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LEGISLATIVE RESOLUTION congratulating Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Bacon upon the occasion of celebrating their 50th Wedding Anniversary

WHEREAS, Bruce E. Bacon and Maxine Brabaw were united in marriage on September 19, 1964, at St. Henry's Church in DeKalb Junction, New York; the couple celebrated their 50th Anniversary on September 19, 2014, at the Hermon Fire Hall; and

WHEREAS, Bruce Bacon worked at Corning Glass Works for 32 years, retiring in 2001; and

WHEREAS, Maxine Bacon is a 1995 graduate of the State University of New York at Canton, and worked for the United States Postal Service for 25 years, retiring as the Harrisville postmaster in 2002; and WHEREAS, Together, Bruce and Maxine enjoy camping and traveling with their friends; and

WHEREAS, Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Bacon are the proud parents of three children, Brian, Tammie and Jeffrey, and the loving grandparents of five grandchildren and one great-grandson; and

WHEREAS, Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Bacon are and always have been a tower of strength, support, understanding and limitless love for their family; and

WHEREAS, Their love, devotion, caring, sensitivity and responsiveness to their family, friends and all who know them are their hallmark and tradition; and

WHEREAS, Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Bacon have lived and continue to live their lives with great dignity and genuine grace, always demonstrating a deep and continuing concern for human values and ideals, and in so doing, they have inspired others to do the same; and WHEREAS, This meaningful occasion is the result of the love, hard work and spirit that this couple has invested in their marriage; and

WHEREAS, They have passed these same values to their loved ones, producing a family that is close-knit and supportive of its individual members, public-minded in its relations to the community and committed to the ideals of citizenship upon which this Nation was founded; and WHEREAS, Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Bacon have touched the lives of their family and many friends through the shining example of their marriage, which is a testament to the devotion and admiration which they possess for one another; and

WHEREAS, The longevity of this enduring marriage truly marks a milestone in life's journey, an event of personal triumph and joy; and WHEREAS, It is the sense of this Legislative Body that when an occasion of such importance is brought to our attention, the same should be memorialized by us for the edification and emulation of others; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That this Legislative Body pause in its deliberations to congratulate Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Bacon upon the occasion of celebrating their 50th Wedding Anniversary; and be it further RESOLVED, That a copy of this Resolution, suitably engrossed, be transmitted to Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Bacon.