RESOLUTION NO. _____ October 16, 2023

A RESOLUTION APPROVING THE DESIGNATION OF AN HONORARY STREET NAME OF "JACOB AND BARBARA WALTHOUR WAY" TO A PORTION OF WARREN STREET

WHEREAS, an application has been submitted pursuant to Section 267 of the City Code of the City of Hudson to designate a portion of Warren Street at the cross-sections of Third and Second Streets as "Jacob and Barbara Walthour Way"; and

WHEREAS, Jacob Walthour Sr. and Barbara Jean Walthour were vital members of the City of Hudson Community who worked for racial equality and change in the community; and

WHEREAS, Jacob and Barbara Walthour were long-standing local business owners in the City of Hudson, were founding members of the Colored Citizen's Club in Hudson in 1970, and Barbara Walthour was the founding member of the Operation Unite New York Education and Cultural Arts program for youth in Columbia County; and

WHEREAS, in accordance with Section 267-3(B) of the City Code of the City of Hudson the Common Council has 90 days to review the application and make a determination of same; and

WHEREAS, the proposed application has been submitted to the City of Hudson Police Department and Department of Public Works for evaluation and neither Department has found that the proposed signage will be confusing to the public; and

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the proposed application meets the criteria set forth in Section 267-2 of the City Code, Criteria for Approval, and the Common Council for the City of Hudson hereby authorizes the honorary naming of Warren Street between Second and Third Streets as "Jacob and Barbara Walthour Way".

Introduced: _____

Seconded:_____

Approved: _____

Mayor Kamal Johnson