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LEGISLATIVE RESOLUTION commending Andrew Boyar upon the occasion of his retirement after 24 years of distinguished service to the Town of Highland, New York, on December 18, 2015

WHEREAS, It is the custom of this Legislative Body to acknowledge the significant milestones in the distinguished careers of esteemed residents of this noble Empire State; and

WHEREAS, Attendant to such concern, and in full accord with its long-standing traditions, this Legislative Body is justly proud to commend Andrew Boyar upon the occasion of his retirement after 24 years of distinguished service to the Town of Highland, New York, celebrated at a surprise party held in his honor on Friday, December 18, 2015, at the Catskill Mountains Resort, Barryville, New York; and

WHEREAS, For over two decades, Andrew "Andy" Boyar held the position of Superintendent of the Town of Highland, a title he held for two non-consecutive terms; in addition, he served in several offices including Town Attorney and Town Justice; and

WHEREAS, Moreover, this remarkable man was a member of the Eldred Central School District School Board, and held the title of Chairman of the Sullivan County Board of Supervisors; he was also the Town of Highland Representative on the Upper Delaware Council; and

WHEREAS, Throughout his tenure, Andrew Boyar was known as an official who truly listened to his neighbors; he helped to make Highland a place where people want to live, work and raise a family; and

WHEREAS, Throughout his public service career, Andrew Boyar served with loyalty, honor and distinction, and was governed by a keen sense of duty and always showed a unique grasp of human problems in his official acts; and

WHEREAS, It is the sense of this Legislative Body that those who

enhance the quality of life in their community and have shown a long and sustained commitment to the maintenance of high standards in their profession, 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 commend Andrew Boyar upon the occasion of his retirement after 24 years of distinguished service to the Town of Highland, New York; and be it further

RESOLVED, That a copy of this Resolution, suitably engrossed, be transmitted to Andrew Boyar.