

## 2013-J2792

LEGISLATIVE RESOLUTION commending EMS Global, Inc. upon the occasion of celebrating its 20th Anniversary on October 19, 2013

WHEREAS, It is the sense of this Legislative Body to recognize and pay tribute to those illustrious volunteer organizations within the State of New York which provide vital emergency medical training services; and WHEREAS, Attendant to such concern, and in full accord with its long-standing traditions, this Legislative Body is justly proud to commend EMS Global, Inc. upon the occasion of its 20th Anniversary to be observed with a Gala celebration on Saturday, October 19, 2013, at the Polish Community Club, Utica, New York; the night will include the live music of Tas Cru and his Blues Band as well as a Chinese Auction; and WHEREAS, Established in 1993 and registered as a nonprofit organization in the State of New York in 1995, the mission of EMS Global, Inc. is to assist globally in the modernization of the delivery of emergency medical care; and

WHEREAS, An International Training Organization, EMS Global, Inc. has successfully worked to provide medical training to individual medical staffing in the United States, Poland and the Cayman Islands; and

WHEREAS, Over the past 20 years, EMS Global, Inc. has spent a considerable amount of time and effort in the improvement of Emergency Medicine in Poland; furthermore, this vital organization has donated medical equipment, developed physician and paramedic exchange programs, and provided lectures and seminars in Poland; and

WHEREAS, In the past few years the focus of EMS Global, Inc. has moved toward education developing a national American Heart Association training network in Poland; and

WHEREAS, By providing knowledge and skills to those involved in EMS, Emergency Medicine, and Emergency Management, EMS Global, Inc. will both

empower them and allow them to improve the emergency medical system and decrease morbidity and mortality; and

WHEREAS, EMS Global, Inc., a volunteer organization, is a not-for-profit, non-governmental, grass roots organization and its motto, which embodies its support of public access defibrillation is: "Shock the World"; and

WHEREAS, Volunteerism is an essential element of all societies; it provides a way in which the human values of community, caring and serving can be sustained and strengthened; and

WHEREAS, Volunteerism promotes family and community solidarity; most importantly, people who volunteer their time in civic and charitable endeavors inspire others to the call of volunteerism; and

WHEREAS, This Legislative Body is justly proud to commend an organization such as EMS Global, Inc. for its continuing efforts in making the world a better, healthier place for all to live, work, and raise a family; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That this Legislative Body pause in its deliberations to commend EMS Global, Inc. upon the occasion of celebrating its 20th Anniversary on October 19, 2013; and be it further

RESOLVED, That a copy of this Resolution, suitably engrossed, be transmitted to EMS Global, Inc.