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LEGISLATIVE RESOLUTION congratulating Mr. and Mrs. Bernhard Wagner upon the occasion of celebrating their 50th Wedding Anniversary

WHEREAS, Bernhard Wagner and Eileen Gorman were united in marriage on April 11, 1966, at Queen of Heaven Catholic Church in West Seneca, New York; the couple celebrated this momentous occasion with a renewal of their vows and a party with family and friends; and

WHEREAS, They are the proud parents of five children and have seven grandchildren; and

WHEREAS, Mr. and Mrs. Bernhard Wagner are and always have been a tower of strength, support, understanding and limitless love for their family; and

WHEREAS, Their love, devotion, caring, sensitivity and responsiveness to their family, friends and all who know them are their hallmark and tradition; and

WHEREAS, Mr. and Mrs. Bernhard Wagner have lived and continue to live their lives with great dignity and genuine grace, always demonstrating a deep and continuing concern for human values and ideals, and in so doing, they have inspired others to do the same; and

WHEREAS, Bernhard Wagner is a retired teacher for the Lackawanna City School District, and Eileen is a retired Early Childhood Services worker for Erie County; and

WHEREAS, This meaningful occasion is the result of the love, hard work and spirit this couple has invested in their marriage; and

WHEREAS, These same values they have passed to their loved ones, producing a family that is close-knit and supportive of its individual members, public-minded in its relations to the community and committed to the ideals of citizenship upon which this Nation was founded; and

WHEREAS, Mr. and Mrs. Bernhard Wagner have touched the lives of their

family and many friends through the shining example of their marriage, which is a testament to the devotion and admiration which they possess for one another; and

WHEREAS, The longevity of this enduring marriage truly marks a milestone in life's journey, an event of personal triumph and joy; and

WHEREAS, It is the sense of this Legislative Body that when an occasion of such importance is brought to our attention, the same should be memorialized by us for the edification and emulation of others; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That this Legislative Body pause in its deliberations to congratulate Mr. and Mrs. Bernhard Wagner upon the occasion of their 50th Wedding Anniversary; and be it further

RESOLVED, That a copy of this Resolution, suitably engrossed, be transmitted to Mr. and Mrs. Bernhard Wagner.