

## 2013-K749

LEGISLATIVE RESOLUTION honoring Patricia S. Knapp upon the occasion of her retirement after many years of distinguished service as Councilwoman of the Town of Perinton

WHEREAS, This Legislative Body seeks to acknowledge those individuals whose professional lives and civic endeavors serve to enhance the stature of the State of New York; and

WHEREAS, This Legislative Body is justly proud to honor Patricia S. Knapp upon the occasion of her retirement after many years of distinguished service as Councilwoman of the Town of Perinton; and

WHEREAS, Currently serving as Deputy Supervisor, Patricia "Pat" Knapp has been a member of the Town Council since 1981, and was an elected Fairport Trustee from 1975 to 1981; and

WHEREAS, She founded the Fairport Farmers' Market and established Village Days, the predecessor to Fairport Canal Days; and

WHEREAS, A life-long resident, Patricia S. Knapp has a strong interest in involving people with their community, developing good intergovernmental relations, and promoting Perinton; and

WHEREAS, Under the luminous direction of Councilwoman Patricia S. Knapp, the Town of Perinton has been added to the notable list of "Top 100 Best Places to Live in America"; and

WHEREAS, Patricia S. Knapp has been the recipient of numerous awards and accolades, including the 2006 Citizen of the Year Award by the Perinton Chamber of Commerce, and being named a 2002 New York State Senate Woman of Distinction; and

WHEREAS, Patricia S. Knapp rendered faithful, conscientious and valuable service to the Town of Perinton; in her capacity as Councilwoman, she served with loyalty, honor and distinction; and

WHEREAS, In her official acts, Patricia S. Knapp was governed by a

keen sense of duty and always showed a unique grasp of human problems, earning the admiration, esteem and affection of her colleagues; and WHEREAS, It is the sense of this Legislative Body that those who enhance the wellbeing and vitality of their community and have shown a long and sustained commitment to excellence certainly have earned the recognition and applause of all the citizens of this great Empire State; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That this Legislative Body pause in its deliberations to honor Patricia S. Knapp upon the occasion of her retirement, and to extend its best wishes to her in all her future endeavors; and be it further

RESOLVED, That a copy of this Resolution, suitably engrossed, be transmitted to Patricia S. Knapp.