

## 2015-J329

LEGISLATIVE RESOLUTION honoring Dominick Peluso upon the occasion of his designation as recipient of the 2015 Scholarship Award by the Major General Irene Trowell-Harris Chapter of Tuskegee Airmen, Inc.

WHEREAS, It is the sense of this Legislative Body to honor the young adults of today and leaders of tomorrow whose character and achievements best exemplify the ideals and values cherished by this great State and Nation; and

WHEREAS, Attendant to such concern, and in full accord with its long-standing traditions, this Legislative Body is justly proud to honor Dominick Peluso upon the occasion of his designation as recipient of the 2015 Scholarship Award by the Major General Irene Trowell-Harris Chapter of Tuskegee Airmen, Inc.; and

WHEREAS, This momentous occasion will be celebrated at the 17th Annual Tuition Assistance Awards Celebration on Saturday, February 7, 2015, at Anthony's Pier 9, New Windsor, New York; and

WHEREAS, A senior at Ramapo High School in Spring Valley, New York, Dominick Peluso has been on the Principal's List every semester since seventh grade, and is currently President of Ramapo's National Honor Society chapter; and

WHEREAS, Dominick Peluso is the Flight Commander of the Lieutenant Lee A. Archer Jr. Red Tail Youth Flying Program at Stewart Airport, and is its most active student pilot; he plans to attend Embry-Riddle Aeronautical University with a major in aeronautical science and a minor in aviation and global security, and then to log aviation experience possibly as an officer of the United States Air Force; and

WHEREAS, In addition, Dominick Peluso serves as a volunteer firefighter, and is active within the Rockland Conservation and Service Corps, as well as Cornell's Hudson River Fish Advisory Unit; and

WHEREAS, Throughout his high school career, Dominick Peluso has displayed exceptional academic achievement, a strong sense of community responsibility, and a commitment to excellence which is unparalleled; and

WHEREAS, Dominick Peluso, in achieving this academic honor, may take just pride in the inspiration and contribution to the spirit of excellence he brings to his family, friends, community and school; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That this Legislative Body pause in its deliberations to honor Dominick Peluso upon the occasion of his designation as recipient of the 2015 Scholarship Award by the Major General Irene Trowell-Harris Chapter of Tuskegee Airmen, Inc., and to extend to him best wishes for a future of purposeful success and well-being; and be it further

RESOLVED, That a copy of this Resolution, suitably engrossed, be transmitted to Dominick Peluso.