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LEGISLATIVE RESOLUTION honoring Norb Fuest upon the occasion of his retirement after over 30 years of distinguished service to Morton Salt, Inc.

WHEREAS, This Legislative Body seeks to acknowledge those individuals whose professional lives and civic endeavors serve to enhance the stature of the State of New York; and

WHEREAS, Norb Fuest's remarkable career of professional and personal service to his town, State and country warrants the recognition and commendation of this Legislative Body; and

WHEREAS, Attendant to such concern, and in full accord with its long-standing traditions, this Legislative Body is justly proud to honor Norb Fuest upon the occasion of his retirement after over 30 years of distinguished service to Morton Salt, Inc.; and

WHEREAS, For the past 30 years, Norb Fuest rendered faithful, conscientious and valuable service to Morton Salt, Inc. as Human Resource Director; and

WHEREAS, In his capacity as Human Resource Director, Norb Fuest served with loyalty, honor and distinction, earning the admiration, esteem and affection of his colleagues; and

WHEREAS, Norb Fuest has been called upon to contribute his time and talents to countless civic and charitable endeavors and has always given of himself unstintingly; and

WHEREAS, A highly successful and incredibly busy professional and community leader, Norb Fuest was chosen as the 2011 Business Education Council's Partner in Education recipient for his selfless devotion of time and energy for his work in support of the youth of Wyoming County; and

WHEREAS, In 1981, as one of the Business Education Council's original

founders, Norb Fuest was instrumental in the formation and implementation of this non-profit organization; he saw a need to prepare our future workforce and pulled together many influential people from both the business and educational communities; and

WHEREAS, An inspiration to all and an exemplary role model for all of the students it serves, Norb Fuest served as the Business Education Council Board President from 1981 to 1996, and today, continues to serve on the Executive Committee; and

WHEREAS, In conjunction with his commitment to the Business Education Council, some of Norb Fuest's additional contributions include: Attica CSD School Board Member for six terms, serving as both President and Vice President, Volunteer for Attica CSD Marching Band, United Way Board of Directors, Workforce Investment Board of Directors, New York State Workforce Investment Board, Wyoming County IDA Board Chairman, Genesee Community College Housing Board President, Foundation for College Village, Genesee Area Personnel Association, serving as both President and Treasurer, Wyoming County Chamber of Commerce Board, BOCES Technical Advisory, Wyoming County Hospital Foundation, Wyoming County Business Center, Wyoming County Business Development Corporation Board, and Association Genesee Valley Parade Judge; and

WHEREAS, In 2007 to 2008, Norb Fuest received the Ed Galardy Award for his many years of service on the United Way Board of Directors for Wyoming County; he also was the recipient of the 2008 Albert W. Hawk Award, and the 2010 Iroquois Trail Council Boy Scouts of America Distinguished Citizen Award; and

WHEREAS, Norb Fuest's many accomplishments and vision are impressive achievements that enriched the lives of many individuals, and both his commitment and drive is an inspiration to witness; and

WHEREAS, His leadership and commitment to the many community efforts he supports, as well as his guidance and advisement to Morton Salt, Inc. have contributed to over 30 years of success; and

WHEREAS, It is the sense of this Legislative Body that when individuals of such noble aims and accomplishments are brought to our attention, they should be celebrated and recognized by all the citizens of this great Empire State; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That this Legislative Body pause in its deliberations to honor Norb Fuest upon the occasion of his retirement after over 30 years of distinguished service to Morton Salt, Inc.; and be it further

RESOLVED, That a copy of this Resolution, suitably engrossed, be transmitted to Norb Fuest.