Mr. and Mrs. William J. Eddy upon the occasion of their 50th Wedding Anniversary; and be it further

RESOLVED, That a copy of this Resolution, suitably engrossed, be transmitted to Mr. and Mrs. William J. Eddy.