

## 2013-J366

LEGISLATIVE RESOLUTION honoring Sean Nidermaier upon the occasion of his designation as recipient of the Boy Scouts of America National Medal of Heroism for saving his four-year-old sister

WHEREAS, It is the sense of this Legislative Body to recognize and commend the courage, calm and bravery of those remarkable young people who perform heroic acts, taking prompt and appropriate action in emergency situations in an effort to preserve the life of another; and

WHEREAS, Attendant to such concern, and in full accord with its long-standing traditions, this Legislative Body is justly proud to honor Sean Nidermaier upon the occasion of his designation as recipient of the Boy Scouts of America National Medal of Heroism for saving his four-year-old sister; and

WHEREAS, Sean Nidermaier, a 10-year-old fifth grader at the Notre Dame School in New Hyde Park, received this illustrious award at the roundtable meeting of the county Theodore Roosevelt Council; he is a member of Boy Scout Troop 544; and

WHEREAS, Sean Nidermaier received this illustrious award for pulling his sister to the surface of a hotel pool shortly after she had fallen to the bottom; and

WHEREAS, The quality and sanctity of human life are cherished values, worthy of safeguarding; this Legislative Body is proud to honor an individual who would serve to protect it; and

WHEREAS, This exceptional young man should be meritoriously commended for remaining calm under pressure and for showing valor and true courage while performing a lifesaving deed; and

WHEREAS, Through his spontaneous and heroic actions, Sean Nidermaier demonstrated his character and his compassion for the welfare of others, personifying, by virtue of his actions, the collective concern of ordinary citizens across the community of New York State who voluntarily respond when others are in need of help; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That this Legislative Body pause in its deliberations to honor Sean Nidermaier upon the occasion of his designation as recipient of the Boy Scouts of America National Medal of Heroism for saving his

four-year-old sister; and be it further

RESOLVED, That a copy of this Resolution, suitably engrossed, be transmitted to Sean Nidermaier.