

**STATE OF NEW YORK**  
**LEGISLATURE OF ERIE COUNTY**  
**BUFFALO, N.Y., NOVEMBER 20, 2014, 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 20th day of November, A.D. 2014, a resolution was adopted, of which the following is a true copy:*

**WHEREAS,** *Sidney and Beverly Fish of East Amherst met in their early teens and immediately shared a passion for helping others which they demonstrated by entertaining Veterans at the VA Hospital at the age of 16; and,*

**WHEREAS,** *Sidney and Beverly Fish are active in the Amherst Senior Center for Senior Services; Sidney provides blood pressure monitoring for other members along with conducting information programs on medication management and Beverly works at the Information & Assistance Desk, where she coordinates a variety of center projects and helps with sales for the Knitters Club and together, they assist with speakers for the Osteoporosis Support Group and help to organize the health fairs and concerts; and*

**WHEREAS,** *Sidney is a retired pharmacist who graduated from the University at Buffalo School of Pharmacy, and serves as a business mentor through SCORE, the Service Corp of Retired Executives, and on the Committee for Development of Continued Education for Pharmacists at the University at Buffalo School of Pharmacy and at D'Youville College School of Pharmacy; additionally, he conducts diabetes management training at the University at Buffalo; and*

**WHEREAS,** *Beverly, also a graduate of the University at Buffalo, serves on the Women's Board at Millard Fillmore Suburban Hospital and chairs its annual fashion show fundraiser; helps run the hospital gift shop; and also served on the Supervisory Committee of the Workmen's Circle Federal Credit Union for 11 years; and*

**WHEREAS,** *Beverly and Sidney have been very active with the Northeast Kidney Foundation and the American Diabetes Foundation (ADA) where they have been team leaders for the Tour de Cure in Buffalo for the past 20 years raising funds for the ADA and have worked tirelessly for the ADA, attending national meetings to promote diabetes management and care and promoting participation in ADA's Health Expo; and*

**WHEREAS,** *The Amherst Senior Center Foundation is pleased to announce that this year's Senior Citizens Volunteer Award is being presented to **Sidney and Beverly Fish** to honor them for giving of their time, working to fulfill the needs of our community, and serving as role models by demonstrating the critical importance of individual involvement and caring.*

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT**

***RESOLVED***, that the Erie County Legislature recognizes and acknowledges ***Sidney and Beverly Fish*** for many years of active and passionate volunteer service to the well-being and care of our seniors in Amherst and Western New York which has had a dramatic positive impact on the community.

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***Edward A. Rath III***  
***Erie County Legislator - 6<sup>th</sup> District***

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***Thomas A. Loughran***  
***Erie County Legislator - 5<sup>th</sup> District***

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***Karen M. McCarthy***  
***Clerk of the Erie County Legislature***