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LEGISLATIVE RESOLUTION congratulating the Manhasset Middle School Wrestling Team on their undefeated 2015 season

WHEREAS, Excellence and success in competitive sports can be achieved only through strenuous practice, team play and team spirit, nurtured by dedicated coaching and strategic planning; and

WHEREAS, Athletic competition enhances the moral and physical development of the young people of this State, preparing them for the future by instilling in them the value of teamwork, encouraging a standard of healthy living, imparting a desire for success and developing a sense of fair play and competition; and

WHEREAS, This Legislative Body is justly proud to congratulate the Manhasset Middle School Wrestling Team on their undefeated 2015 season; and

WHEREAS, The Manhasset Middle School Wrestling Team achieved a remarkable undefeated 2015 season with a perfect 8-0 record; and

WHEREAS, The athletic talent displayed by this team composed of 18 eighth graders and 22 seventh graders is due in great part to the efforts of Coaches Stephon Sair and Eric Uellendahl, skilled and inspirational tutors, respected for their ability to develop potential into excellence; and

WHEREAS, The team's overall undefeated record is outstanding, and the team members were loyally and enthusiastically supported by family, fans, friends and the community at large; and

WHEREAS, The hallmarks of the Manhasset Middle School Wrestling Team, from the opening match of the season to participation in the Championship, were a brotherhood of athletic ability, of good sportsmanship, of honor and of scholarship, demonstrating that these team players are second to none; and

WHEREAS, Athletically and academically, the team members have proven themselves to be an unbeatable combination of talents, reflecting favorably on their school; and

WHEREAS, Coaches Stephon Sair and Eric Uellendahl have done a superb job in guiding, molding and inspiring the team members toward their goals; and

WHEREAS, Sports competition instills the values of teamwork, pride and accomplishment, and Coaches Stephon Sair and Eric Uellendahl and these outstanding athletes have clearly made a contribution to the spirit of excellence which is a tradition of their school; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That this Legislative Body pause in its deliberations to congratulate the members of the Manhasset Middle School Wrestling Team, and Coaches Stephon Sair and Eric Uellendahl, on their outstanding season and undefeated team record; and be it further

RESOLVED, That copies of this Resolution, suitably engrossed, be transmitted to the Manhasset Middle School Wrestling Team, Coach Stephon Sair and Coach Eric Uellendahl.