

STATE OF NEW YORK
LEGISLATURE OF ERIE COUNTY
BUFFALO, N.Y., MAY 8, 2013, A.D.

I Hereby Certify, that at a regular session of the Legislature of Erie County, held in the County Hall, in the City of Buffalo, on the 8th day of May 2014, A.D. a resolution was adopted, of which the following is a true copy:

WHEREAS, Patricia A. Lucey was born and raised in agricultural surroundings in Western New York, one of six adopted children of Marie and Lee Keller, and;

WHEREAS, Patricia A. Lucey worked for the New York Life Insurance Company as a Unit Clerk in the Burn Treatment Center at Emergency Hospital and Secretary to the Circulation Manager at the Buffalo News, and;

WHEREAS, Patricia A. Lucey raised her seven children and worked for the Town of Amherst for 27 years as Assistant to Patrick Lucey, the Amherst Highway Superintendent, as well as the Principal Clerk Typist in the Amherst Town Clerk's Office and the Amherst Archives, and;

WHEREAS, Patricia A. Lucey, after being married to Patrick Lucey, became mother and stepmother to 14 children and is grandmother to 29 grandchildren and 2 great-grandchildren, and;

WHEREAS, Patricia A. Lucey has been, since 1959, an active member of St. Benedict Catholic Church in Amherst as a Religious Education Instructor, as coach of young bowlers for 18 years, a member of the Rosary Altar Society, the Maria Sanctissima Prayer Group, the Usher's Society, and is presently the first female usher at St. Benedict Church, and;

WHEREAS, Patricia A. Lucey has been involved in the local political scene for the last 41 years and has dedicated many hours to several Civic Organizations and to volunteer work, and;

WHEREAS, Patricia A. Lucey's civic work includes service to the Women's Board of Millard Suburban Hospital where she logged over 4000 volunteer hours, the Board of Directors of the Amherst Septucentennial Committee, the Amherst Millennium Committee and Vice President of the Amherst Heritage Committee, and;

WHEREAS, Patricia A. Lucey was an Auditor and Director of the Canisius College Scholarship Associates, a member of WIICHS—Women Interested in Cystic Health, and;

WHEREAS, Patricia A. Lucey Served as Co-Chair of the Amherst Women's Interclub Council to raise funds for the Amherst Museum, and served as Corresponding Secretary for both the NYS Regents Board of Trustees of the Amherst Museum and Amherst Foundation Museum, and Emeritus Member of the Trustees and Foundation.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that this legislative body pause in its deliberations to honor Patricia A. Lucey on her forty years of public and civic service to Amherst and Erie County New York.

Edward A. Rath III
Erie County Legislator—6th District

Scott W. Kroll
Clerk of the Legislature