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LEGISLATIVE RESOLUTION honoring Frank Hartmann posthumously upon the occasion of his induction into the New York State Outdoorsmen Hall of Fame on April 26, 2014

WHEREAS, It is the sense of this Legislative Body to recognize and pay tribute to those exemplary individuals within the Empire State who made strong contributions to their communities and who inspired others through their model citizenship and noble deeds; and WHEREAS, Attendant to such concern, and in full accord with its long-standing traditions, this Legislative Body is justly proud to honor Frank Hartmann posthumously upon the occasion of his induction into the New York State Outdoorsmen Hall of Fame, to be celebrated at its Annual Banquet on Saturday, April 26, 2014, at the Rusty Rail Restaurant, Canastota, New York; and

WHEREAS, The New York State Outdoorsmen Hall of Fame is dedicated to honoring sportsmen who have made significant achievements in outdoors-related fields; inductees are recognized for their distinguished service in preserving our outdoor heritage and helping others experience it; and WHEREAS, The late Frank Hartmann of Sparrowbush, New York, was a long time member of the New York State Conservation Council (NYSCC) and served as its President and Legislative Vice President, receiving NYSCC's Lifetime Achievement Award in 1998; and

WHEREAS, In addition, Frank Hartmann was active in the Federation of Sportsmen's Clubs of Sullivan County and honorably served 15 years as its President; he was also active in many sportsmen's groups in southeastern New York and received numerous awards and accolades in recognition of his services; and

WHEREAS, Throughout the entire period of his community service, a period of constructive involvement, Frank Hartmann stood constant in

dignity, good grace and humor; and

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

WHEREAS, Frank Hartmann's life was a portrait of service, a legacy which will long endure the passage of time, and will remain as a comforting memory to all he served and befriended; and WHEREAS, It is the custom of this Legislative Body to reflect upon those outstanding individuals who have made everlasting contributions on behalf of their fellow man and have truly left their mark on this great Empire State; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That this Legislative Body pause in its deliberations to honor Frank Hartmann posthumously upon the occasion of his induction into the New York State Outdoorsmen Hall of Fame; and be it further RESOLVED, That a copy of this Resolution, suitably engrossed, be transmitted to the family of Frank Hartmann.