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LEGISLATIVE RESOLUTION honoring Janine Paddock upon the occasion of her induction into the Campground Owners of New York Hall of Fame

WHEREAS, It is the sense of this Legislative Body to recognize those individuals and organizations within the great State of New York that are dedicated to the preservation of our natural environment; and

WHEREAS, Attendant to such concern, and in full accord with its long-standing traditions, this Legislative Body is justly proud to honor

Janine Paddock upon the occasion of her induction into the Campground Owners of New York Hall of Fame on Saturday, November 3, 2012; and

WHEREAS, This fine event is Campground Owners of New York's (CONY) 49th Annual Exposition for the Outdoor Hospitality Industry, to be held in Lake George, New York; and

WHEREAS, Since 1982, Janine Paddock has served as co-owner of Deer River Campsite in Malone, New York; along with her husband, Gil, they have owned Deer River Campsite and have been active in CONY since joining the association in 1982; and

WHEREAS, Janine Paddock is a Past President of the board of directors, having served from 2001-2007; she also served as Vice President of the board, CONY Region 8 Director, and as CONY Conference Chairperson; in addition, she is joining Gil as a fellow member of the Hall of Fame with her induction; and

WHEREAS, CONY Hall of Fame members are nominated based on a variety of factors, including service to CONY or its board of directors, other leadership roles both in CONY and in their communities, community service, and championship of the outdoor hospitality industry; Janine Paddock will be the 15th inductee into the Hall of Fame in CONY's 49 years of operation as a trade association; and

WHEREAS, Janine Paddock attended Hudson Valley Community College for

Dental Hygiene in Troy, New York, and for Nursing at Champlain Valley School of Nursing in Plattsburgh; she worked in both the dental and medical professions from 1972 to 2004; and

WHEREAS, Over the years, in addition to her trained professions and campground ownership, Janine Paddock has served as a Red Cross Certified Instructor Trainer in Advanced First Aid, a volunteer member and Past Chief of the Duane Fire Department, a volunteer coach for the Franklin Academy Speech and Debate Team, and Chairperson of the Franklin Academy High School Improvement Committee; and

WHEREAS, Janine Paddock is a dedicated and hands-on advocate for CONY's mission of promotion, growth, improvement and development of privately owned campgrounds in New York State; in reference to campgrounds, she and Gil have worked tirelessly over the years on regulations of the Adirondack Park Agency; and

WHEREAS, A true asset to society, Janine Paddock's distinguished record merits the recognition and respectful tribute of this Legislative Body; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That this Legislative Body pause in its deliberations to honor Janine Paddock upon the occasion of her induction into the Campground Owners of New York Hall of Fame; and be it further

RESOLVED, That a copy of this Resolution, suitably engrossed, be transmitted to Janine Paddock.