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LEGISLATIVE RESOLUTION honoring Corey Szykowski upon the occasion of being named the 2015-2016 Teacher of the Year by the Central New York Technology and Engineering Educators Association

WHEREAS, This Legislative Body seeks to acknowledge those individuals whose professional lives and civic endeavors serve to enhance the stature of the State of New York; and

WHEREAS, It is the custom of this Legislative Body to recognize that the quality and character of life in communities across New York State are reflective of the concerned and dedicated efforts of those individuals who are devoted to the welfare of their community and its citizenry; and

WHEREAS, Attendant to such concern, and in full accord with its long-standing traditions, this Legislative Body is justly proud to honor Corey Szykowski upon the occasion of being named the 2015-2016 Teacher of the Year by the Central New York Technology and Engineering Educators Association; and

WHEREAS, The Central New York Technology and Engineering Educators Association (CNYTEEA) was established in 1936 with the mission to provide educational and fellowship experiences for teachers to continue their professional development; and

WHEREAS, This vital association recognizes the accomplishments and achievements of educators like Corey Szykowski for their service, activity, and professional development in the fields of engineering and technology; and

WHEREAS, Corey Szykowski is a seventh grade technology teacher at the Emerson Dillon Middle School in the Phoenix Central School District, who has collaborated with Clarkson University in Potsdam, New York, to bring a robotics component to his classroom; and

WHEREAS, This esteemed educator was nominated and chosen for the CNYTEEA honor due to his ability to excite students about learning various trades; and

WHEREAS, His love of teaching and his capability to instill confidence in his students led to his recognition by the CNYTEEA; 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 honor Corey Szykowski upon the occasion of being named the 2015-2016 Teacher of the Year by the Central New York Technology and Engineering Educators Association; and be it further

RESOLVED, That a copy of this Resolution, suitably engrossed, be transmitted to Corey Szykowski.