

## 2013-J3342

LEGISLATIVE RESOLUTION commemorating the 50th Anniversary of Elmira AARP Chapter 276, to be celebrated April 16, 2014

WHEREAS, Senior citizens bring a wealth of experience and knowledge to the increasingly active roles they play in today's society; their past contributions and future participation are a vital part of, and valuable asset to, the fabric of community life and activity; and

WHEREAS, It is the custom of this Legislative Body to commend those illustrious organizations of the State of New York whose purposeful endeavors serve to enhance the quality of life for retired and senior citizens, and have made a substantial impact on the quality of life in their communities; and

WHEREAS, Attendant to such concerns, and in full accord with its long-standing traditions, this Legislative Body is pleased to commemorate the 50th Anniversary of Elmira AARP Chapter 276, to be celebrated with a Luncheon at Elmira Holiday Inn-Riverview on Wednesday, April 16, 2014; and

WHEREAS, The American Association of Retired Persons (AARP) is a nonprofit, nonpartisan organization that helps people 50 and older improve the quality of their lives; and

WHEREAS, Elmira AARP Chapter 276 is a proud and vital part of New York State's 2.7 million AARP members; for 50 years, this vibrant organization has worked unceasingly to make the lives of all seniors more secure, protected and meaningful; and

WHEREAS, Elmira AARP Chapter 276 is respected and admired throughout the community for its work; the organization is involved in various community service activities, and are effective policy advocates at forums and town hall meetings; and

WHEREAS, The accomplishments of the Elmira AARP Chapter 276 are in

direct correlation to the efforts of its dedicated members whose involvement is and has been characterized by an impressive commitment, an unbridled enthusiasm, and an uncompromising standard of excellence in all endeavors on behalf of the organization and the people it serves; and

WHEREAS, It is the sense of this Legislative Body that when organizations of such noble aims and accomplishments are brought to our attention, they should be celebrated and recognized by all the citizens of the great State of New York; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That this Legislative Body pause in its deliberations to commemorate the 50th Anniversary of the Elmira AARP Chapter 276, and to wish its members continued success in its future endeavors; and be it further

RESOLVED, That a copy of this Resolution, suitably engrossed, be transmitted to Elmira AARP Chapter 276.