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LEGISLATIVE RESOLUTION commending Marilyn Laubacher upon the occasion of her retirement after many years of distinguished service as the Librarian of the Baldwinsville Public Library

WHEREAS, It is the sense of this Legislative Body to honor and recognize those dedicated individuals, who have improved the culture of our community through exemplary institutions whose purpose is dedicated to serving the community and the needs of its citizenry; and

WHEREAS, Attendant to such concern, and in full accord with its longstanding traditions, it is the intent of this Legislative Body to hereby recognize and honor Marilyn Laubacher upon the occasion of her retirement after many years of distinguished service as the Librarian of the Baldwinsville Public Library; and

WHEREAS, Marilyn Laubacher joined the library as Director on July 6, 1983; during her tenure the library has grown and flourished significantly, including a new facility, which opened in October of 1995, and is located centrally in the Village of Baldwinsville; and

WHEREAS, During her time at the Baldwinsville Public Library, Marilyn Laubacher has worked to improve the library's technology system, instituted Sunday hours, added new equipment, implemented various new programs, and created several new positions including Adult Programming Librarian and a full-time Children's Librarian; and

WHEREAS, Marilyn Laubacher also used her involvement with the Baldwinsville Chamber of Commerce to combine resources to administer grants that provided the community with additional services and made the new building more user friendly; and

WHEREAS, Most recently, Marilyn Laubacher received one of the highest honors one can receive, the 2013 Ruth Connell Award and was named Employee of the Year as a result of being nominated by several of her

fellow co-workers; and

WHEREAS, According to her friends and colleagues, it has been said of Marilyn Laubacher that she exhibits tremendous leadership skills, is always a team player, sacrifices her time and energies without complaint, finds the strength in those who work with her and always puts the patrons of the community first; and

WHEREAS, In her capacity as the Librarian, Marilyn Laubacher served with loyalty, honor and distinction, and was governed by a keen sense of duty, always showing a unique grasp of human problems; and

WHEREAS, During her tenure with the Baldwinsville Public Library, Marilyn Laubacher earned the admiration, esteem and affection of her colleagues; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That this Legislative Body pause in its deliberations to recognize and honor Marilyn Laubacher upon the occasion of her retirement after many years of distinguished service to the Baldwinsville Public Library and the community of Baldwinsville; and be it further

RESOLVED, That a copy of this Resolution, suitably engrossed, be transmitted to Marilyn Laubacher.