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LEGISLATIVE RESOLUTION honoring Kerry G. Konopka upon the occasion of her retirement after many years of distinguished public service to the Town of Shawangunk

WHEREAS, It is the sense of this Legislative Body to recognize and honor those distinguished citizens who demonstrate great courage and diligence in providing for the care and welfare of the citizens of their communities and this great Empire State; and

WHEREAS, Within every community of the State of New York there are certain individuals who, by virtue of their commitment and dedication, command the respect and admiration of their community for their exemplary contributions and service on behalf of others; and

WHEREAS, Attendant to such concern, and in full accord with its long-standing traditions, this Legislative Body is justly proud to honor Kerry G. Konopka upon the occasion of her retirement after many years of distinguished public service to the Town of Shawangunk, to be celebrated with a Luncheon in her honor on Wednesday, May 27, 2015; and

WHEREAS, For the past 28 years, Kerry G. Konopka has rendered faithful, conscientious and valuable service to the Town of Shawangunk, New York; and

WHEREAS, Kerry G. Konopka began her illustrious career as Shawangunk Justice Court Clerk on January 10, 1987; she will officially retire from this esteemed position on May 29, 2015, after nearly three decades of dedicated and unwavering service; and

WHEREAS, In her capacity as Court Clerk, Kerry G. Konopka served with loyalty, honor and distinction; she has been hardworking, dependable and efficient, always displaying the utmost professionalism, respect and compassion for everyone with whom she came into contact; and

WHEREAS, During her tenure with the Town of Shawangunk, Kerry G.

Konopka earned the admiration, esteem and affection of her colleagues;
and

WHEREAS, With her throughout have been her husband, James, and their son, Christopher, both of whom feel privileged to be a part of her life and rejoice in her achievements; and

WHEREAS, The quality and character of life in this Nation, and in the great State of New York, is reflective of the purposeful lives and good works of those civic-minded community members who dedicate their lives and careers to the service of others; and

WHEREAS, It is the custom 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 Empire State; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That this Legislative Body pause in its deliberations to honor Kerry G. Konopka upon the occasion of her retirement after many years of distinguished public service to the Town of Shawangunk; and be it further

RESOLVED, That a copy of this Resolution, suitably engrossed, be transmitted to Kerry G. Konopka.