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LEGISLATIVE RESOLUTION congratulating Quido Ramire upon the occasion of celebrating his 100th Birthday

WHEREAS, It is the intent of this Legislative Body to commemorate and recognize certain milestones celebrated by citizens of this great Nation and Empire State; and

WHEREAS, Attendant to such concern, and in full accord with its long-standing traditions, this Legislative Body is justly proud to congratulate Quido Ramire of Olean, New York, upon the occasion of celebrating his 100th Birthday on March 24, 2016; and

WHEREAS, Quido Ramire was born at home in North Olean on March 24, 1916, to Anthony Ramire and Antionette DeCerdo; he attended the Olean City School District and has lived his whole life in the community; and

WHEREAS, Quido Ramire served his nation honorably as a medic in the United States Army during World War II; and

WHEREAS, He married his wife, Louise, on June 12, 1937, and the couple shared a loving marriage for 71 years; they were blessed with four children, MaryAnn, Patricia, Anthony and David; today, Quido Ramire is a loving grandfather of nine grandchildren and 14 great-grandchildren; and

WHEREAS, Always an industrious man, Quido Ramire worked at Sacony Vacuum; he worked at the Thatcher Glass Plant for seven years and was employed by Clark Brothers for 32 years as a Pattern Maker; and

WHEREAS, Quido Ramire is a sports legend in the Greater Olean Area; he played fast pitch softball for Thatcher and Clark Brothers; he played basketball for Sacony Vacuum and the Christopher Columbus Lodge; he was a coach for the Olean Little League and an umpire for the Little League, high school and St. Bonaventure University; he also coached basketball for the Olean City Championships, and was a trainer for St. John's Midget League Football and Archbishop Walsh Football; and

WHEREAS, Always an active member of the Olean community, Quido Ramire served as a Committeeman for Ward 8 in 1938; he was later appointed as Chairman of the Recreation Department by Mayor Schneiderman; and

WHEREAS, Quido Ramire has also been an active member of the Olean Senior Center for 38 years, and in 2013, he was named Volunteer of the Year; in 2015, City of Olean Mayor William J. Aiello presented Mr. Ramire with a Key to the City; and

WHEREAS, It is the intent of this Legislative Body to publicly recognize and honor the lives of beloved citizens who have reached a remarkable age and who have witnessed and celebrated the innovations, cultural developments, and awesome achievements of this country during the last century; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That this Legislative Body pause in its deliberations to congratulate Mr. Quido Ramire upon the occasion of celebrating his 100th Birthday; and be it further

RESOLVED, That a copy of this Resolution, suitably engrossed, be transmitted to Quido Ramire.