

BY: Senator MAYER

COMMEMORATING the 25th Anniversary of the Harrison Educational Foundation on November 7, 2019

WHEREAS, It is the sense of this Legislative Body to commend those illustrious organizations of the State of New York whose focus and intent have made a substantial impact on the quality of life in their communities; and

WHEREAS, Attendant to such concern, and in full accord with its long-standing traditions, this Legislative Body is justly proud to commemorate the 25th Anniversary of the Harrison Educational Foundation to be celebrated on Thursday, November 7, 2019; and

WHEREAS, The Harrison Educational Foundation (HEF) was established in 1994 by a small group of local residents who wished to provide opportunities to enhance and enliven the education offered in local schools; and

WHEREAS, This vital organization is focused exclusively on supporting academic enrichment programs at each of the six schools of the Harrison Central School District; and

WHEREAS, Remaining true to its mission, the Harrison Educational Foundation encourages excellence in education by generating and distributing private funds for curriculum enrichment programs to benefit the students of the Harrison Central School District; and

WHEREAS, Furthermore, the Harrison Educational Foundation seeks to achieve its goals by providing opportunities for creative teaching and learning experiences and by encouraging community and district partnerships; and

WHEREAS, Over its distinguished 25-year history, the Harrison Educational Foundation has demonstrated continuous service to the residents and communities which it serves; and

WHEREAS, The success of the Harrison Educational Foundation is in direct correlation to the efforts of its dedicated Board and Trustees, whose involvement is, and always has been, characterized by an impressive commitment, an unbridled enthusiasm, and an uncompromising standard of excellence in all endeavors on behalf of the organization and the community it serves; and

WHEREAS, This auspicious occasion presents an opportunity for this Legislative Body to recognize and pay tribute to the Harrison Educational Foundation; and

WHEREAS, It is the custom of this Legislative Body that when individuals and organizations of such noble aims and accomplishments are brought to our attention, they should be celebrated and recognized by

all the citizens of this great Empire State; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That this Legislative Body pause in its deliberations to commemorate the 25th Anniversary of the Harrison Educational Foundation on November 7, 2019; and be it further

RESOLVED, That a copy of this Resolution, suitably engrossed, be transmitted to the Harrison Educational Foundation.