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STATE OF NEW YORK

LEGISLATURE OF ERIE COUNTY

BUFFALO, N.Y., FEBRUARY 2, 2023 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 2nd day of February 2023 A.D., a resolution was adopted, of which the following is a true copy:*

Honoring William Cleary and Vigilant Fire Company as West Seneca Chamber of Commerce's 2023 Member of the Year

WHEREAS, *The Erie County Legislature seeks to honor individuals and institutions in Erie County who enhance the quality of life in the community through their efforts; and*

WHEREAS, *since its establishment in 1940, the West Seneca Chamber of Commerce has been a dynamic organization dedicated to fostering the growth of business and the West Seneca Community; and*

WHEREAS, *on February 15, 2023, the West Seneca Chamber of Commerce is hosting its 75th Annual Community Awards Dinner, a spectacular event where awards that are considered by many to be the highest honor bestowed in the Town of West Seneca and businesses, individuals, organizations and lifetime achievers are celebrated by the community for the significant impact their service has had on improving the quality of life in the town; and*

WHEREAS, *recognition and congratulations are extended to **William Cleary and Vigilant Fire Company** for being named the West Seneca Chamber of Commerce's 2023 Member of the Year; and*

WHEREAS, *Fire Commissioner **William Cleary** has served West Seneca for over thirty years, answered more than sixteen-thousand EMS, fire and rescue calls; and*

WHEREAS, *2022 could be considered the busiest year ever for **Vigilant Fire Company** as **Commissioner Cleary** and the dedicated members oversaw beautiful renovations of their facilities where they hosted several events such as a Halloween party and a Christmas party for families in the community; and*

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, *that the Erie County Legislature pauses in its deliberations to congratulate **William Cleary and Vigilant Fire Company** for being named the West Seneca Chamber of Commerce's 2023 Member of the Year.*

JAMES MALCZEWSKI
Erie County Legislator, 10th District