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LEGISLATIVE RESOLUTION commemorating the 25th Anniversary of Herkimer County HealthNet, and paying tribute to this year's award honorees on March 6, 2015

WHEREAS, It is the sense of this Legislative Body to recognize that the quality of life in the communities across this great State of New York is enriched by the diligence and compassionate commitment of those organizations and individuals whose singular purpose is the health and well-being of others; and

WHEREAS, Attendant to such concern and fully in accord with its long-standing traditions, it is the intent of this Legislative Body to commemorate the 25th Anniversary of Herkimer County HealthNet, and to pay tribute to the Creating Healthy Places to Live, Work and Play in Herkimer County Awards honorees, to be celebrated at its Creating Healthy Places Luncheon on Friday, March 6, 2015, at Francesca's Banquets and Catering, Ilion, New York; and

WHEREAS, Herkimer County HealthNet is a non-profit organization which works with medical professionals, municipalities, businesses, and others to make its community a healthier place for all; and

WHEREAS, The Creating Healthy Places to Live, Work and Play in Herkimer County Awards recognizes community-minded individuals, municipalities, and organizations for their efforts to improve playgrounds, trails, and other public spaces for exercise, as well as those whose efforts have created environments which promote healthy food; and WHEREAS, The year's honorees for the Complete Streets Section include: the City of Little Falls, Main Street First, the Town of Webb, the Village of Cold Brook, the Village of Dolgeville, the Village of Herkimer, and the Village of Middleville; and

WHEREAS, Additional awards are being presented to the Dolgeville-Sal-

isbury Greenway Trail, the Harmon Playground, the Robert Woodruff Nature Trail, and the TOBIE Trail; furthermore, the New York State Department of Environmental Conservation (Scott Healey) is being honored in the Herkimer County Trail Guide Section; 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 commemorate the 25th Anniversary of Herkimer County HealthNet, and to pay tribute to this year's award honorees; and be it further RESOLVED, That copies of this Resolution, suitably engrossed, be transmitted to Herkimer County HealthNet, and the aforementioned honorees.