

## 2015-J5103

LEGISLATIVE RESOLUTION congratulating Autumn Stern upon the occasion of receiving the distinguished Girl Scout Silver Award, a prestigious Scouting honor

WHEREAS, Autumn Stern will be honored with the Girl Scout Silver Award, Cadette Scouting's highest award and Girl Scouting's second highest achievement, at the West Hempstead/Franklin Square Association of Girl Scouts' Awards Night on Friday, May 13, 2016, at Polk Street School, Franklin Square, New York; and

WHEREAS, A resident of West Hempstead, New York, Autumn Stern, the daughter of Christine and Fred, is a member of Girl Scout Troop 1107; and

WHEREAS, Girl Scouting has cultivated in our Nation's young people the goals of building solid values of sisterhood and the importance of working with others, stimulating both mind and body, instilling pride, and encouraging community service and success; and

WHEREAS, Girl Scouting has expanded the horizons of the countless hundreds of thousands who have participated in Scouting programs which have made Scouting an American and international institution; and

WHEREAS, For her Silver Award community service project, Autumn Stern collected books and created a new library at St. Andrew's Church; and

WHEREAS, The Silver Award is earned over a two-year period; it is tangible evidence of Autumn Stern's high character and commitment, and is a harbinger of her future service to her community, New York State and our Nation; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That this Legislative Body pause in its deliberations to recognize her achievement in earning the Girl Scout Silver Award and wishing her success, health and happiness; and be it further

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

mitted to Autumn Stern.