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Senate Resolution No. 2678

BY: Senator YOUNG

COMMEMORATING the 75th Anniversary of the Chadwick Bay Chapter of NYS Women, Inc.

WHEREAS, It is the intent of this Legislative Body to honor and commemorate the proud and distinguished histories of organizations which comprise the noble body of this great Empire State; and

WHEREAS, Attendant to such concern, and in full accord with its long-standing traditions, this Legislative Body is justly proud to commemorate the 75th Anniversary of the Chadwick Bay Chapter of NYS Women, Inc.; and

WHEREAS, The Chadwick Bay Chapter's mission is to build powerful women personally, professionally and politically; the organization enriches the lives of women in Chautauqua County, as well as others in need in New York State, through the use of corporate and individual donations, grants, and fundraisers; and

WHEREAS, Through donations, the Chadwick Bay Chapter is able to offer scholarships every year to women who are non-traditional students in need of assistance; the organization's members also support local venues such as: the Dunkirk Library, WCA Women's Home, Dunkirk Food Pantry, Flowers for Fredonia, and Meals-on-Wheels through volunteer time and fundraising donations; and

WHEREAS, The Chadwick Bay Chapter offers younger women the opportunity to listen to others about how to make a difference in the community; this allows members of the club to share their experiences with the next generation of women members; and

WHEREAS, The Chadwick Bay Chapter truly makes a difference by being open to women of all ages and in various stages of their lives regardless of ethnicity, religion and/or profession; providing equality and economic self-sufficiency is a vital part of the Chapter to be carried on for generations to come; and

WHEREAS, Observing that special recognition should be given to those organizations and businesses that work assiduously for the betterment of their communities and should be acknowledged publicly for the good works they do for the families and neighbors of the area; and

WHEREAS, It is the intent of this Legislative Body to publicly recognize and honor milestones in the history of communities large and small in this great Empire State; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That this Legislative Body pause in its deliberations to commemorate the 75th Anniversary of the Chadwick Bay Chapter of NYS Women, Inc.; and be it further

RESOLVED, That a copy of this Resolution, suitably engrossed, be transmitted to the Chadwick Bay Chapter of NYS Women, Inc.