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LEGISLATIVE RESOLUTION honoring Rodrigo Rodriguez upon the occasion of receiving the State University of New York Chancellor's Award for Student Excellence

WHEREAS, It is the sense of this Legislative Body to honor the youth of today, and leaders of tomorrow, whose character and achievements best exemplify the ideals and values cherished by this great State and Nation; and

WHEREAS, Attendant to such concern, and in full accord with its long-standing traditions, this Legislative Body is justly proud to honor Rodrigo Rodriguez upon the occasion of receiving the State University of New York Chancellor's Award for Student Excellence; and

WHEREAS, A student at SUNY Cortland, Rodrigo Rodriguez is a young man of singular distinction and superlative abilities who has established a high standard of academic excellence and purposefulness of life rarely achieved in youthful years; and

WHEREAS, The Chancellor's Award for Student Excellence was created to recognize State University students who have integrated academic excellence with outstanding accomplishments in the areas of leadership, community service, athletics, creative and performing arts, or career achievement; and

WHEREAS, Poised eagerly with enthusiasm and determined purpose, Rodrigo Rodriguez now stands honorably, with just pride in his accomplishments and in eager anticipation of future challenges, understanding and appreciating the caring counsel and support provided by his teachers, friends and family; and

WHEREAS, It is the sense of this Legislative Body that when young people of such noble aims and accomplishments are brought to our attention, they should be celebrated and recognized by all the citizens of

the great State of New York; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That this Legislative Body pause in its deliberations to honor Rodrigo Rodriguez upon the occasion of receiving the State University of New York Chancellor's Award for Student Excellence, and extend to him its best wishes for a future of purposeful success and well-being, fully confident of his response to a promising future and appreciative of the model he represents for all aspiring young people of the Empire State; and be it further

RESOLVED, That a copy of this Resolution, suitably engrossed, be transmitted to Rodrigo Rodriguez.