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LEGISLATIVE RESOLUTION honoring June L. Dickten upon the occasion of her retirement after 25 years of distinguished service to Mount Alverno Center

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, This Legislative Body is justly proud to honor June Lois Dickten upon the occasion of her retirement after 25 years of distinguished service to Mount Alverno Center; this auspicious occasion was celebrated with a residents' luncheon which included a ceremony, cake and a sparkling cider toast, followed by a staff reception at the Center on Thursday, February 27, 2014; and

WHEREAS, For the past 25 years, June L. Dickten rendered faithful, conscientious and valuable service to Mount Alverno Center, an adult residence and assisted living program on the Warwick campus of the Bon Secours Charity Health System; and

WHEREAS, In her capacity as Communications Clerk, June L. Dickten served with loyalty, honor and distinction, governed by a keen sense of duty and always showed a unique grasp of human problems; and WHEREAS, June L. Dickten, along with her husband of 54 years, the late Vern Dickten, were also the musical entertainment at Mount Alverno Center as well as other facilities, and the Veteran's Administration; while both sang, June played the keyboard, piano, and drums, and Vern, played the accordion; in addition, this happy couple loved to Polka; and WHEREAS, June L. Dickten is the proud mother of one son, Vern, and his wife, Denise, and the loving grandmother of two granddaughters, Alicia and Alana, all of whom feel privileged to be a part of her life and rejoice in her achievements; and

WHEREAS, During her tenure with Mount Alverno Center, June L. Dickten earned the admiration, esteem and affection of her colleagues; and WHEREAS, It is the sense of this Legislative Body that those who enhance the quality of life in their community and have shown a long and sustained commitment to the maintenance of high standards in their profession, certainly have earned the recognition and applause of all the citizens of this great Empire State; now, therefore, be it RESOLVED, That this Legislative Body pause in its deliberations to honor June L. Dickten upon the occasion of her retirement after 25 years of distinguished service, and to wish her the best in all her future endeavors; and be it further

RESOLVED, That a copy of this Resolution, suitably engrossed, be transmitted to June L. Dickten.