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LEGISLATIVE RESOLUTION commending Emma Rogus upon the occasion of receiving the Girl Scout Silver Award

WHEREAS, Emma Rogus is a member of Corning, New York Girl Scouts of America Troop 40673 affiliated with the Girl Scouts of NYPENN Pathways council; and

WHEREAS, Through her diligence and rigorous efforts, Emma Rogus has earned Cadette Girl Scouting's highest and most prestigious honor, the Girl Scout Silver Award for 11 to 14-year-old girls in Grades 6-8 and Girl Scouting's second highest achievement; and

WHEREAS, She will be honored at a Girl Scouts of NYPENN Pathways Young Women of Distinction event in May 2012; and

WHEREAS, Girl Scouting has cultivated in our nation's young people the goals of building solid values of sisterhood and the importance of working with others, stimulating both mind and body, instilling pride, and encouraging community service and success; and

WHEREAS, Girl Scouting has expanded the horizons of the countless young women who have participated in the programs which have made Girl Scouting an American and international institution; and

WHEREAS, To earn the Silver Award, Emma Rogus completed five requirements; the first four requirements help girls build skills, explore careers, gain leadership skills, and make a commitment to self-improvement and are followed by the completion of the fifth requirement, a sustainable Silver Award community service project which Emma Rogus planned, developed and executed and which will impact the community for many years to come; and

WHEREAS, The Silver Award symbolizes an 11 to 14-year-old Cadette Girl Scout's accomplishments in Girl Scouting and community activities as she matures and works to better her life and the lives of others; it is tangible evidence of Emma Rogus' high character and commitment, and is a harbinger of her future service to her community, New York State and our nation; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That this Legislative Body pause in its deliberations to warmly congratulate Emma Rogus, recognizing her achievement in earning

the Girl Scout Silver Award and wishing her success, health and happiness; and be it further

RESOLVED, That a copy of this Resolution, suitably engrossed, be transmitted to Emma Rogus.