

## 2015-J100

LEGISLATIVE RESOLUTION commending Hannah Rose Prall upon the occasion of her designation for special recognition by the 2014 SULLIVAN COUNTY DEMOCRAT honoring Professional Women and Women in Business

WHEREAS, Individuals who give of their time and energies and serve the best interests of their communities are an asset beyond remuneration and cannot be sufficiently extolled; and

WHEREAS, Hannah Rose Prall has given not only of her time and energies but also of her competence, intelligence and leadership and consequently has been designated for special honor; and

WHEREAS, This Legislative Body is justly proud to commend Hannah Rose Prall upon the occasion of her designation for special recognition by the 2014 SULLIVAN COUNTY DEMOCRAT honoring Professional Women and Women in Business; and

WHEREAS, Hannah Rose Prall earned a Bachelor of Law degree in European, International, and Comparative Law which she completed in the United Kingdom; and

WHEREAS, After passing the bar exam, Hannah Rose Prall has been licensed to practice Law in New York State since 2008; she is also a Notary Public; and

WHEREAS, For four years, Hannah Rose Prall has been self-employed working as an Attorney in Sullivan County, focusing on Family Law; and

WHEREAS, The most rewarding aspect of Hannah Rose Prall's job is having the opportunity to be the voice for children, and helping them in only a small way when they are often going through one of the most traumatic experiences of their lives; and

WHEREAS, Living by her school motto, "Integrity, Tenacity, and Service," Hannah Rose Prall's favorite on-the-job moment was when she was given a cow bell by a client at the completion of his case; and

WHEREAS, Active in her community, Hannah Rose Prall is a volunteer for the Junior League of Orange County, Immediate Past President of the Women's Bar Association of Orange and Sullivan County, Recording Secretary for Habitat for Humanity of Sullivan County, member of the Town of Mamakating Ethics Board, and Advisory Committee member for the Sullivan County Children's Center; and

WHEREAS, Throughout the entire period of her community service, a period of constructive involvement, Hannah Rose Prall has stood constant in dignity, good grace and humor; and

WHEREAS, When she is not working or volunteering, Hannah Rose Prall enjoys traveling, running, and knitting and spending time with her family; in September of 2014, she ran her first marathon in the United Kingdom, and plans to run the Celebrate Life Half Marathon in March of 2015, in Rock Hill, New York; and

WHEREAS, With her throughout has been her husband, Stephen, and their son, William, as well as three stepsons, Jacob, Andrew, and Philip, all of whom feel privileged to be a part of her life and rejoice in her achievements; and

WHEREAS, Rare indeed is the impressive dedication shown by an individual for the benefit of others which Hannah Rose Prall has displayed throughout her life; and

WHEREAS, It is the sense of this Legislative Body that those who enhance the quality of life in their community and have shown a long and sustained commitment to the maintenance of high standards in their profession, certainly have earned the recognition and applause of all the citizens of this great Empire State; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That this Legislative Body pause in its deliberations to commend Hannah Rose Prall upon the occasion of her designation for

special recognition by the 2014 SULLIVAN COUNTY DEMOCRAT honoring Professional Women and Women in Business; and be it further

RESOLVED, That a copy of this Resolution, suitably engrossed, be tran-

mitted to Hannah Rose Prall.