

## 2009-K22

LEGISLATIVE RESOLUTION mourning the death of Stewart Clark Bush, distinguished citizen and devoted member of his community

WHEREAS, It is with great sorrow and deep regret that this Legislative Body records the passing of Stewart Clark Bush of Pendleton, New York, who died on August 3, 2008; and

WHEREAS, The son of Emmanuel and Elizabeth Bush, Stewart Clark Bush was born on March 12, 1912, in the Town of Pendleton, New York; he married the former Jeannette Lenz on August 26, 1939, in Buffalo, New York; and

WHEREAS, Stewart Clark Bush owned and operated "The Bonny-Jen Farm," a dairy and grain farm on Bear Ridge Road and retired from the United States Corps of Army Engineers after 45 years of service; and

WHEREAS, A member and Trustee of the Pendleton Center United Methodist Church for many years, Stewart Clark Bush was a former member of the Zoning Board of Appeals for the Town of Pendleton and a former insurance agent for Erie & Niagara Insurance Association; and

WHEREAS, Stewart Clark Bush is survived by his five children: Diane Spaziana and her husband, Michael; Claudia Rowe and her husband, William; Bonnie Bush; S. William Bush and his wife, Karen; and Thomas Bush and his wife, Diane; eight grandchildren: Lucas Herman and his wife, Wendy; Paula Adams and her husband, Kenneth; Sheryl Bates and her husband, Jeffrey; Kate Maerten and her husband, Joel; and Sarah, Heather, Jenna and Lindsay Bush; and eight great-grandchildren, all of whom felt privileged to be a part of his life and rejoiced in his many achievements; and

WHEREAS, Armed with a humanistic spirit, imbued with a sense of compassion, and comforted by a loving family, Stewart Clark Bush leaves behind a legacy which will long endure the passage of time and will

remain as a comforting memory to all he served and befriended; now,  
therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That this Legislative Body pause in its deliberations to  
mourn the death of Stewart Clark Bush, distinguished citizen and devoted  
member of his community; and be it further

RESOLVED, That a copy of this Resolution, suitably engrossed, be tran-  
smitted to the family of Stewart Clark Bush.