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LEGISLATIVE RESOLUTION honoring Sergeant Paul Olsen upon the occasion of his retirement from the Walton Police Department

WHEREAS, It is the sense of this Legislative Body to recognize and honor those distinguished officers and citizens who would devote themselves to public service, demonstrating great courage and diligence in providing for the care and welfare of the citizens of their communities and this great Empire State; and

WHEREAS, Within every community of the State of New York there are certain individuals who, by virtue of their commitment and dedication, command the respect and admiration of their community for their exemplary contributions and service on behalf of others; and WHEREAS, This Legislative Body is justly proud to honor Sergeant Paul Olsen upon the occasion of his retirement from the Walton Police Department, to be celebrated on Sunday, January 30, 2011; and WHEREAS, Acting Police Chief for the past year, Sergeant Olsen will officially retire on Sunday, January 30, 2011; he has decided to leave the Walton Police Department after 22 years of distinguished service; and

WHEREAS, From 1990-1991, Paul Olsen worked as a Delaware County Department of Social Services Investigator; he also served as a United States Air Force Military Police Officer from 1982-1986; and WHEREAS, With him throughout have been his children, Danielle and Kalei, both of whom feel privileged to be a part of his life and rejoice in his achievements; and

WHEREAS, It is the sense of this Legislative Body that those dedicated public servants who unselfishly devote their lives to the preservation of order and the protection of others are worthy and due full praise for their commitment and noble endeavors; now, therefore, be it RESOLVED, That this Legislative Body pause in its deliberations to honor Sergeant Paul Olsen upon the occasion of his retirement from the Walton Police Department; and be it further RESOLVED, That a copy of this Resolution, suitably engrossed, be transmitted to Sergeant Paul Olsen.