

LEGISLATIVE RESOLUTION honoring Dr. Ronald Uva upon the occasion of his designation as recipient of the Distinguished Service Award by the American College of Obstetricians and Gynecologists

WHEREAS, It is the sense of this Legislative Body to take note of and publicly acknowledge individuals who have distinguished themselves through their exemplary careers, accomplishments, and purposeful lives of service to their community and their profession; and

WHEREAS, Attendant to such concern, and in full accord with its long-standing traditions, this Legislative Body is justly proud to honor Dr. Ronald Uva upon the occasion of his designation as recipient of the Distinguished Service Award by the American College of Obstetricians and Gynecologists; and

WHEREAS, Dr. Ronald Uva has been a member of the Oswego Hospital's medical staff for more than 30 years; and

WHEREAS, He earned his undergraduate degree from the University of Buffalo and attended medical school at the University of Studies of Bologne, in Bologne, Italy; and

WHEREAS, Dr. Ronald Uva completed his medical residency at Upstate Medical Center in Syracuse; and

WHEREAS, This remarkable doctor has taken an active role in his profession, serving on several state medical boards; as a former medical coordinator for the Oswego-Montserrat connection for Partners of the Americas, Dr. Ronald Uva taught medical professionals how to incorporate ultrasound and fetal monitoring into obstetrical practices; and

WHEREAS, Currently, Dr. Ronald Uva is the president of Oswego County OB/GYN PC, which has provided obstetrical and gynecological care to residents of Oswego County for more than 45 years, providing 24 hour on-site coverage at the Oswego Hospital Maternity Center; and

WHEREAS, In 2011, Dr. Ronald Uva was elected as vice chair of the New York District of the American College of Obstetricians; in this capacity, he serves as an advocate for universal maternity coverage and other women's health issues; and

WHEREAS, At this time, Dr. Ronald Uva is serving his second five year term on the New York State Board for Medicine, the first physician from Oswego Health to be named to this prestigious State Board; and

WHEREAS, Dr. Ronald Uva is also active with the Medical Society of New York State, writing semiannual book reviews for the Society, as well as a monthly column for the PALLADIUM TIMES; and

WHEREAS, Despite his busy professional life, in 1997, Dr. Ronald Uva was named Little League Coach of the Year; and

WHEREAS, In recognition of his dedication, commitment and efforts on behalf of his community and his profession, it is the sense of this Legislative Body to extend its highest commendation to Dr. Ronald Uva; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That this Legislative Body pause in its deliberations to honor Dr. Ronald Uva upon the occasion of his designation as recipient of the Distinguished Service Award by the American College of Obstetricians and Gynecologists; and be it further

RESOLVED, That a copy of this Resolution, suitably engrossed, be transmitted to Dr. Ronald Uva.