

## 2015-J5870

LEGISLATIVE RESOLUTION congratulating Brad Bihler upon the occasion of capturing the New York State Public High School Athletic Association, Section VI, Division 2 Wrestling Championship

WHEREAS, It is the intent of this Legislative Body to recognize and honor outstanding young people who demonstrate the qualities that lead to success in athletics, academics and life in this great Empire State; and

WHEREAS, It is the intent of this Legislative Body to recognize those young people within our community who, by achieving outstanding success in athletic competitions, have inspired and brought pride to their school district and community; and

WHEREAS, Attendant to such concern, and in full accord with its long-standing traditions, this Legislative Body is justly proud to congratulate Brad Bihler upon the occasion of capturing the New York State Public High School Athletic Association, Section VI, Division 2 Wrestling Championship; and

WHEREAS, This was truly an outstanding season for Brad Bihler and one that will go down in the record books for all time; he compiled a record of 46-2, and now holds the distinction of being one of the top wrestlers in the State of New York; and

WHEREAS, Brad Bihler, a senior at Maple Grove Junior/Senior High School, claimed several individual titles this season, elevating him to an even higher level and qualifying him for the State tournament in Albany, New York; he flawlessly made his way through his opponents, before squaring off in the finals and successfully defeating Tanner Cook; and

WHEREAS, Brad Bihler ends his high school wrestling career as a State champion and truly at the top of his game; he became the Maple Grove

career wins leader in 2016 and finished with 193 victories; these accomplishments have earned him the title of 2015-16 POST JOURNAL Co-Wrestler of the Year; and

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

WHEREAS, It is the intent of this Legislative Body to publicly recognize those high school athlete-scholars who have achieved notable success in this great Empire State; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That this Legislative Body pause in its deliberations to congratulate Brad Bihler for his perseverance and dedication in aspiring for success in his high school wrestling career, and for capturing the New York State Public High School Athletic Association, Section VI, Division 2 Wrestling Championship; and be it further

RESOLVED, That a copy of this Resolution, suitably engrossed, be transmitted to Brad Bihler.