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LEGISLATIVE RESOLUTION commending Jodi Dorfman upon the occasion of her designation as a recipient of a Youth Volunteer Service Award by the County of Rockland Youth Bureau

WHEREAS, It is the sense of this Legislative Body to commend and pay tribute to those youth of today and leaders of tomorrow whose character and achievements best exemplify the ideals and values cherished by this great State and Nation; and

WHEREAS, It is also the custom of this Legislative Body to recognize the dedication and commitment of our young people who, by achieving outstanding success in their chosen endeavors, have inspired and brought pride to our majestic Empire State, and who distinguish themselves through their excellence; and

WHEREAS, Attendant to such concern, and in full accord with its longstanding traditions, this Legislative Body is justly proud to commend Jodi Dorfman upon the occasion of her designation as a recipient of a Youth Volunteer Service Award by the County of Rockland Youth Bureau; this auspicious occasion will be celebrated on Thursday, May 6, 2010, at Terrace on the Hudson in Haverstraw, New York; and WHEREAS, The Rockland County Youth Bureau is a community resource that is dedicated to an active and assertive process of creating the social conditions that promote the well-being of children, youth and families;

and

WHEREAS, Annually, the volunteer Board of Directors of the Rockland County Youth Bureau present the Joseph A. Myers Service to Youth Award to deserving youth volunteers at its Youth Forum and Awards ceremony; and

WHEREAS, Jodi Dorfman is a motivated, intelligent, ambitious, reliable and compassionate senior at Clarkstown South High School; and WHEREAS, A three-year member of the New City Volunteer Ambulance Corps, Jodi Dorfman is also a member of Teen Leadership Rockland; and WHEREAS, In addition, Jodi Dorfman is involved in several community efforts, including New City Youth Court, Relay for Life, Jewish War Veterans and the Rockland County YouthFest; she is also the Deca regional and statewide winner for professionalism and hospitality; and WHEREAS, It is appropriate to celebrate the accomplishments of remarkable youth in this great Empire State; Jodi Dorfman is indeed such a distinguished New York State youth; and

WHEREAS, The designation and outstanding performance of Jodi Dorfman as a recipient of a Youth Volunteer Service Award has clearly made a contribution to the spirit of excellence which is a tradition of Rockland County; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That this Legislative Body pause in its deliberations to commend Jodi Dorfman upon the occasion of her designation as a recipient of a Youth Volunteer Service Award by the County of Rockland Youth Bureau, and to extend to her the best wishes of this Legislative Body for a future of purposeful success and well-being, fully confident of her response to a promising future and appreciative of the model she represents for all aspiring young people of the Empire State; and be it further

RESOLVED, That a copy of this Resolution, suitably engrossed, be transmitted to Jodi Dorfman.