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LEGISLATIVE RESOLUTION commending Sullivan Renaissance upon the occasion of hosting its Annual Conference and Exposition on March 9, 2013, and recognizing the honorees of the evening

WHEREAS, It is the sense of this Legislative Body to recognize that the quality and character of life in the communities across New York State are reflective of the concerned and dedicated efforts of those organizations and individuals who would devote themselves to the welfare of the community and its citizenry; and

WHEREAS, Attendant to such concern, and in full accord with its long-standing traditions, this Legislative Body is justly proud to commend Sullivan Renaissance upon the occasion of hosting its Annual Conference and Exposition, to be held on Saturday, March 9, 2013, in Ferndale, New York, and to recognize the honorees of the evening; and

WHEREAS, Sullivan Renaissance is a beautification and community development program which provides communities in Sullivan County with funding for beautification projects; and

WHEREAS, At their Annual Conference and Exposition, Sullivan Renaissance will present its 2013 Sullivan First Achievement Awards to those illustrious businesses, organizations, and individuals who have emulated their core mission to enhance the appearance of Sullivan County, while building a sense of pride and spirit in the community; and

WHEREAS, The business recipients of the 2013 Sullivan First Achievement Awards are: Monticello Farm Home & Garden, for its ongoing support of Sullivan Renaissance projects and contributions toward community beautification efforts; Kohl's Cares Associates in Action, for its corporate volunteerism and the time the staff has dedicated to Wurtsboro and community projects throughout Sullivan County; The Sullivan Hotel, for its continued enhancements, landscaping efforts and building renovations at the Hotel in Rock Hill; and Thunder 102/Bold Gold Media located in Liberty, for its ongoing support of the Sullivan Renaissance program and for its generous donation of radio time; and

WHEREAS, The organizations which will receive 2013 Sullivan First Achievement Awards are: Callicoon Business Association, for its unwaver-

ing commitment and dedication to beautification efforts in the Hamlet of Callicoon and for overcoming recent obstacles; and Jim Steinberg & the Monticello Department of Public Works, for their ongoing commitment to beautification efforts in the Village of Monticello, and for tireless support to volunteers and Renaissance projects over the years; and WHEREAS, The individuals to be honored with a 2013 Sullivan First Achievement Award are: Etta Barbanti, for her commitment to volunteer activities and tireless dedication to beautification efforts in the Village of Liberty; Nancy Levine, for her long-term volunteerism with Swan Lake Renaissance and for leadership in the community, and Roscoe School Superintendent John Evans, for his outstanding and ongoing commitment to engage youth in Sullivan Renaissance community projects; and

WHEREAS, It is the sense of this Legislative Body that when individuals and organizations of such noble aims and accomplishments are brought to our attention, they should be celebrated and recognized by all the citizens of this great Empire State; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That this Legislative Body pause in its deliberations to commend Sullivan Renaissance upon the occasion of hosting its Annual Conference and Exposition on March 9, 2013, and to recognize the honorees of the evening; and be it further

RESOLVED, That copies of this Resolution, suitably engrossed, be transmitted to Sullivan Renaissance and the aforementioned honorees.