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Assembly Resolution No. 656

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CONGRATULATING Fannie Moscato upon the occasion of celebrating her 100th Birthday

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

WHEREAS, Senior citizens bring a wealth of experience and knowledge to the increasingly active roles they play in today's society; their past contributions and future participation are a vital part of, and valuable asset to, the fabric of community life and activity; and

WHEREAS, Attendant to such concern, and in full accord with its long-standing traditions, this Legislative Body is justly proud to congratulate Fannie Moscato upon the occasion of celebrating her 100th Birthday; and

WHEREAS, Born Fannie Chiaravalle on June 26, 1917, in the Bronx, New York, she married her husband, Matthew Moscato on September 21, 1939; together, the couple raised two sons; and

WHEREAS, Dedicated to her community, Fannie Moscato has been a faithful member and enthusiastic supporter of various social services programs of St. Anthony's Church; and

WHEREAS, For over 35 years, Fannie Moscato was an active participant of the Bardonia Senior Club, where she held several leadership positions including President, Vice President, and Secretary; and

WHEREAS, For her steadfast and unremitting commitment to her community, Fannie Moscato was named the 2006 Clarkstown Senior of the Year; and

WHEREAS, Fannie Moscato, with her zest for life, has inspired and enhanced the lives of her family and friends; and

WHEREAS, With her throughout have been her two sons, Dominick and Daniel Moscato, her seven grandchildren, and seven great-grandchildren, as well as her late husband, Matthew Moscato, all of whom have shown her love and support and rejoice in her many achievements; and

WHEREAS, This exceptional centenarian has experienced the incredible joys and sorrows characteristic of and reserved for those with the stamina and courage to savor a full life; and

WHEREAS, Fannie Moscato has enriched the lives of those around her through her joyous and sincere love for others and through the quiescent charm and wisdom which comes only from a fullness of years; and

WHEREAS, It is the intent of this Legislative Body to publicly recognize those who have reached such a remarkable age and who have witnessed and celebrated the innovations, cultural developments and awesome achievements of this country during the last century, while

themselves contributing to the growth and excellence of this great Empire State; now, therefore, be it RESOLVED, That this Legislative Body pause in its deliberations to congratulate Fannie Moscato upon the occasion of celebrating her 100th Birthday; and be it further

RESOLVED, That a copy of this Resolution, suitably engrossed, be transmitted to Fannie Moscato.