

## 2009-J3922

LEGISLATIVE RESOLUTION commending the Nanuet High School Jazz Knights upon the occasion of its participation in Music In Our Schools Month on March 15, 2010

WHEREAS, The administrators of Nanuet High School are committed to actively promoting and nurturing a comprehensive music program for all of its students; and

WHEREAS, Those same administrators have been supportive, actively encouraging music program staff to devote their time and energy to developing the talents of their students; and

WHEREAS, The Jazz Knights of Nanuet High School, comprised of students of the highest musical and academic caliber, will be performing on Monday, March 15, 2010, at the Empire State Plaza in Albany, in celebration of Music In Our Schools Month; and

WHEREAS, Under the luminous leadership of Director Walter Miller, the Nanuet High School Jazz Knights consists of: Alto Saxophone - Jennifer Boyd, Andrew Hawkins, Grant Jardine, Dorothy Manievch, Brian Purvis; Tenor Saxophone - April Camacho, Kyle Nonnon, Jonah Silverstone; Baritone Saxophone - James Roth; Trombone - Eric Berk, Neil Heinzer, Andrew Klock, Sean Selinske, Kristopher Siriban; Trumpet - Brian Dolan, Jacqueline Ferro, Sean Flynn, Tara Flynn, Stephon Khan, Kevin Quill, Mark Siriban, John Sweet, Andrew Weiss; Rhythm Section - Joshua Burger, Samuel Fein, Vasia Giannakakos, Walter Halvorsen, Joseph Kuhn, Amanda Lowney, Christopher Pandolfo, Eve Quinn, and Ryan Wilhelm; and

WHEREAS, The New York State School Music Association sponsors this event and has helped it to evolve from a New York State Day into a month-long national observance; and

WHEREAS, Talent, dedication, and countless hours of practice have made the Nanuet High School Jazz Knights the outstanding ensemble it is

today; and

WHEREAS, The members work hard at their music rehearsals, classroom assignments and practice sessions, fully aware that the amount of time and energy they are willing to expend directly affects the quality of their music; and

WHEREAS, The talented members of the Nanuet High School Jazz Knights, along with their parents and teachers, can be justifiably proud of their musical achievements and their participation in Music In Our Schools Month; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That this Legislative Body extend a warm welcome to the staff and students of the Nanuet High School Jazz Knights as they visit Albany for their performance at the Empire State Plaza; and be it further

RESOLVED, That a copy of this Resolution, suitably engrossed, be transmitted to the Nanuet High School Jazz Knights.