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LEGISLATIVE RESOLUTION congratulating the Seaford High School Girls' Varsity Volleyball Team and Coach Marie Savage upon the occasion of capturing the Nassau County Class B Championship

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

WHEREAS, Athletic competition enhances the moral and physical development of the young people of this State, preparing them for the future by instilling in them the value of teamwork, encouraging a standard of healthy living, imparting a desire for success and developing a sense of fair play and competition; and

WHEREAS, The Seaford High School Girls' Varsity Volleyball Team are the 2013 Nassau County Class B Volleyball Champions; the Vikings defeated Lynbrook 3-1 on Thursday, November 7, 2013 at State University of Old Westbury, winning the school's third consecutive Nassau County Class B Volleyball Championship; and

WHEREAS, The athletic talent displayed by this team is due in great part to the efforts of Coach Marie Savage, a skilled and inspirational tutor, respected for her ability to develop potential into excellence; and

WHEREAS, The team's overall record of 12-3 is outstanding, and the team members were loyally and enthusiastically supported by family, fans, friends and the community at large; and

WHEREAS, The hallmarks of the Seaford High School Girls' Varsity Volleyball Team, from the opening game of the season to participation in the championship, were a sisterhood of athletic ability, of good sportsmanship, of honor and of scholarship, demonstrating that these team players are second to none; and

WHEREAS, Athletically and academically, the team members have proven themselves to be an unbeatable combination of talents, reflecting favorably on their school; and

WHEREAS, Coach Marie Savage has done a superb job in guiding, molding and inspiring the team members toward their goals; and

WHEREAS, Sports competition instills the values of teamwork, pride and accomplishment, and Coach Marie Savage and these outstanding athletes have clearly made a contribution to the spirit of excellence which is a tradition of their school; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That this Legislative Body pause in its deliberations to congratulate the Seaford High School Girls' Varsity Volleyball Team; its members: Victoria Prodan, Amanda Higgins, Emma Schait, Jenna Leonardi, Ally Anderson, Desire Fowlkes, Sophie Dandola, Shannon Fredericks, Samantha Romano, Maggie Weidlein, Ashley Casazza, Dallas Zabawski, Jessica Lodispoto, Teresa Angelastro, Jessica Rini, Erin Russell, and Coach Marie Savage on their outstanding season and overall team record; and be it further

RESOLVED, That copies of this Resolution, suitably engrossed, be transmitted to the Seaford High School Girls' Varsity Volleyball Team and to Coach Marie Savage.