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LEGISLATIVE RESOLUTION congratulating Mr. and Mrs. Duane V. Burcume upon the occasion of celebrating their 50th Wedding Anniversary

WHEREAS, Paulette and Duane V. Burcume were united in marriage on July 27, 1963, at St. Henry's Catholic Church in DeKalb Junction, New York, with Monsignor George N. Whittacker officiating; and WHEREAS, Mr. and Mrs. Duane V. Burcume celebrated their 50th Wedding Anniversary on July 27, 2013, at the White Brick Cafe in Tupper Lake, New York, with their children and their wedding attendants; and WHEREAS, They are the proud parents of two children, Denise and Daryl, both of whom feel privileged to be a part of their life and rejoice in their achievements; and

WHEREAS, Paulette Burcume, the daughter of the late Gerald and Gladys Cunningham, retired in 2007, from Canton Central School where she was a Teacher's Assistant in the Special Education Department; and WHEREAS, Duane V. Burcume, the son of the late Vernon and Eva May Burcume, retired in 1996, after more than 34 years with the Quality Milk Promotion Services Program; and

WHEREAS, Mr. and Mrs. Duane V. Burcume 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. Duane V. Burcume 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 this couple has invested in their marriage; and WHEREAS, These same values they have passed 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. Duane V. Burcume 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. Duane V. Burcume upon the occasion of their 50th Wedding Anniversary; and be it further RESOLVED, That a copy of this Resolution, suitably engrossed, be tran-

smitted to Mr. and Mrs. Duane V. Burcume.