LEGISLATIVE RESOLUTION commending Enchanted Forest Water Safari of Old Forge, New York, upon the occasion of its designation as recipient of the 2013 Promotion Committee Award by the Herkimer County Chamber of Commerce

WHEREAS, It is the practice 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 organizations which devote themselves to the welfare of the community and its citizenry; and

WHEREAS, Attendant to such concern, and in full accord with its longstanding traditions, this Legislative Body is justly proud to commend Enchanted Forest Water Safari of Old Forge, New York, upon the occasion of its designation as recipient of the 2013 Promotion Committee Award by the Herkimer County Chamber of Commerce; and

WHEREAS, This auspicious occasion will be celebrated at the Chamber's 45th Annual Membership Meeting and Luncheon on Thursday, April 25, 2013, at the Knights Inn in Little Falls, New York; and

WHEREAS, Enchanted Forest first opened in 1956; the park was purchased by Tim Noonan in 1977 and in 1988, Water Safari was added; and

WHEREAS, Today, Enchanted Forest Water Safari is New York State's largest Water Theme Park with over 50 rides and attractions; the annual attendance is 250,000 guests and they employ close to 500 employees in peak months; and

WHEREAS, This Legislative Body is pleased to have this opportunity to recognize Enchanted Forest Water Safari, for its unwavering commitment to the citizens of Herkimer County, as it provides an uncompromising standard of excellence in the delivery of superlative community service; and

WHEREAS, It is the sense of this Legislative Body that when organizations of such noble aims and accomplishments are brought to our attention, they should be celebrated and recognized by all the citizens of the great State of New York; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That this Legislative Body pause in its deliberations to commend Enchanted Forest Water Safari of Old Forge, New York, upon the occasion of its designation as recipient of the 2013 Promotion Committee Award by the Herkimer County Chamber of Commerce; and be it further

RESOLVED, That a copy of this Resolution, suitably engrossed, be transmitted to the Enchanted Forest Water Safari.