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LEGISLATIVE RESOLUTION honoring Dr. Wayne Rossi upon the occasion of his induction into the Warwick Valley Football Hall of Fame by the Warwick Valley Central School District

WHEREAS, It is the sense of this Legislative Body to honor those individuals whose exceptional coaching accomplishments and generous voluntary leadership captivated the hearts and minds of their community; and WHEREAS, Attendant to such concern, and in full accord with its long-standing traditions, this Legislative Body is justly proud to honor Dr. Wayne Rossi upon the occasion of his induction into the Warwick Valley Football Hall of Fame by the Warwick Valley Central School District in November of 2013; and

WHEREAS, Dr. Wayne Rossi is a member of the Warwick Valley Football Hall of Fame Class of 2013; and

WHEREAS, An important figure in the history of the Warwick Valley Football program, Dr. Wayne Rossi has served the students, teachers, and coaches of the Warwick Valley Central School District since 1981; and WHEREAS, Originally serving as a volunteer coach, Dr. Wayne Rossi progressed in his role to serve the coaches, students, and faculty as a volunteer specialist in fitness, flexibility, and both the care and prevention of athletic injuries; and

WHEREAS, Dr. Wayne Rossi was a "school trainer" well before the high schools had such a thing, and spoke on opening days of school about health and wellness to faculty, coaches, and students; and WHEREAS, Dr. Wayne Rossi continues to support the athletic programs of Warwick Valley Central School District, remaining both a friend and resource to all; and

WHEREAS, Athletic experts like Dr. Wayne Rossi provide a tremendous service to the future of our State and Nation, inspiring generations of

student-athletes in their athletic journeys and ensuring their success in their future years; and

WHEREAS, Dr. Wayne Rossi has clearly had an enduring impact on the youth of the Warwick Valley Central School District, as well as on the community-at-large, and accordingly merits recognition and applause for his impressive dedication to others; and

WHEREAS, It is the sense of this Legislative Body to commend the efforts of those individuals who work to support our proud tradition of public education by providing their skills and talents to our schools; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That this Legislative Body pause in its deliberations to honor Dr. Wayne Rossi upon the occasion of his induction into the Warwick Valley Football Class of 2013 Hall of Fame by the Warwick Valley Central School District and Coach John Garcia; and be it further RESOLVED, That copies of this Resolution, suitably engrossed, be transmitted to Dr. Wayne Rossi.