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LEGISLATIVE RESOLUTION honoring Deborah Torres upon the occasion of being named an Outstanding Educator by the Capital District YMCA on May 14, 2015

WHEREAS, It is the practice of this Legislative Body to take note of and publicly acknowledge individuals of remarkable integrity and character whose endeavors have enhanced the quality of education in this great State; and

WHEREAS, Attendant to such concern, and in full accord with its long-standing traditions, this Legislative Body is justly proud to honor Deborah Torres upon the occasion of being named an Outstanding Educator by the Capital District YMCA to be celebrated at its 10th Annual Student and Educator Awards Breakfast Reception, on Thursday, May 14, 2015, at the Sarazen Student Union, Siena College, Albany, New York; and

WHEREAS, This commendation honors high school students and educators who demonstrate outstanding service to their schools and communities while embracing the YMCA's core values of caring, honesty, respect, and responsibility; and

WHEREAS, Deborah Torres has taught English at Loudonville Christian School for the past three years; in addition, she is the 10th Grade Class Advisor, in charge of fundraising and organizing the annual 10th grade trip to Lancaster, Pennsylvania; and

WHEREAS, Known for her dedication, patience, and compassion, Deborah Torres always challenges her students to be the best they can be; and

WHEREAS, The future success of our State and Nation is dependent upon individuals such as Deborah Torres, who dedicate their lives as educators, nurturing our most precious resource, our youth; and

WHEREAS, Teachers provide a tremendous service to the future of our State and Nation, inspiring generations of young people in their educa-

tional journeys and ensuring their success in their future years; now,
therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That this Legislative Body pause in its deliberations to
honor Deborah Torres upon the occasion of being named an Outstanding
Educator by the Capital District YMCA on May 14, 2015; and be it further
RESOLVED, That a copy of this Resolution, suitably engrossed, be trans-
mitted to Deborah Torres.