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Assembly Resolution No. 129

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COMMEMORATING the Centennial Anniversary of the New York State Association of Counties

WHEREAS, It is the custom of this Legislative Body to recognize and pay tribute to those organizations of high purpose and worthy accomplishment whose endeavors have faithfully served the welfare of the citizens of the State of New York; and

WHEREAS, Attendant to such concern, and in full accord with its long-standing traditions, this Legislative Body is justly proud to commemorate the Centennial Anniversary of the New York State Association of Counties; and

WHEREAS, The New York State Association of Counties (NYSAC) was established in 1925 by a group of county officials who wanted to come together in a collective voice to advocate for New York State's 57 counties and the five boroughs of New York City; and

WHEREAS, Over its 100 year history, NYSAC has focused on improving the efficacy of county governments through training and education, research and tireless advocacy, all designed to address the specific challenges faced by county officials and their communities; and

WHEREAS, Over the last century, NYSAC has been pivotal in championing the interests of county officials at both state and federal

levels, ensuring that the concerns and needs of local governments are heard and addressed; and

WHEREAS, NYSAC has delivered essential support, resources and training to county officials, providing them with the necessary knowledge and tools to effectively and efficiently serve the residents of New York State; and

WHEREAS, Through its unwavering commitment to practical research, NYSAC has nurtured innovative solutions and best practices that have enhanced county operations and elevated the quality of life for millions of New Yorkers; and

WHEREAS, NYSAC has fostered a legacy of cooperation and partnership among county governments, promoting a spirit of unity and mutual support essential for tackling common challenges and achieving shared objectives; and

WHEREAS, The Centennial Anniversary of NYSAC is a significant milestone, celebrating the association's enduring commitment to public service and its substantial impact on the governance and well-being of New York State's counties and local leaders; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That this Legislative Body pause in its deliberations to commemorate the 100th Anniversary of the New York State Association of Counties, recognizing its invaluable contributions to the counties and residents of New York State; and be it further

RESOLVED, That a copy of this Resolution, suitably engrossed, be transmitted to the New York State Association of Counties.