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LEGISLATIVE RESOLUTION congratulating Isabel Comella upon the occasion of receiving the distinguished Girl Scout Silver Award, the most prestigious of Cadette Scouting honors

WHEREAS, Isabel Comella, through her diligence and rigorous efforts, has achieved Cadette Scouting's highest honor, the Girl Scout Silver Award; and

WHEREAS, Isabel Comella is a member of Girl Scouts of America Troop 40098, Girl Scouts of NYPENN Pathways; and

WHEREAS, Girl Scouting has cultivated in our nation's young people the values of leadership and sisterhood, and the importance of working with others, stimulating both mind and body, instilling pride, and encouraging community service and success; and

WHEREAS, Girl Scouting has expanded the horizons of millions of young women over the decades through the outstanding programs which have made Scouting an American and international institution; and

WHEREAS, America has achieved her greatest heights of glory through the dedication, determination and tireless efforts of the outstanding citizens of this Nation; and

WHEREAS, It is only with the continued diligence and devotion of our youth, tomorrow's leaders, that America will maintain her glory; and

WHEREAS, Isabel Comella completed a Silver Award community service project which she planned, developed and executed; and

WHEREAS, For her Silver project, this exemplary Girl Scout organized and executed a book drive to benefit the Family Reading Partnership; through her Big Red Bookshelf Girl Scout Book Drive, she collected and delivered over 240 books, with the goal of supporting early reading; and

WHEREAS, The Silver Award is earned over a two-year period; this achievement demonstrates Isabel Comella's high character and commitment,

and is a harbinger of her future contributions to her community, the State of New York, and our nation; now, therefore, be it RESOLVED, That this Legislative Body pause in its deliberations, in recognition of the significance of this meritorious achievement, to congratulate and honor Isabel Comella upon the occasion of her designation as recipient of the Girl Scout Silver Award; and be it further RESOLVED, That a copy of this Resolution, suitably engrossed, be transmitted to Isabel Comella.