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LEGISLATIVE RESOLUTION mourning the death of Drue C. Lynch, distinguished citizen and devoted member of his community

WHEREAS, It is the custom of this Legislative Body to pay tribute to citizens of the State of New York whose lifework and civic endeavor served to enhance the quality of life in their communities and the great State of New York; and

WHEREAS, Drue C. Lynch of Wallkill, New York, died on Sunday, April 3, 2011, at the age of 47; and

WHEREAS, A 1982 graduate of John A. Coleman Catholic High School, Drue C. Lynch attended St. Bonaventure University and received a Bachelor of Arts in Business; and

WHEREAS, In 1986, Drue C. Lynch began his career at the Ulster County Sheriff's Office, Corrections Division; he later moved to the Criminal Division and was promoted to Detective Sergeant in 2007; and

WHEREAS, Regarded by his colleagues as a thorough, hard-working man and skilled investigator, Drue C. Lynch distinguished himself in his profession and by his sincere dedication and substantial contribution to the welfare of his community; and

WHEREAS, Throughout his illustrious career, Drue C. Lynch supervised the Internet Crimes Against Children Unit, served as President of the Police Benevolent Association, and worked on the Navigation Unit as well as the Mid-Hudson Regional Drug Task Force; and

WHEREAS, Drue C. Lynch's commitment to excellence, and his spirit of humanity, carried over into all fields of enterprise, including charitable and civic endeavors; and

WHEREAS, Predeceased by his father, John J. Lynch, Drue C. Lynch is survived by his loving wife, Jeanmarie Lynch; his son, Dylan Lynch; step-children, Jake and Raya Sweed; his mother, Anne Mulligan; stepfather, Robert Mulligan; step-mother, Kathryn Lynch; a brother, Sean (Wendy) Lynch; and his uncle, Edmund Lynch; and

WHEREAS, Armed with a humanistic spirit, imbued with a sense of compassion, and comforted by a loving family, Drue C. Lynch leaves behind a legacy which will long endure the passage of time and will

remain as a comforting memory to all he served and befriended; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That this Legislative Body pause in its deliberations to mourn the death of Drue C. Lynch, distinguished citizen and devoted member of his community; and be it further

RESOLVED, That a copy of this Resolution, suitably engrossed, be transmitted to the family of Drue C. Lynch.