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LEGISLATIVE RESOLUTION honoring John Prumo upon the occasion of his retirement after many years of distinguished service to GPO Federal Credit Union

WHEREAS, It is the sense of this Legislative Body to acknowledge the significant milestones in the distinguished careers of esteemed residents of this noble Empire State; and

WHEREAS, Attendant to such concern, and in full accord with its long-standing traditions, this Legislative Body is justly proud to honor John Prumo upon the occasion of his retirement after many years of distinguished service to GPO Federal Credit Union, to be celebrated on Saturday, May 31, 2014, at Daniele's Banquet Specialists, New Hartford, New York; and

WHEREAS, In his capacity as President and CEO of GPO Federal Credit Union, John Prumo served with loyalty, honor and distinction; and

WHEREAS, For more than 30 years, John Prumo has dedicated his career to serving and leading the credit union movement; he began his illustrious career with GPO Federal Credit Union in 1979, and served on the Association Board of Directors from 1987 until 2011; and

WHEREAS, Throughout his tenure with GPO Federal Credit Union, John Prumo oversaw the company merge many credit unions into its field of membership, including those credit unions affiliated with most health-care facilities in the Utica, New York area; and

WHEREAS, Furthermore, John Prumo saw the opportunity to offer credit union membership to residents living in under-served communities which expanded the reach of GPO Federal Credit Union and gave many individuals the opportunity and access to join a credit union for the first time; and

WHEREAS, In his official acts, John Prumo was governed by a keen sense

of duty and always showed a unique grasp of human problems; and  
WHEREAS, John Prumo played an active role in the Utica-Rome District  
and what was then known as the New York State Credit Union League  
(NYSCUL); he served as Chairman of the Board for the NYSCUL and contin-  
ued on the Board of the Credit Union Association of New York and the New  
York Credit Union Foundation; and

WHEREAS, In addition, he served on CUNA's Board of Directors, CUNA  
Strategic Services' Board of Directors, and on the Board and Supervisory  
committee of the former Members United Corporate Federal Credit Union;  
and

WHEREAS, For more than three decades, John Prumo rendered faithful,  
conscientious and valuable service to GPO Federal Credit Union; and

WHEREAS, John Prumo's commitment as a credit union leader has made a  
significant impact on the credit union movement at the local, state and  
national level, and this commitment has inspired others within the move-  
ment; and

WHEREAS, Subsequently, the Credit Union Association of New York, on  
behalf of Credit Union House, recognized John Prumo with a plaque  
commemorating his induction into the Credit Union House Hall of Leaders  
at its Annual Meeting and Convention in 2012; and

WHEREAS, During his tenure with GPO Federal Credit Union, John Prumo  
earned the admiration, esteem and affection of his colleagues; now,  
therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That this Legislative Body pause in its deliberations to  
honor John Prumo upon the occasion of his retirement after many years of  
distinguished service; and be it further

RESOLVED, That a copy of this Resolution, suitably engrossed, be tran-  
smitted to John Prumo.