

**STATE OF NEW YORK**  
**LEGISLATURE OF ERIE COUNTY**  
**BUFFALO, N.Y., MARCH 3, 2016, 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 3rd day of March, 2016 A.D., a resolution was adopted, of which the following is a true copy:**

**WHEREAS, William Krebs and his wife, Virginia, have been honored with the 2015 Citizens of the Year Award by the Springville Area Chamber of Commerce for the notable impact their community involvement has made in the Village of Springville; and**

**WHEREAS, William and Virginia Krebs moved to Springville in 1983, where they built a home and raised three children, all graduating from the Springville-Griffith Institute Central School District; and**

**WHEREAS, William and Virginia Krebs have devoted their time and commitment to serving the residents of the village; and**

**WHEREAS, Virginia Krebs is a coordinator for the Springville-Concord Elder Network, providing services and support for senior citizens to live happy and healthy lives; and**

**WHEREAS, William Krebs has been involved in government since 1991, first becoming a member of the Planning Board; later appointed to the Board of Trustees in 1998, and elected Mayor of Springville in 2005 where he currently presides; and**

**WHEREAS, Mayor Krebs serves as Vice-president of the Village Officials Association, and is a member of the Board of Directors for the Erie County Association of Governments, the Springville Area Chamber of Commerce, and the WNY Southtowns Scenic Byway; and**

**WHEREAS, William and Virginia Krebs have been involved with church programs, scouting troops, Rails to Trails, women's clubs and more, expressing a desire to remain active, learning new things and meeting new people,**

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT**

**RESOLVED, the Erie County Legislature pauses in its deliberations to recognize and congratulate William and Virginia Krebs on being named the Springville Chamber of Commerce 2015 Citizens of the Year for their lifelong commitment and dedication to community service in the Village of Springville**

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**John J. Mills**  
**Chairman**  
**Erie County Legislator – 11<sup>th</sup> District**

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