BY: Senator RITCHIE

CONGRATULATING Rudy's Lakeside Drive-In upon the occasion of celebrating its 75th Anniversary of operation

WHEREAS, Within each community of this great State of New York there are certain businesses that define the nature of the region and the people who inhabit it; and

WHEREAS, Rudy's Lakeside Drive-In, a legendary Oswego eatery, has been serving the families and residents of Central New York for three-quarters of a century thanks to a dedication to quality food, outstanding customer service and a belief that customers will appreciate a family-owned company that works hard every day to provide them with an excellent dining experience; and

WHEREAS, This Legislative Body is justly proud to congratulate Rudy's Lakeside Drive-In and its long-time owner, Jason Livesey, upon the occasion of celebrating its 75th Anniversary of operation; and

WHEREAS, Established in 1946, Rudy's Lakeside Drive-In has been family owned and operated for three generations; and

WHEREAS, The eatery has become legendary for its delicious foods, including haddock sandwiches, clams, other types of seafood, Texas hots, and a wide variety of other customer favorites; and

WHEREAS, In addition to offering great food, Rudy's Lakeside Drive-In provides for its customers the opportunity to dine and take in an unparalleled view with its many picnic tables situated on the shores of beautiful Lake Ontario; and

WHEREAS, The traditional Spring reopening of Rudy's Lakeside Drive-In has become an annual iconic harbinger of the season that attracts people from throughout Central New York back again and again to enjoy a respected and venerated local business that holds a special place in the hearts of people in Oswego and beyond; and

WHEREAS, It is fitting that this Legislative Body recognize local businesses such as Rudy's Lakeside Drive-In which have become institutions in the community, as well as the successful entrepreneurs who have nurtured them throughout the years; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That this Legislative Body pause in its deliberations to congratulate Rudy's Lakeside Drive-In for 75 years of excellence and customer service to the people of Central New York and this great Empire State; and be it further

RESOLVED, That a copy of this Resolution, suitably engrossed, be transmitted to Jason Livesey, Owner, Rudy's Lakeside Drive-In.