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LEGISLATIVE RESOLUTION congratulating Edward S. Walsh, P.E., upon the occasion of his designation as Honoree of the Cathedral Club of Brooklyn, New York

WHEREAS, It is the sense of this Legislative Body to recognize and pay tribute to those distinguished citizens who devote their time and energies to the service of their community and profession, participating in civic affairs and enhancing the character and quality of life for all citizens; and

WHEREAS, Attendant to such concern, and in full accord with its long-standing traditions, this Legislative Body is justly proud to congratulate Edward S. Walsh, P.E., upon the occasion of his designation as Honoree of the Cathedral Club of Brooklyn, New York; this auspicious occasion will be celebrated at the Club's 113th Anniversary Dinner, to be held on Tuesday, February 12, 2013, at the New York Marriott Marquis, 1535 Broadway, New York, New York; and

WHEREAS, The Cathedral Club of Brooklyn is a Catholic lay organization founded in the Diocese of Brooklyn, on March 1, 1900; the object of the founders of the Club was to make it the principal Catholic Club in the Diocese of Brooklyn and to advance Catholic interests, to promote the moral improvement of its members, to foster among them a true Catholic spirit, and by frequent social intercourse to unite them more closely in the pursuance of these ends; and

WHEREAS, Entering its second century, Cathedral Club of Brooklyn, New York, looks forward to its future, keeping in mind the original intent and objectives of its founders; and

WHEREAS, Edward S. Walsh, P.E., is currently the Principal and Managing Director of Project Management for Avison Young; prior to joining Avison Young, he was the founder and President of The Walsh Company, a multi-service advisory organization specializing in client representation and project management services; and

WHEREAS, Established in 2003, the Walsh Company was developed by Edward S. Walsh into a successful firm of fifty-plus employees based in Morristown, New Jersey; with offices in White Plains, New York; Boston,

Massachusetts; and Washington, D.C., it was ranked by NJBIZ in 2009 and 2010 as one of the "Top Companies to work for in New Jersey"; and WHEREAS, The Walsh Company was recognized throughout the real estate and construction industries for its quality of service and steadfast dedication to their clients; and WHEREAS, Edward S. Walsh began his career with Boswell Engineering; he held subsequent positions with Bomar Builders, and served for over 10 years as Senior Vice President at Gale and Wentworth; and WHEREAS, Edward S. Walsh holds a Bachelor's of Science in Civil Engineering from Villanova University and is a registered Professional Engineer in the state of New Jersey; and WHEREAS, Actively involved in helping to raise funds for several nonprofit organizations in Morris and Somerset counties in New Jersey, Edward S. Walsh has been recognized for his philanthropic efforts on behalf of the American Cancer Society, Somerset Hills Learning Institute, Interfaith Food Pantry of Morristown and Family Service of Morris County; and WHEREAS, Edward S. Walsh resides in Basking Ridge, New Jersey, with his wife of 22 years and three daughters ages 18, 16 and 14; and WHEREAS, Throughout the entire period of his professional and community service, a period of constructive involvement, Edward S. Walsh has stood constant in dignity, good grace and humor; and

WHEREAS, Rare indeed is the impressive dedication shown by an individual for the benefit of others which Edward S. Walsh has displayed throughout his life; and

WHEREAS, It is the sense of this Legislative Body that those who enhance the well-being and vitality of their profession and community, and have shown a long and sustained commitment to excellence, certainly have earned the recognition and applause of all citizens of this great Empire State; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That this Legislative Body pause in its deliberations to congratulate Edward S. Walsh, P.E., upon the occasion of his designation as Honoree of the Cathedral Club of Brooklyn, New York; and be it further

RESOLVED, That a copy of this Resolution, suitably engrossed, be transmitted to Edward S. Walsh.