

## 2015-K1247

LEGISLATIVE RESOLUTION congratulating Chloe Hanson upon the occasion of capturing the New York State YMCA Swimming Championship in the 50 yard freestyle

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

WHEREAS, It is the sense of this Legislative Body to recognize those young people within the State of New York who, by achieving outstanding success in athletic competition, have inspired and brought great pride to their school and community; 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, Attendant to such concern, and in full accord with its long-standing traditions, this Legislative Body is justly proud to congratulate Chloe Hanson upon the occasion of capturing the New York State YMCA Swimming Championship in the 50 yard freestyle; and

WHEREAS, Chloe Hanson of the Skaneateles Lightening Swim Club from the Skaneateles YMCA became her team's first State Champion in the 50 yard freestyle event in the girls' 9-10 age group during the New York State YMCA Swimming Championship, which was held on March 20, 2016, at the University of Buffalo Alumni Arena Natatorium in Buffalo, New York; and

WHEREAS, Chloe Hanson impressed the packed arena when she touched first in 29.23 seconds in the 50 yard freestyle event; and

WHEREAS, In addition, Chloe Hanson placed third in the 100 Individual Medley and fourth in the 50 butterfly swimming competition; and

WHEREAS, The athletic talent displayed by Chloe Hanson is due in great part to the efforts of Coaches Chad McMillan and Jason McMillan, skilled coaches who have helped develop potential into excellence; and

WHEREAS, Chloe Hanson also was loyally and enthusiastically supported by her teammates, family members, fans, friends and the community at large; and

WHEREAS, Athletically, Chloe Hanson has proven herself to be an unbeatable talent who demonstrates great sportsmanship and character; and

WHEREAS, Sports competitions instill the values of teamwork, pride and accomplishment, and Coaches Chad McMillan and Jason McMillan, and this outstanding athlete have clearly made a contribution to the spirit of excellence; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That this Legislative Body pause in its deliberations to congratulate Chloe Hanson upon the occasion of capturing the New York State YMCA Championship in the 50 yard freestyle; and be it further

RESOLVED, That copies of this Resolution, suitably engrossed, be transmitted to Chloe Hanson, and Coaches Chad McMillan and Jason McMillan.