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LEGISLATIVE RESOLUTION congratulating Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Shambo upon the occasion of celebrating their 55th Wedding Anniversary

WHEREAS, Joseph Shambo and Margaret "Peg" Hannah were united in marriage on August 9, 1958, at St. John's Catholic Church in Oswego, New York, with the Reverend Harold Quinn officiating; and

WHEREAS, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Shambo, residents of West Carthage, New York, celebrated their 55th Wedding Anniversary with a family party held in their honor on August 10, 2013, at Cavallario's Restaurant in Alexandria Bay, New York; and

WHEREAS, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Shambo are both graduates of Oswego High School and active members of St. James Catholic Church; and WHEREAS, Joseph Shambo served his country as a member of the United States Army in Korea from 1953 to 1955; he was employed by the Carrier Corporation and then attended State Teachers College, graduating in 1962 with a bachelor's degree in industrial arts education and a master's degree in counseling; and

WHEREAS, Joseph Shambo taught industrial arts at Carthage Central School from 1962 until his retirement in 1991; and

WHEREAS, Peg Shambo was employed at Marine Midland Bank from 1956 to 1962, and was a dedicated homemaker; and

WHEREAS, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Shambo are the proud parents of four children, Thomas, Susan, Mary Beth, and the late Joseph, Jr., and the loving grandparents of nine grandchildren; and

WHEREAS, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Shambo are and always have been a tower of strength, support, understanding and limitless love for their family; and

WHEREAS, Their love, devotion, caring, sensitivity and responsiveness to their family, friends and all who know them are their hallmark and

tradition; and

WHEREAS, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Shambo have lived and continue to live their lives with great dignity and genuine grace, always demonstrating a deep and continuing concern for human values and ideals, and in so doing, they have inspired others to do the same; and WHEREAS, This meaningful occasion is the result of the love, hard work and spirit that this couple has invested in their marriage; and WHEREAS, They have passed these same values to their loved ones, producing a family that is close-knit and supportive of its individual members, public-minded in its relations to the community and committed to the ideals of citizenship upon which this Nation was founded; and WHEREAS, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Shambo have touched the lives of their family and many friends through the shining example of their marriage, which is a testament to the devotion and admiration which they possess for one another; and

WHEREAS, The longevity of this enduring marriage truly marks a milestone in life's journey, an event of personal triumph and joy; and WHEREAS, It is the sense of this Legislative Body that when an occasion of such importance is brought to our attention, the same should be memorialized by us for the edification and emulation of others; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That this Legislative Body pause in its deliberations to congratulate Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Shambo upon the occasion of celebrating their 55th Wedding Anniversary; and be it further RESOLVED, That a copy of this Resolution, suitably engrossed, be transmitted to Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Shambo.