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LEGISLATIVE RESOLUTION honoring Robert Yates upon the occasion of his retirement from the Tuxedo Board of Education, after 15 years of distinguished service

WHEREAS, It is the practice of this Legislative Body to take note of and publicly acknowledge individuals of remarkable integrity and character whose endeavors have enhanced the quality of education in this great State; and

WHEREAS, Attendant to such concern, and in full accord with its long-standing traditions, this Legislative Body is justly proud to honor Robert Yates upon the occasion of his retirement from the Tuxedo Board of Education, after 15 years of distinguished service; and

WHEREAS, The longest serving member of the school board in the history of the Tuxedo Union Free School District, Robert Yates has been a member of the board since 1994, and its President since 2000; and

WHEREAS, The result of many individual efforts, the excellence and the success in the Tuxedo Union Free School District is due in large part to the efforts of Robert Yates, who has continually demonstrated an impressive dedication, an unparalleled devotion and an unrelenting enthusiasm for the quality of the educational programs and opportunities offered there for the benefit of its faculty and students, as well as for the entire community; and

WHEREAS, Individuals like Robert Yates provide a tremendous service to the future of our State and Nation, inspiring generations of young people in their educational journeys and ensuring their success in their future years; and

WHEREAS, Robert Yates has clearly had an enduring impact on the youth in the Tuxedo Union Free School District, as well as on the community-at-large, and accordingly merits recognition and applause for his impressive dedication to others; and

WHEREAS, It is the sense of this Legislative Body to commend the efforts of those individuals who work to support our proud tradition of public education by providing their skills and talents to our schools; and

WHEREAS, This Legislative Body is pleased to have this opportunity to express its highest admiration for Robert Yates and to wish him continued success in all of his future endeavors; now, therefore, be it
RESOLVED, That this Legislative Body pause in its deliberations to honor Robert Yates upon the occasion of his retirement from the Tuxedo Board of Education, after 15 years of distinguished service; and be it further
RESOLVED, That a copy of this Resolution, suitably engrossed, be transmitted to Robert Yates.