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LEGISLATIVE RESOLUTION congratulating Mr. and Mrs. Donald R. Davis upon the occasion of celebrating their 50th Wedding Anniversary

WHEREAS, Lucinda and Donald R. Davis were united in marriage on October 6, 1963, in Mannsville, New York, with The Reverend Miles Hutchinson officiating; and

WHEREAS, They are the proud parents of four children, Christopher, Eric, Lyndsey and Meggan, and the loving grandparents of six grandchildren; and

WHEREAS, Lucinda Davis, the daughter of the late Harold and Ellen Miller, graduated from Mannsville High School, before working in data processing in Syracuse, New York; and

WHEREAS, She was also a licensed practical nurse for the House of the Good Samaritan in Watertown, New York, later known as Samaritan Medical Center; she was also a substitute nurse for local schools and a physician's office nurse; and

WHEREAS, Active in her community, Lucinda Davis has been a member of the Mannsville Rescue Squad for 20 years; and

WHEREAS, Donald R. Davis, the son of Donald E. Davis and the late Sylvia Williams, graduated from Mannsville-Manor High School, and received an associate degree from Jefferson Community College in Watertown, New York; and

WHEREAS, He served his country as a member of the United States Army for three years; he then went to work for Anheuser-Busch, retiring in 2000; and

WHEREAS, Mr. and Mrs. Donald R. Davis 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. Donald R. Davis 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. Donald R. Davis 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. Donald R. Davis upon the occasion of celebrating their 50th Wedding Anniversary; and be it further

RESOLVED, That a copy of this Resolution, suitably engrossed, be transmitted to Mr. and Mrs. Donald R. Davis.