LEGISLATIVE RESOLUTION congratulating Mr. and Mrs. James Morrison upon the occasion of celebrating their 60th Wedding Anniversary

WHEREAS, Dorothy Mae Caswell and James Stowe Morrison were united in marriage on April 11, 1953, at the Canton Methodist Church, with the Reverend C. Stanton Williams officiating; and

WHEREAS, The bride is the daughter of the late Flora and Andrew Caswell, and the groom, the son of the late Flora and Orrin Morrison; and

WHEREAS, Mr. and Mrs. Morrison celebrated their 60th Wedding Anniversary with family and friends at a party held at the DeKalb Fire Hall; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Morrison graduated from Lisbon High School in 1947, and is retired after 39 years as a farmer and union carpenter; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Morrison is also a member of the DeKalb Junction Fire Department; and

WHEREAS, Mrs. Morrison graduated from Canton High School in 1952, and Potsdam State University College in 1972; she is retired from teaching after a 20-year career; and

WHEREAS, Mr. and Mrs. Morrison are the parents of eight children, Sheryl, James, Andrew, Wrenette (Wendy), Daniel, Dixie, Lori, and Scott, and the loving grandparents of 10 grandchildren and one great-grand-daughter; and

WHEREAS, Mr. and Mrs. James Morrison 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. James Morrison 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 that this couple has invested in their marriage; and

WHEREAS, They have passed these same values 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. James Morrison 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. James Morrison upon the occasion of celebrating their 60th Wedding Anniversary; and be it further

RESOLVED, That a copy of this Resolution, suitably engrossed, be transmitted to Mr. and Mrs. James Morrison.