

## 2017-J5653

Senate Resolution No. 5653

BY: Senator GRIFFO

COMMEMORATING the 60th Anniversary of Farney's  
Home and Building Center on June 16, 2018

WHEREAS, It is the intent of this Legislative Body to commemorate the long histories of certain family-owned business endeavors, which are the cornerstone of economic success in 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 60th Anniversary of Farney's Home and Building Center to be celebrated at a party on Saturday, June 16, 2018, in Carthage, New York; and

WHEREAS, In 1958, Vincent and Gladyce Farney established Farney's Home and Building Center in Carthage, New York; and

WHEREAS, Farney's Home and Building Center was built literally from the ground up; originally a swampy area, Gladyce and Vincent Farney brought in truckload after truckload of sand to build it up to the point where a facility could be constructed; and

WHEREAS, Beginning as a lumber yard, then adding building supplies, a hardware store and a kitchen, bathroom and countertop design showroom, Farney's Home and Building Center continues to grow, change and expand;

and

WHEREAS, Today, Farney's Home and Building Center is run by second generation owner, Reg Farney; not ones to sit idle, Gladyce and Vincent Farney are still very much involved in the business they established;

and

WHEREAS, Farney's Home and Building Center currently employs 18 full-time individuals; through Gladyce and Vincent Farney's vision, determination and stellar work ethic, Reg and his employees continue the Farney tradition of providing exemplary customer service and a wide variety of quality products to its customers; and

WHEREAS, Under the luminous leadership of Reg Farney, Farney's Home and Building Center looks forward to many more years of continued excellence and growth serving the residents of the Village of Carthage, and the surrounding areas; and

WHEREAS, It is with great pleasure that this Legislative Body acknowledges this exceptional business and its contributions to the local and State economies, fully confident that it will continue to enjoy the sparkling successes it has experienced thus far; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That this Legislative Body pause in its deliberations to commemorate the 60th Anniversary of Farney's Home and Building Center; and be it further

RESOLVED, That a copy of this Resolution, suitably engrossed, be transmitted to Reg Farney, Owner, Farney's Home and Building Center.