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LEGISLATIVE RESOLUTION honoring Ed Moore, Sr. upon the occasion of his designation as recipient of the 2014 Henry Crandall Award by the Crandall Public Library on September 13, 2014

WHEREAS, It is incumbent upon the people of the State of New York to recognize and acknowledge those within our midst who have made significant contributions to the quality of life therein; and

WHEREAS, A great community is only as great as those persons and organizations that provide exemplary service, whether through participation in voluntary programs, through unique personal achievement in their profession or other endeavors, or simply through a lifetime of good citizenship; and

WHEREAS, Attendant to such concern, and in full accord with its long-standing traditions, this Legislative Body is justly proud to honor Ed Moore, Sr. upon the occasion of his designation as recipient of the 2014 Henry Crandall Award by the Crandall Public Library, Glens Falls, New York, to be celebrated at its Annual Fall Fundraiser, Gala Noir: A Murderous Affair, hosted by Joe Donahue of WAMC's The Roundtable, on Saturday, September 13, 2014, at the Great Escape Lodge, Queensbury, New York; and

WHEREAS, The Henry Crandall Award recognizes one individual each year who has demonstrated the values and legacy of Library founder Henry Crandall (1821-1913), including generosity, perseverance, loyalty, compassion, civic pride, and philanthropy; and

WHEREAS, Ed Moore, Sr., owner of French Mountain Commons and Log Jam Outlet Centers, will receive this auspicious honor for his long-standing, consistent commitment to his community as well as his desire to improve the lives of others; and

WHEREAS, Ed Moore, Sr. has served on the board of the Charles R. Wood

Theater in Glens Falls for 11 years and the Seagle Music Colony in Schroon Lake for a decade; in addition, he is involved with the HEAR Foundation, which sponsors an orphanage for girls in Guatemala, and locally supports the Wait House, The Hyde Collection, Glens Falls Hospital, the YMCA, and Crandall Public Library, where he served on a planning committee during the early stages of the recent expansion and renovation; and

WHEREAS, After running a successful excavating business in Staten Island for over 25 years, Ed Moore, Sr. moved his family to Queensbury in 1987; he fell in love with the Adirondack Mountains and has remained there ever since; and

WHEREAS, With him throughout have been his three children, Natalie, Edward, and Zachary, and his six grandchildren, all of whom feel privileged to be a part of his life and rejoice in his achievements; and

WHEREAS, Rare indeed is the impressive dedication shown by an individual for the benefit of others which Ed Moore, Sr. 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 community and have shown a long and sustained commitment to excellence certainly have earned the recognition and applause of all the citizens of this great Empire State; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That this Legislative Body pause in its deliberations to honor Ed Moore, Sr. upon the occasion of his designation as recipient of the 2014 Henry Crandall Award by the Crandall Public Library on September 13, 2014; and be it further

RESOLVED, That a copy of this Resolution, suitably engrossed, be transmitted to Ed Moore, Sr.