

## 2015-J4282

LEGISLATIVE RESOLUTION commending Flexovit USA, Inc. upon the occasion of its designation as Business of the Year by the Evans-Brant Chamber of Commerce

WHEREAS, It is the sense of this Legislative Body to recognize and pay tribute to those businesses throughout the State of New York which have substantially contributed to the economic vitality of their communities; and

WHEREAS, Attendant to such concern, and in full accord with its long-standing traditions, this Legislative Body is justly proud to commend Flexovit USA, Inc. upon the occasion of its designation as Business of the Year by the Evans-Brant Chamber of Commerce, to be celebrated at its Annual President's Award and Recognition Dinner on Saturday, April 2, 2016, at Pioneer Camp and Retreat Center, Angola, New York; and

WHEREAS, Established in 1977, Flexovit USA, Inc. is an ISO 9001 Certified manufacturer of high productivity industrial abrasives for portable power tools, including resin bonded abrasive cutting wheels, grinding wheels, and coated abrasive flap discs; and

WHEREAS, Fire devastated the facility in July of 1995, leaving almost all of the manufacturing area destroyed; however, as the result of the steadfast and unwavering commitment of ownership to its employees and the community, Flexovit USA, Inc. rebuilt a 100,000 square foot manufacturing factory in Angola, New York; and

WHEREAS, Flexovit USA, Inc. was again rocked by disaster in November of 2014, when the roof over the warehouse and much of the manufacturing facility collapsed; again, as the result of true hard work and dedication the company is rebuilding; and

WHEREAS, Currently, within the limited space available, grinding wheels are being produced, and a second manufacturing factory will be

located at 1305 Eden Evans Center Road in Angola, New York; and  
WHEREAS, Even through much adversity, Flexovit USA, Inc. has remained true to its mission to be the most valued supplier of industrial abrasive products to customers that require the highest levels of product quality, service, and expertise; and

WHEREAS, Over its distinguished 39 year history, Flexovit USA, Inc. has demonstrated continuous service to the residents and communities which it serves; and

WHEREAS, The success of Flexovit USA, Inc. is in direct correlation to the efforts of its ownership 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 the organization and the community it serves; and

WHEREAS, It is with great pleasure that this Legislative Body acknowledges Flexovit USA, Inc.'s contributions to the local and State economies, and extends its highest commendation to this corporate enterprise, fully confident that it will continue to enjoy the sparkling success it has enjoyed thus far; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That this Legislative Body pause in its deliberations to commend Flexovit USA, Inc. upon the occasion of its designation as Business of the Year by the Evans-Brant Chamber of Commerce; and be it further

RESOLVED, That a copy of this Resolution, suitably engrossed, be transmitted to Flexovit USA, Inc.