

## 2023-J312

Senate Resolution No. 312

BY: Senator GRIFFO

COMMEMORATING the 50th Anniversary of Cianfrocco's  
Subs, Wings & Pizza

WHEREAS, It is the sense of this Legislative Body to recognize illustrious culinary establishments which have positively impacted and substantially contributed to the 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 commemorate the 50th Anniversary of Cianfrocco's Subs, Wings & Pizza; and

WHEREAS, The remarkable success of Cianfrocco's Subs, Wings & Pizza is due in large part to its owners, Ann, and her late husband, Rich Cianfrocco, and their dedicated staff, whose warmth and hospitality are easily recognized by their loyal patrons; this dynamic business is well-versed in customer service and truly makes everyone who walks through their door feel like family; and

WHEREAS, The staff's 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 business and the community it serves; and

WHEREAS, The business came into Rich Cianfrocco's possession after

his cousin Paul opened it a year prior and ultimately decided to pursue another endeavor; Ann Cianfrocco joined alongside her husband shortly thereafter to assist in running the business, which was called The Sub-Way at the time; they specialized in submarine sandwiches and chips then, and later expanded their menu to include chicken wings and pizza, keeping up with customer demands; and

WHEREAS, Cianfrocco's Subs, Wings & Pizza pioneered the food service industry in its home of Rome, New York, being the first to offer food delivery; and

WHEREAS, A testament to the strength and determination of Cianfrocco's Subs, Wings & Pizza, the business operated throughout the height of the COVID-19 pandemic, unwaveringly providing pickup and delivery services for their neighbors; and

WHEREAS, Owner Rich Cianfrocco passed away in June of 2017; his dedication and contributions to the success of Cianfrocco's Subs, Wings & Pizza have been, and will continue to be, sincerely missed by members of his community, his wife, Ann, and their staff; and

WHEREAS, For five decades, Cianfrocco's Subs, Wings & Pizza has stood as a beloved establishment which has provided a friendly, open environment for patrons to collectively gather and share their thoughts, ideas, and life experiences; and

WHEREAS, Owner Ann Cianfrocco's favorite aspect of operating Cianfrocco's Subs, Wings & Pizza is seeing the many familiar customers who have supported their business over the last five decades; 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 commemorate the 50th Anniversary of Cianfrocco's Subs, Wings & Pizza, and to offer its best wishes for continued success in all their future endeavors; and be it further

RESOLVED, That a copy of this Resolution, suitably engrossed, be transmitted to Ann Cianfrocco, Owner, Cianfrocco's Subs, Wings & Pizza.