LEGISLATIVE RESOLUTION commending Community Foundation of Herkimer and Oneida Counties, Inc. upon the occasion of its designation as recipient of the 2013 Community Development Award by the Herkimer County Chamber of Commerce

WHEREAS, it is incumbent upon the people of the State of New York to recognize and acknowledge those organizations within our midst that have made significant contributions to the quality of life therein; and

WHEREAS, Attendant to such concern, and in full accord with its long-standing traditions, this Legislative Body is justly proud to commend Community Foundation of Herkimer and Oneida Counties, Inc. upon the occasion of its designation as recipient of the 2013 Community Development Award by the Herkimer County Chamber of Commerce; and WHEREAS, This auspicious occasion will be celebrated at the Chamber's

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WHEREAS, The Community Foundation has been a force for improving lives and promoting philanthropy throughout Herkimer and Oneida counties since 1952; it has made more than 5,200 grants supporting causes such as education, healthcare, the arts and the environment; and

WHEREAS, Grants are generated by 290 Funds that make up The Foundation's endowment, established and advanced by area residents; and

WHEREAS, It is the sense of this Legislative Body that when an organization of such noble aims and accomplishments is brought to our attention, it should be recognized and applauded by all the citizens of this great Empire State; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That this Legislative Body pause in its deliberations to commend Community Foundation of Herkimer and Oneida Counties, Inc. upon the occasion of its designation as recipient of the 2013 Community Development Award by the Herkimer County Chamber of Commerce; and be it further

RESOLVED, That a copy of this Resolution, suitably engrossed, be transmitted to Community Foundation of Herkimer and Oneida Counties, Inc.