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

WHEREAS, Evelyn and Harry Ness were united in marriage on December 9, 1951 at St. Bartholomew's Church in Yonkers, New York; and WHEREAS, To celebrate their 60th Anniversary, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Ness held a dinner party at Pompei Ristorante in West Hempstead on Sunday, December 11, 2011, with many friends and family in attendance; and WHEREAS, They are the proud parents of two children and have six grandchildren; and WHEREAS, Harry Ness honorably served his country during World War II on the USS Astoria and USS Franklin D. Roosevelt: he is a former Vice President of the KPMG Peat Marwick Accounting Firm; and WHEREAS, Evelyn Ness worked as a legal secretary at Sullivan and Crowell and later worked in real estate sales; and WHEREAS, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Ness 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, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Ness 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 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, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Ness 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 Ness upon the occasion of celebrating their 60th Wedding Anniversary; and be it further RESOLVED, That a copy of this Resolution, suitably engrossed, be transmitted to Mr. and Mrs. Harry Ness, 3975 Anne Drive, Seaford, New York 11783.