

BY: Senator TEDISCO

COMMEMORATING the 200th Anniversary of the Town of
Glenville, New York

WHEREAS, It is the intent of this Legislative Body to honor and commemorate the distinguished histories of the communities which comprise the noble body of this great Empire State; and

WHEREAS, Attendant to such concern, and in full accord with its long-standing traditions, this Legislative Body is justly proud to commemorate the 200th Anniversary of the Town of Glenville, New York; and

WHEREAS, This auspicious occasion will be celebrated with a myriad of events throughout the year, beginning with the Town's Birthday Bash at Wolf Hollow Brewing Company on April 14, 2020, the planting of 200 trees for 200 years on May 2, 2020, and a gala honoring the Town's history on July 18, 2020; and

WHEREAS, Located in the north-west end of Schenectady County laying on the north bank of the Mohawk River, the Town of Glenville was formed by virtue of the Act of 1820; the first town meeting was held on January 2, 1821, and Albert Vedder was selected as the Town's first Supervisor; and

WHEREAS, Glenville (which includes the Village of Scotia) has grown to be a town of 50 square miles and nearly 30,000 residents boasting stellar parks, a vibrant and growing business community, and wonderful neighborhoods; and

WHEREAS, Glenville is named after Alexander Lindsay Glen, who was a native of Scotland, and acquired a large tract of land in the area in the 1650s; and

WHEREAS, Alplaus, Hoffmans, East Glenville, Scotia, Stoodley Corners, and West Glenville comprise the several communities within the Town of Glenville offering residents and visitors alike, a diverse mix of residential living, farms, retail outlets and recreation; and

WHEREAS, Remaining fruitful over the ebb and flow of decades of growth and change, the Town of Glenville continues its commitment to enhancing the quality of life of its citizens, ensuring a positive business, institutional and educational climate, and providing all essential services; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That this Legislative Body pause in its deliberations to commemorate the 200th Anniversary of the Town of Glenville, New York, recognizing the significance of the role it continues to play in the life of the community of the State of New York; and be it further

RESOLVED, That copies of this Resolution, suitably engrossed, be

transmitted to Chris Koetzle, Supervisor, Town of Glenville, and Members of the Town Board.