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LEGISLATIVE RESOLUTION congratulating Michael Horton upon the occasion of receiving the Arrow of Light Award, the highest of Cub Scout honors

WHEREAS, It is the sense of this Legislative Body, in accord with its long-standing traditions, to honor the youth of today, and leaders of tomorrow, whose character and achievements exemplify the ideals and values cherished by this great State and Nation; and WHEREAS, Michael Horton, a member of Cub Scout Pack 139, Howard Beach, New York, through his diligence and vigorous efforts, will achieve the highest of Cub Scout honors, the Arrow of Light Award; and WHEREAS, Michael Horton is receiving this fine award as he advances into the Boy Scouts; and

WHEREAS, Michael Horton is a fifth grader at PS 207Q and participates in the Kiwanis Club at school; he is an honor student, invited into ARP (advanced regents program) for middle school and is thinking of a career in geology; and

WHEREAS, Earning 25 belt loops, the Leave No Trace Award, and the World Conservation Award, Michael Horton participated in two district camporees and earned all 20 activity badges for webelos, giving him the Super Achiever award; and

WHEREAS, Michael Horton is encouraged to continue with Scouting in recognition of the importance of working toward becoming an Eagle Scout, the highest of Boy Scout honors; and

WHEREAS, America has achieved her greatest heights of glory through the dedication, determination and tireless efforts of the outstanding citizens of this Nation; and

WHEREAS, It is only with the continued diligence and devotion of our youth, tomorrow's leaders, that America will maintain her glory; and WHEREAS, The Boy Scouts of America and its members are dedicated to

the development of character and leadership in the youth of this Nation; and

WHEREAS, Michael Horton is a credit to his family, school, community, and his State and Nation, and it is certain that his future will be filled with accomplishments of equal importance; now, therefore, be it RESOLVED, That this Legislative Body pause in its deliberations to congratulate Michael Horton upon the occasion of receiving the Arrow of Light Award, the highest of Cub Scout honors; and be it further RESOLVED, That a copy of this Resolution, suitably engrossed, be transmitted to Michael Horton.