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LEGISLATIVE RESOLUTION congratulating Teresa Fusco Fulgan upon the occasion of celebrating her 100th Birthday

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, Teresa Fusco Fulgan was born on October 28, 1913, to Pasquale and Rachael Picciocche Fusco, and has been a resident of Green Island, New York, for much of her lifetime; and

WHEREAS, This exceptional centenarian, with her zest for life, has inspired and enhanced the lives of her family and friends; and

WHEREAS, Teresa Fusco Fulgan and her late husband, Peter, were the proud parents of six children, Peter (Patricia), John, Theresa (David), Rachel (Louis), Richard, and the late Pasquale; today, she is the loving grandmother of 10 grandchildren and seven great-grandchildren; and

WHEREAS, As a homemaker, Teresa Fusco Fulgan helped her husband Peter operate their business, The Park Hotel, for more than 30 years until retiring in 1977, when their son Pasquale took over the business; and

WHEREAS, This distinguished woman has experienced the incredible joys and sorrows characteristic of and reserved for those with the stamina and courage to savor a full life; and

WHEREAS, A communicant of St. Anthony's Church in Troy, New York, Teresa Fusco Fulgan is an active member of the Green Island Senior Citizens; and

WHEREAS, This beloved woman has enriched the lives of those around her through her joyous and sincere love for others and through the quiescent charm and wisdom which comes only from a fullness of years; and

WHEREAS, It is the intent of this Legislative Body to publicly recog-

nize those who have reached such a remarkable age and who have witnessed and celebrated the innovations, cultural developments and awesome achievements of this country during the last century, while themselves contributing to the growth and excellence of this great Empire State; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That this Legislative Body pause in its deliberations to congratulate Teresa Fusco Fulgan upon the occasion of her 100th Birthday; and be it further

RESOLVED, That a copy of this Resolution, suitably engrossed, be transmitted to Teresa Fusco Fulgan.