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LEGISLATIVE RESOLUTION commemorating the 40th Anniversary of the Villa Roma Resort and Conference Center in Callicoon, New York

WHEREAS, Organizations which serve the economic well-being and interests of the people of this great Empire State merit the commendation of this Legislative Body; and

WHEREAS, Attendant to such concern, and in full accord with its long-standing traditions, this Legislative Body is justly proud to commemorate the 40th Anniversary of the Villa Roma Resort and Conference Center in Callicoon, New York; and

WHEREAS, Over the course of 40 years of dedicated and inspired ownership by Marty Passante, the Villa Roma Resort and Conference Center in Callicoon, New York, has become the flagship of the Sullivan County hospitality industry and one of the best resorts in the Catskills; and

WHEREAS, The Villa Roma Resort and Conference Center has grown from a 36-room family-run resort to one that can host more than 750 guests on its 450 rolling acres; it contains 68 full-ownership condominiums, 140 hotel rooms and 230 two-bedroom timeshare units; it also has an 18-hole championship golf course, a ski hill, bowling alley, indoor and outdoor tennis courts and swimming pools, and multiple dining rooms, lounges, a recreation center and a nightclub; and

WHEREAS, The Villa Roma Resort and Conference Center can host to perfection weddings, organizational events, proms, family or class reunions, anniversary parties, golf outings and a variety of other events; and

WHEREAS, The key to the growth and success of the Villa Roma Resort and Conference Center has been investing millions of dollars back into improving and modernizing the facility and its amenities; and

WHEREAS, This auspicious occasion presents a unique opportunity for

this Legislative Body to recognize and pay tribute to the Villa Roma Resort and Conference Center in Callicoon, New York; and

WHEREAS, It is the sense of this Legislative Body that when business organizations of such noble aims and accomplishments are brought to our attention, they should be recognized by all the citizens of this great Empire State; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That this Legislative Body pause in its deliberations to commemorate the 40th Anniversary of the Villa Roma Resort and Conference Center in Callicoon, New York; and be it further

RESOLVED, That a copy of this Resolution, suitably engrossed, be transmitted to the Villa Roma Resort and Conference Center, 356 Villa Roma Road, Callicoon, New York 12723.