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LEGISLATIVE RESOLUTION commemorating the 135th Anniversary of The Reporter

WHEREAS, It is the custom of this Legislative Body to pay tribute to those illustrious journalistic entities which have diligently and consistently, year after year, recorded the history of their communities and brought local news and news of the larger world to their readers; and

WHEREAS, Attendant to such concern, and in full accord with its long-standing traditions, this Legislative Body is justly proud to commemorate the 135th Anniversary of THE REPORTER; and

WHEREAS, For the past 135 years, THE REPORTER has remained steadfast to its mission, delivering to its readers significant news affecting their daily lives and featuring in-depth news reports of key local and regional issues, stories on regional business trends, complete sports coverage, specialty reports on schools, and lifestyle reports chronicling area events; and

WHEREAS, In addition, THE REPORTER reports on aspects of hometown life important to its readers while providing merchants large and small with an efficient vehicle to promote their goods and services; and

WHEREAS, The success of this valuable community resource is in direct correlation to the efforts of its editors and staff, whose involvement is, and always has been, characterized by an impressive commitment, an unbridled enthusiasm, and an uncompromising standard of excellence in all endeavors on behalf of this institution and those it serves; and

WHEREAS, As THE REPORTER moves into the future, it carries with it the legacy of a distinguished journalistic history and an outstanding record of growth and achievement; and

WHEREAS, Under the illustrious guidance of Publisher Edward S. Condra,

THE REPORTER will continue to serve the best interests of its readers and the State of New York for many years to come; and

WHEREAS, Our newspapers provide a tremendous service to citizens across the State of New York by keeping them informed about current events; the democracy of our State and Nation is strengthened by a responsible citizenry which is actively engaged in reading and kept abreast of news affecting their lives; and

WHEREAS, It is the sense of this Legislative Body that when local newspapers 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 commemorate the 35th Anniversary of THE REPORTER; and be it further

RESOLVED, That a copy of this Resolution, suitably engrossed, be transmitted to Edward S. Condra, Publisher, THE REPORTER.