Resolution No. 146 May 14, 2008

Authorizing The Chairman Of The Ulster County Legislature To Dedicate The County Bridge Over The Wallkill (Located Near The Intersection Of Springtown Road, County Road 18A, And State Route 299) In The Town Of New Paltz, New York In Memory Of Mr. Carmine Liberta

The Public Works and Capital Projects Committee (Chairman Loughran and Legislators Cahill, Decker, Lomita, Fabiano, Felicello and Roberts) and Legislators Aiello, Bischoff, Briggs, Cummings, Dart, Donaldson, Gerentine, Gregorius, Hansut, Harris, Kraft, Maloney, Noonan, R.A. Parete, R.S. Parete, Petit, Provenzano, Roberti, Rodriguez, Ronk, Shapiro, Sheeley, Stoeckeler, Terpening, Terrizzi and Zimet offer the following:

WHEREAS, County Bridge No.135, over the Wallkill River, is located in the Town of New Paltz, New York located, near the intersection of Springtown Road, County Road No. 18A and State Route 299, and

WHEREAS, it is proposed that the aforementioned bridge be named, “The Carmine Liberta Bridge”, and

WHEREAS, Mr. Carmine Liberta was an Army Veteran of the Korean War, and up until his own death was very active fighting for Veterans rights, coordinating Memorial Day Events for 43 years, and 9/11 Memorial Events, and was an active member of the VFW, Knights of Columbus, New Paltz/Gardiner Senior Citizens, and St Joseph’s Catholic Church, New Paltz, and

WHEREAS, the Town of New Paltz Town Board has adopted a resolution in support of this and has made a formal request to the County to name this bridge after the individual, and

WHEREAS, the Public Works and Capital Projects Committee reviewed said proposal with a majority of members voting approval.

RESOLVED, that Mr. Carmine Liberta be honored by Memorializing and naming the New Paltz Bridge over the Wallkill River as The Carmine Liberta Bridge, and moves its adoption.
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ADOPTED BY THE FOLLOWING VOTE:

AYES: 32  NOES: 0
(Absent: Legislator Hansut)

FINANCIAL IMPACT:
NONE

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