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LEGISLATIVE RESOLUTION honoring Sheriff L. Michael Tabolt upon the occasion of his retirement from the Lewis County Sheriff's 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 Sheriff L. Michael Tabolt upon the occasion of his retirement from the Lewis County Sheriff's Department to be celebrated with a Retirement Party held in his honor at the Elks Club in Lowville, New York, on December 10, 2011; and

WHEREAS, A resident of New Bremen, New York, and a Lowville native, Sheriff L. Michael Tabolt of the Lewis County Sheriff's Department has decided to retire at the end of 2011, after serving 37 years with the department including eight years as sheriff; and

WHEREAS, Before being elected sheriff, L. Michael Tabolt served 29 years in the correctional, road patrol and criminal divisions of the Sheriff's Department, and as the county's emergency services and fire coordinator; and

WHEREAS, Sheriff L. Michael Tabolt considers himself fortunate to have had such wonderful employees and leaving them has made the decision to retire much more difficult, but he plans to lead with great pride right until the end; and

WHEREAS, In his retirement Sheriff L. Michael Tabolt plans to enjoy spending more time with his wife, children and grandchildren, all of whom feel privileged to be a part of his life and rejoice in his achievements; and

WHEREAS, In addition to spending more time with his cherished family, Sheriff L. Michael Tabolt will try his hand at hobbies like woodworking and carpentry; he will also remain active as a volunteer fireman for the New Bremen Fire Department; and

WHEREAS, It is the custom 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 Sheriff L. Michael Tabolt upon the occasion of his retirement from the Lewis County Sheriff's Department; and be it further

RESOLVED, That a copy of this Resolution, suitably engrossed, be transmitted to Sheriff L. Michael Tabolt.