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LEGISLATIVE RESOLUTION congratulating Paulette Morgan for placing first in Albany's Tulip Festival photo contest

WHEREAS, It is incumbent upon the people of the State of New York to recognize and acknowledge those within our midst who have made significant contributions to the quality of life therein; and

WHEREAS, Attendant to such concern, and in full accord with its longstanding traditions, this Legislative Body is justly proud to congratulate Paulette Morgan for placing first in Albany's Tulip Festival photo contest; and

WHEREAS, The Bulbs and Blooms Contest is held every year in Albany, New York's Washington Park; and

WHEREAS, The photo shots consisted of dew-dropped petals, blooms flanking the Moses statue in Washington Park, and close-ups of the flower's interior; and

WHEREAS, This year's first place winner is Paulette Morgan of Delmar, New York; the judges loved the abstract nature of her white tulip photo, which brings to mind a cloud; and

WHEREAS, It is the sense of this Legislative Body that when individuals of such noble aims and accomplishments are brought to our attention, they should be celebrated and recognized by all the citizens of this great Empire State; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That this Legislative Body pause in its deliberations to congratulate Paulette Morgan for placing first in Albany's Tulip Festival photo contest; and be it further

RESOLVED, That a copy of this Resolution, suitably engrossed, be transmitted to Paulette Morgan.