

## 2015-J753

LEGISLATIVE RESOLUTION honoring Tom Watson upon the occasion of his designation as recipient of the Lifetime Achievement Award by the Wantagh Chamber of Commerce on March 12, 2015

WHEREAS, It is incumbent upon the people of the State of New York to recognize and acknowledge those within our midst who have made significant contributions to the quality of life therein; and

WHEREAS, From time to time this Legislative Body takes note of certain extraordinary individuals it wishes to recognize for their valued contributions to the success and progress of society and publicly acknowledge their endeavors which have enhanced the basic humanity among us all; and

WHEREAS, This Legislative Body is justly proud to honor Tom Watson upon the occasion of his designation as recipient of the Lifetime Achievement Award by the Wantagh Chamber of Commerce to be celebrated at its Annual Installation of Officers and Trustees Event on Thursday, March 12, 2015, at the Riviera, Massapequa, New York; and

WHEREAS, Tom Watson, of Songer Flags, has been called upon to contribute his time and talents to countless civic and charitable endeavors and has always given of himself unstintingly; and

WHEREAS, Throughout the entire period of his community service, a period of constructive involvement, Tom Watson 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 Tom Watson has displayed throughout his life; 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 Tom Watson upon the occasion of his designation as recipient of the Lifetime Achievement Award by the Wantagh Chamber of Commerce on March 12, 2015; and be it further

RESOLVED, That a copy of this Resolution, suitably engrossed, be transmitted to Tom Watson.