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LEGISLATIVE RESOLUTION honoring Dory Alport upon the occasion of her selection as a Young Professional Up and Comer in the Business Community by the SULLIVAN COUNTY DEMOCRAT

WHEREAS, It is the sense of this Legislative Body to recognize and pay tribute to those young adults within the great Empire State who have made strong contributions to their communities and who serve as role models for their peers; and

WHEREAS, Dory Alport has given not only of her time and energies but also of her competence, intelligence and leadership and consequently has been designated for special recognition; and

WHEREAS, Attendant to such concern, and in full accord with its long-standing traditions, this Legislative Body is justly proud to honor Dory Alport upon the occasion of her selection as a Young Professional Up and Comer in the Business Community by the SULLIVAN COUNTY DEMOCRAT; and

WHEREAS, Dory Alport, owner and operator of A. Alport and Son, was selected for this esteemed recognition for being hardworking, ambitious, and creative; and

WHEREAS, Representing the fourth generation of family ownership in running the Fallsburg, New York, 78-year-old A. Alport and Son plumbing and heating wholesale business, Dory Alport relishes being part of a tradition; and

WHEREAS, Growing up in and around her family business, Dory Alport began working full time for her parents more than 20 years ago; her many duties and responsibilities included inside sales, and showroom sales; and

WHEREAS, Expertly in tune to her customers' needs, Dory Alport continues to grow her business while always remaining true to the mom and pop business model, and focuses on personalized sales and exceptional

service; and

WHEREAS, A 1994 graduate of Fallsburg High School, Dory Alport earned her undergraduate degree from the University of Vermont, and went on to obtain a Master of Business Administration from the University of New Hampshire; and

WHEREAS, Active in her community, Dory Alport serves on the Board of Directors of the Hudson Valley Builders Association, is the acting chair for the Town of Fallsburg Architectural Review Board, and is a board member with the Sullivan County Workforce Development Task Force; and

WHEREAS, In addition, she works directly with the One Stop Center, BOCES, and various other non-profits in hopes of aiding in the development of a competent and qualified workforce, and jobs for her area; and

WHEREAS, With her throughout has been her husband and business partner, Jay, who feels privileged to be a part of her life and rejoices in her achievements; and

WHEREAS, It is the sense 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 Dory Alport upon the occasion of her selection as a Young Professional Up and Comer in the Business Community by the SULLIVAN COUNTY DEMOCRAT; and be it further

RESOLVED, That a copy of this Resolution, suitably engrossed, be transmitted to Dory Alport.