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

WHEREAS, Emma Fitzgerald 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 Franklin Square, New York, Emma Fitzgerald, the daughter of Ann and Albert, is a member of Girl Scout Troop 1006; 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, Emma Fitzgerald addressed the issue of preservation at the Garden City Bird Sanctuary through community outreach, education, clearing, planting, promoting environmentalism, and preventing pollution; and

WHEREAS, The Silver Award is earned over a two-year period; it is tangible evidence of Emma Fitzgerald'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 transmitted to Emma Fitzgerald.