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LEGISLATIVE RESOLUTION honoring Kelly Mittiga upon the occasion of receiving the 2012 Athena Award from the Geneva Area Chamber of Commerce

WHEREAS, It is the practice of this Legislative Body to take note of and publicly acknowledge individuals of remarkable integrity and character who have inspired and brought pride to our majestic Empire State with their strong contributions to the community and model citizenship; and WHEREAS, Attendant to such concern, and in full accord with its long-standing traditions, this Legislative Body is justly proud to honor Kelly Mittiga upon the occasion of receiving the 2012 Athena Award from the Geneva Area Chamber of Commerce, to be celebrated on Thursday, September 13, 2012; and

WHEREAS, The Geneva area Athena Awards annual ceremony owes much of its tremendous success to the great work and dedication of Kelly Mittiga who oversaw the entire event for a number of years; she is a genuine leader in the Geneva community and continually has gone far beyond her personal responsibilities of raising a family along with corporate duties in senior management of a major banking institution; and WHEREAS, Kelly Mittiga has also volunteered her time to extremely important projects and institutions to help make life better in the central Finger Lakes region; it was through her leadership that the Geneva Community Center was constructed, along with her work as former President of the Geneva Chamber of Commerce which led to the development of a new Visitors Center and Boating Museum; and

WHEREAS, Kelly Mittiga is now actively involved as a board member of two critically important organizations, the Finger Lakes Health Systems and the Ontario County Industrial Development Authority; both these organizations are critical to the Geneva Area region's future, and her commitment to them underscores the depth of her commitment to Geneva as well as the entire central Finger Lakes area; and

WHEREAS, A graduate of Hobart and William Smith Colleges, Geneva, New York, Kelly Mittiga is affiliated with the Geneva Chamber of Commerce, the Boys and Girls Club of Geneva, Finger Lakes Health, Ontario County IDA, and the Geneva 2020 Committee; and

WHEREAS, It is the sense of this Legislative Body that when individuals of such noble aims and accomplishments are brought to our attention, they should be celebrated and recognized by all the citizens of the great State of New York; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That this Legislative Body pause in its deliberations to honor Kelly Mittiga upon the occasion of receiving the 2012 Athena Award from the Geneva Area Chamber of Commerce; and be it further

RESOLVED, That a copy of this Resolution, suitably engrossed, be transmitted to Kelly Mittiga.