

**BY:** Senator RITCHIE

**CONGRATULATING** Mr. and Mrs. Leslie I. Gyurko upon  
the occasion of celebrating their 70th Wedding  
Anniversary

**WHEREAS,** Leslie Gyurko, 95, and Ruth Slye, 88, were united in marriage on June 29, 1946, at St. James Catholic Church in Natural Bridge, New York; they reside in Carthage; and

**WHEREAS,** Mr. and Mrs. Leslie I. Gyurko are the proud parents of two children, and the loving grandparents of two grandchildren and one great-grandchild; and

**WHEREAS,** They 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. Leslie I. Gyurko 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. Leslie I. Gyurko 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. Leslie I. Gyurko upon the occasion of celebrating their 70th Wedding Anniversary; and be it further

**RESOLVED,** That a copy of this Resolution, suitably engrossed, be

transmitted to Mr. and Mrs. Leslie I. Gyurko.