PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS, the National Council of Certified Dementia Practitioners has proclaimed February 14 ~ 21, 2010 as Alzheimer's and Dementia Staff Education Week, and

WHEREAS, the Oneida Healthcare Center will be acknowledging the above mentioned week with a comprehensive Dementia Education series offered to their staff, families of residents that live in the Oneida Healthcare Center Extended Care Facility and the surrounding community; and

WHEREAS, the purpose of the comprehensive Dementia Education Series is to ensure the staff at Oneida Healthcare Center continues to provide compassionate and comprehensive care to their dementia clients, and

WHEREAS, this will enhance the resident's quality of life, as well as, make their families feel more confident in care that is provided by a trained and educated staff, now therefore

I, LEO MATZKE, MAYOR of Oneida, New York, do hereby declare February 14 - 21, 2010 as

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in Oneida and asks residents to attend the Opening Ceremony at the Extended Care Facility Community Dining Room on Tuesday, February 16 at 12:00 noon to express their appreciation for the staff, facilities and technologies that make conscientious, reliable, and trustworthy health care possible in our community.



IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I hereby set my hand and place the official seal of the City of Oneida, NY this 2nd day of February, 2010.

LEO MATZKE, MAYOR