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LEGISLATIVE RESOLUTION honoring Annette Colasunno upon the occasion of her designation as recipient of the Business Person of the Year Award by the Pleasantville Chamber of Commerce and the Pleasantville community

WHEREAS, The State of New York takes great pride in acknowledging its esteemed residents who have distinguished themselves in their profession and in their communities; and

WHEREAS, This Legislative Body is justly proud to honor Annette Colasunno upon the occasion of her designation as recipient of the Business Person of the Year Award by the Pleasantville Chamber of Commerce and the Pleasantville community which was celebrated during an event at Trattoria 160 on Wednesday, April 27, 2016; and

WHEREAS, Annette Colasunno has exhibited the true spirit of the prestigious Business Person of the Year Award through her impressive success and her tireless dedication to the community; and

WHEREAS, Annette Colasunno opened the Lil' Chocolate Shoppe on Manville Road in 1986; the Shoppe moved to its current location on Washington Avenue more than 20 years ago; and

WHEREAS, The Lil' Chocolate Shoppe offers personal, one-of-a-kind designed chocolates for all occasions; and

WHEREAS, Customers may choose from a wide variety of boxed chocolates, gourmet truffles, and seasonal and holiday-themed treats for gifts and favors for anniversaries, birthdays, and weddings; and

WHEREAS, Annette Colasunno has also contributed her time and expertise as a chocolate-making instructor for the Chappaqua, Briarcliff, and Armonk Recreation Departments; and

WHEREAS, Furthermore, this remarkable woman contributes generously to the Northern Westchester Shelter, Pleasantville Food Pantry, and Rosary Hill Hospice; 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 Annette Colasunno upon the occasion of her designation as recipient of the Business Person of the Year Award by the Pleasantville Chamber of Commerce and the Pleasantville community; and be it further RESOLVED, That a copy of this Resolution, suitably engrossed, be transmitted to Annette Colasunno.