Assembly Resolution No. 854

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MOURNING the death of Pamela Vogel, distinguished citizen, respected public servant, and devoted member of her community

WHEREAS, It is the custom of this Legislative Body to pay tribute to citizens of the State of New York whose lifework and civic endeavor served to enhance the quality of life in their communities and the great State of New York; and

WHEREAS, Pamela Vogel of Glens Falls, New York died on Monday, October 13, 2025, at the age of 75; and

WHEREAS, Pamela Vogel distinguished herself in her profession and by her sincere dedication and substantial contribution to the welfare of her community; and

WHEREAS, Born to Emma and George Johnson, Pamela Johnson was a proud alumna of St. Mary's Academy, where she met her close-knit friends known as the "Class of '67 SMA Girls"; it was also at St. Mary's Academy that she met the love of her life, Joseph Vogel; and

WHEREAS, Pamela Vogel was also a graduate of Empire State University, earning a bachelor's degree in 1990; and

WHEREAS, With her partner, Pamela Vogel had two beautiful children, Jennifer and Jason; and

WHEREAS, Pamela Vogel deeply loved her family and was known for leaving notes to her family members daily, supporting her children through years of hockey games and practices, giving caring cards and gifts, and for attending as many family events as possible; and

WHEREAS, Pamela Vogel's commitment to excellence, and her spirit of humanity, carried over into all fields of enterprise, including her charitable and civic endeavors; and

WHEREAS, Leading a life of professionalism and selflessness, Pamela Vogel committed herself to serving her community in 1976, first as Warren County Records Technician, then as Records Manager and County Historian before running a stellar campaign for County Clerk in 2003, which resulted in a resounding victory; and

WHEREAS, Pamela Vogel served five four-year terms in the role of County Clerk, running unopposed in her last four elections; she amassed an incredible 48 years of unwavering public service guided by integrity, compassion, and a deep commitment to community, and was highly regarded both in professional and personal capacities; and

WHEREAS, Further, in 1989, Pamela and Joseph Vogel launched Mailings Made Easy from their home; this business became a cornerstone of the

Glens Falls community for over 31 years and was renowned for its mailing expertise, superior customer service, and festive holiday windows; and

WHEREAS, In her leisure, Pamela Vogel had a great sense of adventure and would travel often; from chasing sunsets and eating lobster rolls in New England, to tubing, snowshoeing, hiking, and sailing in Colorado, to attending plays, concerts, museums, and sporting events in New York City, Pamela Vogel showcased what it means to live a full and exciting life; and

WHEREAS, A devoted member of St. Mary's Parish, Pamela Vogel's faith was her foundation; she had a deep love for God, which guided her to live with grace, generosity, and quiet strength; her travels to Rome afforded her the honor of praying at The Holy See while a visit to Paris meant Mass at Notre-Dame de Paris; and

WHEREAS, For her 75th birthday, Pamela Vogel had the pleasure of traveling to South Bend, Indiana, where she was able to pray with St. Bernadette at The Grotto, attend service at the Basilica of the Sacred Heart, and attend a winning Fighting Irish football game; and

WHEREAS, Pamela Vogel is survived by her children, Jennifer (Marc) and Jason (Lisa); sisters, Judy (Jimmy) and Lisa; sister-in-law, Susan (Bill); brother-in-law, Thomas; many nieces and nephews; and her dear friends, Karen, Jackie, and SueAnne; and

WHEREAS, She was predeceased by her husband, Joseph; parents, Emma and George; in-laws, Betty and Joe; sister, Janet; nephew, Shawn; son-in-law, Martin; and brother-in-law, Timothy; and

WHEREAS, Armed with a humanistic spirit and imbued with a sense of compassion, Pamela Vogel leaves behind a legacy which will long endure the passage of time and will remain as a comforting memory to all she served and befriended; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That this Legislative Body pause in its deliberations to mourn the death of Pamela Vogel; and be it further

RESOLVED, That a copy of this Resolution, suitably engrossed, be transmitted to the family of Pamela Vogel.