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LEGISLATIVE RESOLUTION congratulating Mr. and Mrs. Harry W. Kwarta upon the occasion of their 60th Wedding Anniversary

WHEREAS, Harry W. Kwarta and the former Victoria Paloski of Albany, New York were united in marriage on May 12, 1961 and joyously celebrated their 60th Wedding Anniversary on May 9, 2011 surrounded by their family at a dinner party at the Buca di Beppo-Albany restaurant in Colonie, New York; and

WHEREAS, They are the proud parents of Harry and Sandy Kwarta, Steve and Roseanne Kwarta, Dan and Jody Kwarta, and Edward and Robin Kwarta, and have ten grandchildren and three great-grandchildren; and

WHEREAS, Harry Kwarta is retired from the New York State Department of Health's Wadsworth Laboratory and he and Victoria enjoy bowling, gardening, games of chance, and spending time with their family; and

WHEREAS, Victoria and Harry Kwarta are and always have been a tower of strength, support, understanding and limitless love for their family; and

WHEREAS, Their love, devotion, caring, sensitivity and responsiveness to their family, friends and all who know them are their hallmark and tradition; and

WHEREAS, Victoria and Harry Kwarta have lived and continue to live their lives with great dignity and genuine grace, always demonstrating a deep and continuing concern for human values and ideals, and in so doing, they have inspired others to do the same; and

WHEREAS, This meaningful occasion is the result of the love, hard work and spirit that this couple has invested in their marriage; and

WHEREAS, These same values they have passed to their loved ones, producing a family that is close-knit and supportive of its individual members, public-minded in its relations to the community and committed

to the ideals of citizenship upon which this Nation was founded; and
WHEREAS, Victoria and Harry Kwarta have touched the lives of their family and many friends through the shining example of their marriage, which is a testament to the devotion and admiration which they possess for one another; and

WHEREAS, The longevity of this enduring marriage truly marks a milestone in life's journey, an event of personal triumph and joy; and

WHEREAS, It is the sense of this Legislative Body that when an occasion of such importance is brought to our attention, the same should be memorialized by us for the edification and emulation of others; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That this Legislative Body pause in its deliberations to congratulate Mr. and Mrs. Harry W. Kwarta upon the occasion of their 60th Wedding Anniversary; and be it further

RESOLVED, That a copy of this Resolution, suitably engrossed, be transmitted to Mr. and Mrs. Harry W. Kwarta, 11 June Drive, Albany, New York 12211.