LEGISLATIVE RESOLUTION honoring Janet Chiefari upon the occasion of her retirement after many years of distinguished service to the Troy Senior Center

WHEREAS, This Legislative Body seeks to acknowledge those individuals whose professional lives and civic endeavors serve to enhance the stature of the State of New York; and

WHEREAS, Attendant to such concern, and in full accord with its longstanding traditions, this Legislative Body is justly proud to honor Janet Chiefari upon the occasion of her retirement after many years of distinguished service to the Troy Senior Center, which was celebrated at the Center's Holiday Party on Friday, December 19, 2014; and WHEREAS, Janet Chiefari has worked diligently as an Information Processing Specialist with the Rensselaer County Department for the Aging for the past 19 years; she has worked in both the Department's main office and the Troy Senior Center; and

WHEREAS, This esteemed woman was responsible for keeping the Troy Senior Center's records and printed materials up-to-date as well as for inputting new members into the Center's system; in addition, she has created colorful flyers, and expertly assisted seniors with group activities such as the Writer's Workshop and the monthly Special Dinner; and WHEREAS, In 2009, Janet Chiefari worked with her Writer's Workshop group to compile a small booklet of stories which they shared with fellow members of the Troy Senior Center; this booklet, entitled A WALK THROUGH LIFE, was a huge success; and

WHEREAS, In her official acts, Janet Chiefari was governed by a keen sense of duty and always showed a unique grasp of human problems; and WHEREAS, It is the sense 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 Janet Chiefari upon the occasion of her retirement after many years of distinguished service to the Troy Senior Center; and be it further

RESOLVED, That a copy of this Resolution, suitably engrossed, be transmitted to Janet Chiefari.