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Assembly Resolution No. 710

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CONGRATULATING Mr. and Mrs. Salvatore Nicastro upon the occasion of celebrating their 70th Wedding Anniversary

WHEREAS, This Legislative Body takes great pleasure in paying tribute to those flourishing marriages that have stood the test of time to serve as a paradigm for present and future generations; and

WHEREAS, It is the sense of this Legislative Body to congratulate Mr. and Mrs. Salvatore Nicastro upon the occasion of their 70th Wedding Anniversary, celebrated with a party in their honor on Sunday, June 4, 2023; and

WHEREAS, Salvatore "Sam" and Angeline "Angie" Nicastro were united in marriage on June 6, 1953, at the 10am Mass at Immaculate Conception Church in Schenectady, New York; and

WHEREAS, Salvatore Nicastro proudly served his country as a member of the United States Navy during the Korean War; he was honorably discharged in February of 1954; during this time the couple moved into their home at the edge of Schenectady, which was originally built by Sam's family, and where they continues to reside today; and

WHEREAS, Both from the City of Schenectady, Salvatore Nicastro attended Nott Terrace High School, and Angeline went to Mont Pleasant

High School, where she was on the committee for the first dance of the school year and hired a seven-piece band to play; Sam played tenor saxophone in the band, and the rest is history; and

WHEREAS, Angeline Nicastro began working at Ellis Hospital as an administrative secretary in 1962, and remained for 22 years; Salvatore worked for 23 years as a tool crib attendant, responsible for the supplies and tools at Condec, a company which built things such as amphibious boats and tanker trucks for the military; and

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

WHEREAS, They are the proud parents of four children, Michael,
David, Michael and Paul, as well as their spouses, and the loving
grandparents of nine grandchildren, three step-grandchildren, and four
great-grandchildren; and

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

WHEREAS, Mr. and Mrs. Salvatore Nicastro 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 doing so, have inspired others to do the same; 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. Salvatore Nicastro 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 practice 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. Salvatore Nicastro upon the occasion of celebrating their 70th Wedding Anniversary; and be it further

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