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

WHEREAS, Frederick "Fritz" Peter and Virginia Chrisman were united in marriage on October 17, 1954, at the Methodist Church in Sandy Creek, New York; and

WHEREAS, Fritz Peter graduated from Mannsville Manor Central School, and served his country as a member of the United States Marines from 1950-1952; and

WHEREAS, Fritz Peter retired from Carpenters Local 12 in Syracuse in 1993, and is a member of the Lacona Veterans of Foreign Wars, the Beach Hunting Club of Boylston, and the Marine Corps League; and

WHEREAS, Virginia Peter is a graduate of Sandy Creek Central School, and in 1993, retired from the Lacona branch of M & T Bank; and

WHEREAS, Virginia Peter is a member of the Sandy Creek Grange, the Ontario Chapter of the Daughters of the American Revolution, and the New York State Grange; and

WHEREAS, Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Peter enjoy reading, playing cards, word puzzles and spending time with family and friends; and

WHEREAS, Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Peter are the proud parents of five children, Ann, Ken, David, Ernie and Fred, and the loving grandparents of 12 grandchildren, 14 great-grandchildren, and one great-great-grandchild; and

WHEREAS, Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Peter 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. Frederick Peter 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. Frederick Peter 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. Frederick Peter 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. Frederick Peter.