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LEGISLATIVE RESOLUTION honoring Pastor Richard Scott posthumously upon the occasion of receiving the Police Chiefs Association of Ulster County's Meritorious Police Service Special Recognition Award on May 4, 2011

WHEREAS, This Legislative Body is moved to publicly recognize the life of those prominent citizens whose lifework and purposeful endeavors have served to enrich and enhance the quality and character of life for others in their community and the great State of New York; and

WHEREAS, Pastor Richard Scott of Ulster Park, New York, served as a preeminent citizen and spiritual leader whose distinguished service and caring commitment will long serve as a standard to which others might aspire; and

WHEREAS, This Legislative Body is justly proud to honor Pastor Richard Scott posthumously upon the occasion of receiving the Police Chiefs Association of Ulster County's Meritorious Police Service Special Recognition Award, to be celebrated at its Annual Awards Banquet on Wednesday, May 4, 2011, at Wiltwyck Golf Club in Kingston, New York; and

WHEREAS, On February 7, 2011, Church Communities mourned the passing of its spiritual leader, Pastor Richard Scott; and

WHEREAS, Over the years Pastor Richard Scott and his family spearheaded countless outreach missions with law enforcement personnel; and

WHEREAS, Pastor Richard Scott, who had an ongoing relationship with Ulster County law enforcement, recognized the difficulties of the law enforcement profession and sought to help ease the burden carried by many police officers in any way he could; and

WHEREAS, This benevolent Pastor became a presence in the lives of many local police officers and opened the doors of the Church Communities to make law enforcement feel welcome; and

WHEREAS, In his final weeks, Pastor Richard Scott gracefully accepted visitors from all over the world, but particularly took the extra time to welcome and meet with members of the law enforcement community in Ulster County; and

WHEREAS, This distinguished man of God always gave enlightenment, guidance and wisdom to the many entrusted to his care and administered

abundantly and unstintingly to the spiritual and corporal needs of all;

now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That this Legislative Body pause in its deliberations to honor Pastor Richard Scott posthumously upon the occasion of receiving the Police Chiefs Association of Ulster County's Meritorious Police Service Special Recognition Award on May 4, 2011; and be it further

RESOLVED, That a copy of this Resolution, suitably engrossed, be transmitted to the family of Pastor Richard Scott.