

## 2013-J4996

LEGISLATIVE RESOLUTION honoring Liz Timmons upon the occasion of her designation as a Mother of Pearl by the Frank Chapman Memorial Institute on May 10, 2014

WHEREAS, It is the sense of this Legislative Body to recognize and pay tribute to those individuals of firm belief and commitment who have devoted their purposeful lives to the service of faith and community; Liz Timmons is one such individual; and

WHEREAS, Attendant to such concern, and in full accord with its long-standing traditions, this Legislative Body is justly proud to honor Liz Timmons upon the occasion of her designation as a Mother of Pearl by the Frank Chapman Memorial Institute to be celebrated at its 6th Annual Mothers of Pearl Extravaganza on Saturday, May 10, 2014, at the Albany Ramada Plaza Hotel in Albany, New York; and

WHEREAS, A pillar in her community, Liz Timmons is being recognized as a strong woman who has shown extraordinary wisdom, courage and strength in her community; and

WHEREAS, Liz Timmons has been called upon to contribute her time and talents to countless civic and charitable endeavors and has always given of herself unstintingly; and

WHEREAS, Since 1961, Liz Timmons has been a loyal member of Union Missionary Baptist Church, serving as the Pastor's Aide, Nurse's Aide, Missionary, and a member of Flower Club; and

WHEREAS, In addition, Liz Timmons was a foster mom for many young girls; and

WHEREAS, With her throughout have been her eight children, and she is the loving grandmother of nine grandchildren, and three great-grandchildren, all of whom feel privileged to be a part of her life and rejoice in her achievements; and

WHEREAS, Throughout the entire period of her community service, a period of constructive involvement, Liz Timmons has 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 Liz Timmons has displayed throughout her life; and

WHEREAS, It is the custom of this Legislative Body that when individuals of such noble aims and accomplishments are brought to our attention, they should be celebrated and recognized by all the citizens of this great Empire State; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That this Legislative Body pause in its deliberations to honor Liz Timmons upon the occasion of her designation as a Mother of Pearl by the Frank Chapman Memorial Institute on May 10, 2014; and be it further

RESOLVED, That a copy of this Resolution, suitably engrossed, be transmitted to Liz Timmons.