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Senate Resolution No. 921

BY: Senator HARCKHAM

MOURNING the death of Irwin W. Schriro, distinguished citizen and devoted member of his 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 endeavors served to enhance the quality of life in their communities and the great State of New York; and

WHEREAS, Irwin W. Schriro of Somers, New York, died on Sunday, March 5, 2023, at the age of 63; and

WHEREAS, Irwin W. Schriro distinguished himself in his profession and by his sincere dedication and substantial contribution to the welfare of his community; and

WHEREAS, Born in Mt. Kisco, New York, on April 27, 1959, the son of Lew and Rose Schriro, Irwin W. Schriro graduated from Fox Lane High School and began his career in the alarm and security business; he was the lead inventory and service coordinator at Scarsdale Security Systems in Scarsdale, New York; and

WHEREAS, His volunteer fire service journey began with the Bedford Hills Volunteer Fire Department until he and his wife moved to Somers; there he joined the Somers Volunteer Fire Department where he is a life

member, and once held the esteemed positions of Chief and Commissioner; and

WHEREAS, Irwin W. Schriro was also a member of the Putnam Northern Westchester Fire Police Association and Red Knights Motorcycle Club NY Chapter VII, with whom he enjoyed many memorial rides and trips to visit the retired members residing at the Fireman's Home in Hudson, New York; and

WHEREAS, Throughout his life he enjoyed fishing, hunting, golfing, bowling in leagues with his wife and friends, attending his wife and children's many sports events, and the company of his many animal companions; and

WHEREAS, Irwin W. Schriro's commitment to excellence, and his spirit of humanity, carried over into all fields of enterprise, including charitable and civic endeavors; and

WHEREAS, Irwin W. Schriro is survived by his wife, Suzanne; daughter, Stacey; son, Craig; sister, Debra, and three grandchildren, Anabelle, Mason, and Brendon; he is predeceased by his sister, Bonnie; and

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

RESOLVED, That this Legislative Body pause in its deliberations to mourn the death of Irwin W. Schriro, distinguished citizen and devoted member of his community; and be it further

RESOLVED, That a copy of this Resolution, suitably engrossed, be transmitted to the family of Irwin W. Schriro.