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LEGISLATIVE RESOLUTION honoring Ann M. Adams upon the occasion of her retirement after 19 years of distinguished service as Superintendent of Hermon-DeKalb School

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, This Legislative Body is justly proud to honor Ann M. Adams upon the occasion of her retirement after 19 years of distinguished service as Superintendent of Hermon-DeKalb School; she will officially retire on June 30, 2015; and

WHEREAS, Ann M. Adams will celebrate her retirement with a trip to Alaska in August of 2015, with her husband, Ronald L. Bovay, before returning to live in the community she has served for so long; and

WHEREAS, Ann M. Adams began her career in education as a high school English and Government teacher in the 1970s; and

WHEREAS, This esteemed educator has witnessed many changes in school technology through the years and has helped to make her rural school an important center of the community; and

WHEREAS, An individual who has truly gone above and beyond to excel in her career and give back to her local community, Ann M. Adams has made a difference with her dedication to education and public service; and

WHEREAS, Ann M. Adams has continually demonstrated an impressive dedication, an unparalleled devotion and an unremitting enthusiasm for the quality of the educational programs and opportunities offered at Hermon-DeKalb School for the benefit of its faculty and students, as well as for the entire community; and

WHEREAS, In completing her service as the Superintendent, Ann M. Adams leaves behind more than mere bricks and mortar; she leaves behind a

legacy to the residents of her community and to future generations of the students; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That this Legislative Body pause in its deliberations to honor Ann M. Adams upon the occasion of her retirement after 19 years of distinguished service as Superintendent of Hermon-DeKalb School; and be it further

RESOLVED, That a copy of this Resolution, suitably engrossed, be transmitted to Ann M. Adams.