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LEGISLATIVE RESOLUTION memorializing Governor Andrew M. Cuomo to proclaim October 2016, as Principals Month in the State of New York

WHEREAS, It is the custom of this Legislative Body to recognize official months that are set aside to highlight the men and women who lend their passion and skills to educating our children; and

WHEREAS, This Legislative Body is justly proud to memorialize Governor Andrew M. Cuomo to proclaim October 2016, as Principals Month in the State of New York, in conjunction with the observance of National Principals Month; and

WHEREAS, The National Association of Secondary School Principals (NASSP) and the National Association of Elementary School Principals (NAESP) have declared the month of October 2016 to be National Principals Month; and

WHEREAS, Principals are educational visionaries, instructional and assessment leaders, disciplinarians, community builders, budget analysts, facilities managers, and administrators of legal and contractual obligations; and

WHEREAS, Principals work collaboratively with teachers and parents to develop and implement a clear mission, high curriculum standards, and performance goals; and

WHEREAS, Principals create school environments that facilitate great teaching and learning and continuous school improvement; and

WHEREAS, The vision, actions, and dedication of principals provide the mobilizing force behind any school reform effort; and

WHEREAS, The celebration of National Principals Month honors elementary school, middle school, and high school principals, and recognizes the importance of principals in ensuring that every child has access to a high-quality education; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That this Legislative Body pause in its deliberations to memorialize Governor Andrew M. Cuomo to proclaim October 2016, as Principals Month in the State of New York; and be it further

RESOLVED, That a copy of this Resolution, suitably engrossed, be transmitted to The Honorable Andrew M. Cuomo, Governor of the State of New York.