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LEGISLATIVE RESOLUTION commending Major Martin C. Hansen upon the occasion of his retirement after 32 years of distinguished service to the New York State Police Department

WHEREAS, It is the sense of this Legislative Body to recognize and honor those distinguished officers and citizens who would devote themselves to public service, demonstrating great courage and diligence in providing for the care and welfare of the citizens of their communities and this great Empire State; and

WHEREAS, Within every community of the State of New York there are certain individuals who, by virtue of their commitment and dedication, command the respect and admiration of their community for their exemplary contributions and service on behalf of others; and WHEREAS, This Legislative Body is justly proud to commend Major Martin C. Hansen upon the occasion of his retirement after 32 years of distinguished service to the New York State Police Department; and WHEREAS, Prior to serving as Major, Martin C. Hansen began his illustrious law enforcement career as a Trooper and was promoted to Sergeant, and then Lieutenant, followed by Captain; he also was the Director of Traffic Services at the New York State Police Department's Headquarters located in Albany, New York; and

WHEREAS, A graduate of Saint John's University with a degree in Criminal Justice, Major Martin C. Hansen also attended Northwestern University Traffic Institute, and the School of Police Staff and Command; and WHEREAS, Major Martin C. Hansen has also been a dedicated member of numerous organizations and professional associations including the I.A.C.P. Highway Safety Committee, the New York State Police Chiefs Association, and several Traffic Safety Boards; and WHEREAS, It is the sense of this Legislative Body that those dedicated

public servants who unselfishly devote their lives to the preservation of order and the protection of others are worthy and due full praise for their commitment and noble endeavors; now, therefore, be it RESOLVED, That this Legislative Body pause in its deliberations to commend Major Martin C. Hansen upon the occasion of his retirement after 32 years of distinguished service to the New York State Police Department; and be it further

RESOLVED, That a copy of this Resolution, suitably engrossed, be transmitted to Major Martin C. Hansen.