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LEGISLATIVE RESOLUTION congratulating Allison "Alli" Philbin upon the occasion of receiving the distinguished Girl Scout Gold Award, the most prestigious of Girl Scouting honors

WHEREAS, Allison "Alli" Philbin, through her diligence and rigorous efforts, has achieved Girl Scouting's highest and most prestigious honor, the Girl Scout Gold Award; she will be honored by the Girl Scouts of Nassau County's Seaford/Wantagh Association at a Court of Honor ceremony, to be held on Wednesday, May 30, 2012, at the St. Frances de Chantal Auditorium in Wantagh, New York; and

WHEREAS, Allison "Alli" Philbin is a member of the Seaford/Wantagh Association's Troop 3089; 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, Girl Scouts of America and its members are dedicated to the development of character and leadership in the youth of this nation; and WHEREAS, Since 1980, Senior Girl Scouts have capped their years of achievement in Girl Scouting with the Girl Scout Gold Award; and WHEREAS, In order to earn the Girl Scout Gold Award, a girl must complete five requirements, all of which demand efficient organizational, time management, and leadership skills; chief among these requirements is the design and completion of a Gold Award Service Project which must build upon the interests of the girl, provide a service to the community, and be of lasting benefit; and WHEREAS, Allison Philbin's Girl Scout Gold project was entitled "Massapequa Day at Northport VA"; and

WHEREAS, This outstanding young woman has been involved in Scouting for years, has lived up to Scouting's ideals and has attained all of the necessary achievements for the Girl Scout Gold Award; and WHEREAS, Allison "Alli" Philbin is a credit to her family, her school, her community, her State and her nation, and no doubt her future will be

filled with accomplishments of equal importance; now, therefore, be it RESOLVED, That this Legislative Body pause in its deliberations, in recognition of the significance of this meritorious achievement, to congratulate and honor Allison "Alli" Philbin upon the occasion of her designation as the recipient of a Girl Scout Gold Award on May 30, 2012; and be it further

RESOLVED, That a copy of this Resolution, suitably engrossed, be transmitted to Allison "Alli" Philbin.