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LEGISLATIVE RESOLUTION congratulating the Chazy Boys Varsity Soccer Team and Coach Rob McAuliffe upon the occasion of winning the New York State Public High School Athletic Association Class D Championship

WHEREAS, Excellence and success in competitive sports can be achieved only through strenuous practice, team play and team spirit, nurtured by dedicated coaching and strategic planning; and

WHEREAS, Athletic competition enhances the moral and physical development of the young people of this State, preparing them for the future by instilling in them the value of teamwork, encouraging a standard of healthy living, imparting a desire for success and developing a sense of fair play and competition; and

WHEREAS, The Chazy Boys Varsity Soccer Team are the New York State
Public High School Athletic Association Class D Champions; the defending
state champions and top ranked Eagles defeated the Hamilton Emerald
Knights by a score of 1-0; and

WHEREAS, The athletic talent displayed by this team is due in great part to the efforts of Coach Rob McAuliffe and his team of outstanding assistant coaches, skilled and inspirational tutors, respected for their ability to develop potential into excellence; and

WHEREAS, The team's overall record of 21-1 is outstanding, and the team members were loyally and enthusiastically supported by family, fans, friends and the community at large; and

WHEREAS, The hallmarks of the Chazy Boys Varsity Soccer Team, from the opening game of the season to participation in the Championship, were a brotherhood of athletic ability, of good sportsmanship, of honor and of scholarship, demonstrating that these team players are second to none; and

WHEREAS, Athletically and academically, the team members have proven

themselves to be an unbeatable combination of talents, reflecting favorably on their school; and

WHEREAS, Coach Rob McAuliffe and his dedicated staff have done a superb job in guiding, molding and inspiring the team members toward their goals; and

WHEREAS, Sports competition instills the values of teamwork, pride and accomplishment, and Coach Rob McAuliffe and his outstanding athletes have clearly made a contribution to the spirit of excellence which is a tradition of their school; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That this Legislative Body pause in its deliberations to congratulate the Chazy Boys Varsity Soccer Team; its members: Cole Chaskey, Kyle McCarthy, Cody Toohill, Jordan Barriere, Kaleb Snide, Hunter Dominy, Andrew Rabideau, Craig Botten, Nelson Pelton, Ricky Osier, Nathan Reynolds, Matt Gravelle, Alex Sweet, Andrew Duprey, Hayden Guay, Jeffrey Botten, John Tregan, Nolan Rogers, Brandon Laurin, Michael Ryba, Austin Santor, and Brett Giroux, and Coaches Rob McAuliffe, Gaelan Trombley, and Jacob Spiegel on their outstanding season and overall team record; and be it further

RESOLVED, That copies of this Resolution, suitably engrossed, be transmitted to the Chazy Boys Varsity Soccer Team and to the aforementioned coaches.