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LEGISLATIVE RESOLUTION honoring Boy Scouts Steven Mushorn, Joe Carr, Joe Earley, Jason Mushorn and Alex Marchiselli in acknowledgement of their heroic acts on January 9, 2013

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 safety and property; and WHEREAS, Attendant to such concern, and in full accord with its longstanding traditions, this Legislative Body is justly proud to honor Boy Scouts Steven Mushorn, Joe Carr, Joe Earley, Jason Mushorn and Alex Marchiselli in acknowledgement of their heroic acts on Wednesday, January 9, 2013, in helping to extinguish a fire at an apartment; and WHEREAS, The boys were recognized with certificates of appreciation by Williston Park Mayor Paul Ehrbar during the Williston Park Board of Trustees meeting on Tuesday, January 22, 2013; and WHEREAS, The boys, who are all Boy Scouts, were playing soccer across the street from a school when they noticed flames; one of the boys, Steven Mushorn, got a fire extinguisher and then put out the fire with the help of his friends; and

WHEREAS, These exceptional young men should be meritoriously commended for remaining calm under pressure and for showing valor and true courage while performing a noble deed; and

WHEREAS, Through their spontaneous and heroic actions, these remarkable Boy Scouts demonstrated their character and compassion for the welfare of others, personifying, by virtue of their 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 Boy Scouts Steven Mushorn, Joe Carr, Joe Earley, Jason Mushorn and Alex Marchiselli in acknowledgement of their heroic acts on January 9, 2013; and be it further

RESOLVED, That a copy of this Resolution, suitably engrossed, be transmitted to Steven Mushorn, Joe Carr, Joe Earley, Jason Mushorn and Alex Marchiselli.