STATE OF NEW YORK  
LEGISLATURE OF ERIE COUNTY  
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Recognizing BlueCross BlueShield of WNY, for its Generosity During the Covid-19 Pandemic and its Support to the District 2 Cookies and Cocoa: Porch Pop Up Event

WHEREAS, BlueCross BlueShield of WNY is a national leader in health care and medical insurance, where the company is led by its President and CEO, David Anderson; and

WHEREAS, the company showed incredible support for the residents of Buffalo in need this year with its generous donation and voluntary time to deliver groceries and gifts for those in need this holiday season; and

WHEREAS, with BlueCross BlueShield of WNY help, the District 2 office provided groceries and gifts for fifty constituents across the district to assist them in celebrating the holiday season; and

WHEREAS, families in District 2 have been disproportionately hit hard with COVID-19 and its devastating economic impact has been felt across the City of Buffalo, which led to the 2020 District 2 Cookies and Cocoa event focusing on delivering to those in need; and

WHEREAS, BlueCross BlueShield of WNY generosity and kindness helped families fill their pantries and put gifts under their trees and the gratitude from families was seen in the smiles and joy encountered throughout the event.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT

RESOLVED, that the Erie County Legislature does hereby honor BlueCross BlueShield of WNY, and pause in its deliberations to recognize your commitment and devotion to the betterment of our community and those in need; and be it further

RESOLVED, that the Erie County Legislature express its gratitude to BlueCross BlueShield of WNY and its CEO David Anderson for your dedication to give back to our community and blessing the residents in District 2.

Hon. April N.M. Baskin  
Erie County Legislator, 2nd District

Robert M. Graber  
Clerk of the Erie County Legislature