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

WHEREAS, Donna Ingersoll and Arnold Loucks were united in marriage on June 30, 1962, at First United Methodist Church in Watertown, New York; and

WHEREAS, They are the proud parents of Desiree Loucks Baer and Andrea Loucks Gardner and have three grandchildren, Sara Gardner, Samantha Loucks Baer and Daniel Loucks Baer; and

WHEREAS, Arnold Loucks worked as a carpenter and mason for over 30 years prior to his retirement; he is currently managing rental properties; and

WHEREAS, Donna Loucks retired from Lowville Central School after 32 years and is now an owner and broker of D Laux Properties; and

WHEREAS, Valued and involved members of their community, Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Loucks have been involved members of Lowville Methodist Church, Lewis County Chamber of Commerce, and the Pratt-Northam Board; and

WHEREAS, Additionally, Donna Loucks has served as the Clerk of the Village of Castorland and Arnold Loucks has served as the Trustee of the Village; and

WHEREAS, Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Loucks 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. Arnold Loucks 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, 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. Arnold Loucks 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. Arnold Loucks upon the occasion of celebrating their 50th Wedding Anniversary; and be it further

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