

## 2015-J1800

LEGISLATIVE RESOLUTION commemorating the 100th Anniversary of Longwell Lumber on March 16, 2015

WHEREAS, It is the intent of this Legislative Body to commemorate the long histories of certain family-owned business endeavors, which are the cornerstone of economic success in this great Empire State; and

WHEREAS, Attendant to such concern, and in full accord with its long-standing traditions, this Legislative Body is justly proud to commemorate the 100th Anniversary of Longwell Lumber which was celebrated on March 16, 2015, in Bath, New York; and

WHEREAS, One of the oldest businesses in the Village of Bath, Longwell Lumber first opened its doors for business on March 16, 1915; and

WHEREAS, Throughout the years, Longwell Lumber has provided high-quality building materials and outstanding customer service to individuals and businesses in the Bath community; and

WHEREAS, This remarkable small business has experienced numerous additions and improvements over its lifetime; in 1965, the company completed the construction of new facilities to supply the modern age of do-it-yourself home projects; and

WHEREAS, Furthermore, Longwell Lumber built a large drive-thru warehouse in 1999, to further satisfy the changing needs of its many loyal customers; and

WHEREAS, Today, Longwell Lumber continues to play an integral role in promoting the economic vitality of its community; and

WHEREAS, Under the leadership of President Walt Longwell, Longwell Lumber looks forward to many more years of continued excellence and growth serving the residents of the Village of Bath and the surrounding areas; and

WHEREAS, It is with great pleasure that this Legislative Body acknowl-

edges this exceptional business and its contributions to the local and State economies, fully confident that it will continue to enjoy the sparkling successes it has experienced thus far; now, therefore, be it RESOLVED, That this Legislative Body pause in its deliberations to commemorate the 100th Anniversary of Longwell Lumber, and to wish this exceptional company well during the next 100 years; and be it further RESOLVED, That a copy of this Resolution, suitably engrossed, be transmitted to Walt Longwell, President, Longwell Lumber.