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LEGISLATIVE RESOLUTION congratulating Mr. and Mrs. Milton Bruce McAdam upon the occasion of celebrating their 60th Wedding Anniversary

WHEREAS, Doris June Yelle and Milton Bruce McAdam were united in marriage on September 21, 1952, at Brownville Methodist Church, with the Reverend Kenneth Combs officiating; and WHEREAS, The bride is the daughter of the late Roy and Edna Yelle, and the groom, the son of the late James Wesley and Katherine McAdam; and WHEREAS, Mr. and Mrs. McAdam celebrated their 60th Wedding Anniversary with family at the Partridge Berry Inn; and WHEREAS, Milton Bruce McAdam attended Clayton and Brownville-Glen Park High Schools, and worked at the Brownville Paper Mill, the Holiday Inn and the Watertown Housing Authority; and WHEREAS, Milton Bruce McAdam is a longtime sports official for football, basketball and lacrosse, as well as an avid fan of the Yankees and the Giants; and WHEREAS, Doris McAdam graduated from Brownville-Glen Park High School, and worked for 27 years at various county offices, including 21 years as Principal Clerk at the civil office for the Jefferson County Sheriff's Department: and WHEREAS, In the mid 1970s, Doris McAdam was active in local politics; in addition, she served as Supervisor for the City of Watertown from 1992 to 1995; and WHEREAS, Mr. and Mrs. McAdam are the proud parents of three sons, M. Bruce, Jr., Frederick and Roy, and two daughters, Elizabeth and Deborah, and the loving grandparents of 10 grandchildren and five great-grandchildren; and

WHEREAS, Mr. and Mrs. McAdam are and always have been a tower of strength, support, understanding and limitless love for their family;

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. McAdam 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, They have passed these same values 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. McAdam 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. Milton Bruce McAdam 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. Milton Bruce McAdam.

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