LEGISLATIVE RESOLUTION commemorating the 75th Anniversary of the Freeport Marine Supply, and commending owner Irwin Ross for special recognition

WHEREAS, It is the sense of this Legislative Body to recognize the achievements of those individuals and businesses which substantially contribute to the economic vitality of their communities and the entire Empire State; and

WHEREAS, This Legislative Body is honored to acknowledge those businesses within the State of New York which distinguish themselves through outstanding professional behavior, innovation, and enduring commitment to the community; and

WHEREAS, Attendant to such concern, and in full accord with its longstanding traditions, this Legislative Body is justly proud to commemorate the 75th Anniversary of the Freeport Marine Supply, and commending owner Irwin Ross for special recognition; and WHEREAS, Freeport Marine Supply has remained a top contender with a proven track record in the boating industry for 75 years; its business has been catering to the boater's every need, establishing a store that has grown with the industry and the people who love it; and WHEREAS, Founded by his father as a family business in 1939, Irwin Ross is the second generation to take the helm; he credits his father's strong work ethic and business acumen to the success of Freeport Marine Supply; after 75 years, it is still a thriving business within the recreational boating industry; and WHEREAS, One of the ingredients which makes Freeport Marine Supply so successful is the large variety of merchandise available in stock, all readily accessible to the customers in need; and WHEREAS, Since 1939, the Freeport Marine Supply has effectively

carried out its mission of old world tradition and cutting edge technology, and has demonstrated the culmination of its courteous professionals, attractive prices, and the large selection of inventory which has kept the store satisfying their customers, children, and grandchildren for more than seven decades; and

WHEREAS, It is with great pleasure that this Legislative Body acknowledges this exceptional business and its contributions to the local and State economies, fully confident that it will continue to enjoy the sparkling successes it has experienced thus far; now, therefore, be it RESOLVED, That this Legislative Body pause in its deliberations to commemorate the 75th Anniversary of the Freeport Marine Supply, and commending owner Irwin Ross for special recognition; and be it further RESOLVED, That a copy of this Resolution, suitably engrossed, be transmitted to Irwin Ross, owner, Freeport Marine Supply.