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LEGISLATIVE RESOLUTION honoring David Kaufman upon the occasion of his induction into the Monticello Central School District's inaugural Hall of Distinction on November 3, 2013

WHEREAS, It is the sense of this Legislative Body to acknowledge outstanding individuals whose professional lives, personal endeavors and community service are an example and inspiration to their colleagues, friends, and family; and

WHEREAS, Attendant to such concern, and in full accord with its long-standing traditions, this Legislative Body is justly proud to honor David Kaufman upon the occasion of his induction into the Monticello Central School District's inaugural Hall of Distinction celebrated at a ceremony held in the school's Arnold Packer Hughes Auditorium on Sunday, November 3, 2013; and

WHEREAS, The Hall of Distinction was established in 2012 by the Board of Education to honor graduates or attendees, or former teachers or staff members who have made a lasting and outstanding contribution to society upon graduating or leaving the Monticello Central School District; and

WHEREAS, David Kaufman is a graduate of Monticello High School, Class of 1947; and

WHEREAS, Dedicated public official, volunteer and inspired humanitarian, David Kaufman is a lifetime resident of Sullivan County; he served nearly 40 years in numerous lead roles including Supervisor for the Town of Thompson, C.E.O. of the Monticello Housing Authority, Chairman and member of the Sullivan County Board of Supervisors, President of the New York State Association of Counties, Mayor of the Village of Monticello and Trustee for the Village of Monticello; and

WHEREAS, Throughout his illustrious career, David Kaufman has been the

recipient of numerous awards and distinctions honoring his decades of compassionate self-sacrifice and commitment to helping the citizens of Monticello find a better way of life; and

WHEREAS, Rare indeed is the impressive dedication shown by an individual for the benefit of others which David Kaufman has displayed throughout his life; and

WHEREAS, It is the practice of this Legislative Body that those who enhance the well-being and vitality of their community and have shown a long and sustained commitment to excellence 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 David Kaufman upon the occasion of his induction into the Monticello Central School District's inaugural Hall of Distinction; and be it further

RESOLVED, That a copy of this Resolution, suitably engrossed, be transmitted to David Kaufman.