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LEGISLATIVE RESOLUTION honoring Terry L. Buckley upon the occasion of his retirement as Supervisor of the Town of Champion

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, Attendant to such concern, and in full accord with its long-standing traditions, this Legislative Body is justly proud to honor Terry L. Buckley upon the occasion of his retirement as Supervisor for the Town of Champion; and

WHEREAS, For the past three decades, Terry L. Buckley has served his community in multiple leadership positions; and

WHEREAS, As Supervisor of the Town of Champion, Terry L. Buckley improved the quality of life for town residents through his work improving infrastructure and nurturing economic growth; and

WHEREAS, Terry L. Buckley has been involved in a number of significant community projects including the completion of the Route 3 sewer system, obtaining of new town offices, and creating the River Area Council of Government (RACOG); and

WHEREAS, While establishing RACOG, Terry L. Buckley was instrumental in fostering the collaborative relationship with the Towns of Champion and Wilna, and the Villages of Carthage and West Carthage; and

WHEREAS, Terry L. Buckley has been called upon to contribute his time and talents to countless civic and charitable endeavors such as serving on the Carthage Industrial Development Corporation Board and the RACOG board; and

WHEREAS, In his capacity as Town Supervisor, Terry L. Buckley served with loyalty, honor and distinction, and was governed by a keen sense of duty and always showed a unique grasp of human problems; and

WHEREAS, Terry L. Buckley, who has great leadership qualities and a caring personality, truly earned the admiration, esteem and affection of his colleagues; and

WHEREAS, Through his commitment to serving and improving his community, Terry L. Buckley has made invaluable contributions to the residents of the Town of Champion; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That this Legislative Body pause in its deliberations to honor Terry L. Buckley upon the occasion of his retirement as Supervisor of the Town of Champion; and be it further

RESOLVED, That a copy of this Resolution, suitably engrossed, be transmitted to Terry L. Buckley.