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LEGISLATIVE RESOLUTION honoring Gurley Precision Instruments upon the occasion of its designation as recipient of the Established Business Award by the Downtown Troy Business Improvement District

WHEREAS, It is the sense of this Legislative Body to recognize the achievements of those individuals and businesses which substantially contribute to the economic vitality of their communities and the entire Empire State; and

WHEREAS, Attendant to such concern, and in full accord with its long-standing traditions, this Legislative Body is justly proud to honor Gurley Precision Instruments upon the occasion of its designation as recipient of the Established Business Award by the Downtown Troy Business Improvement District; this momentous occasion was celebrated on Wednesday, December 2, 2015, at Franklin Plaza, 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 Established Business Award is presented to a commercial business that has been in downtown Troy for many years and has been instrumental in its growth; and

WHEREAS, Gurley Precision Instruments was established in 1845, and is known for making encoders, optics and test instrumentation; these instruments produce the encoders which are exclusively used in F35 joint strike fighter jets and satellites that defend our country; and

WHEREAS, Under the able leadership of its President Martin Gordinier, Gurley Precision Instruments currently employs 75 people at its Fulton Street Plant; and

WHEREAS, Over its distinguished history, Gurley Precision Instruments has demonstrated continuous service to the residents and communities which it serves; and

WHEREAS, This auspicious occasion presents an opportunity for this Legislative Body to recognize and pay tribute to Gurley Precision Instruments; and

WHEREAS, It is with great pleasure that this Legislative Body acknowledges 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 honor Gurley Precision Instruments upon the occasion of its designation as recipient of the Established Business Award by the Downtown Troy Business Improvement District; and be it further

RESOLVED, That a copy of this Resolution, suitably engrossed, be transmitted to Gurley Precision Instruments.