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Legislative Resolution congratulating Pioneer Bank upon the occasion of its designation as recipient of the Established Business of the Year Award by the Downtown Troy Business Improvement District

WHEREAS, It is the sense of this Legislative Body to recognize that the quality and character of life in the communities across New York State are reflective of the concerned and dedicated efforts of those business organizations and individuals who would devote themselves to the welfare of the community and its citizenry; and

WHEREAS, This Legislative Body is justly proud to congratulate Pioneer Bank upon the occasion of its designation as recipient of the Established Business of the Year Award by the Downtown Troy Business Improvement District; this auspicious occasion was celebrated at the Troy Business Improvement District's annual dinner on Wednesday, December 3, 2014 at Franklin Plaza in Troy, New York; and

WHEREAS, The mission of the Downtown Troy Business Improvement District (BID) is to cultivate and advocate for the economic growth of downtown Troy by creating an inviting, dynamic, and sustainable community which celebrates the city's history while building towards its future; and

WHEREAS, The Downtown Troy BID is dedicated to improving the quality of life within the district, and to further enhance and develop its community into a more vibrant, attractive destination for visitors, businesses, residents, workers and property owners; and

WHEREAS, Pioneer Bank was founded in 1889 to serve the city of Troy and its residents; the principles behind its mutual bank model are to promote savings, encourage home ownership and provide financial support to help people build better lives; and

WHEREAS, Throughout the years, Pioneer Bank has endeavored to be a

financial institution whose management decisions are made for the good of the customer and whose success benefits the entire community; and WHEREAS, Pioneer Bank has continued to grow over its illustrious history, expanding its capabilities and reach, while keeping the same values and deep respect for its founding principles; and WHEREAS, It is the sense of this Legislative Body that when individuals and organizations of such noble aims and accomplishments are brought to our attention, they should be celebrated and recognized by all the citizens of this great Empire State; now, therefore, be it RESOLVED, That this Legislative Body pause in its deliberations to congratulate Pioneer Bank upon the occasion of its designation as recipient of the Established Business of the Year Award by the Downtown Troy Business Improvement District; and be it further RESOLVED, That a copy of this Resolution, suitably engrossed, be transmitted to Pioneer Bank.