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LEGISLATIVE RESOLUTION honoring Lisa M. Clifford upon the occasion of her designation as recipient of the Volunteer Spirit Award, to be celebrated at the Stakeholders' 2014 GOBY Awards Ceremony on April 23, 2014

WHEREAS, It is the sense of this Legislative Body to call attention to the dedicated efforts of those individuals and organizations from across the State of New York who volunteer their time and energies in service to the community; and

WHEREAS, Volunteerism is an essential element of all societies; it provides a way in which the human values of community, caring and serving can be sustained and strengthened; and

WHEREAS, This Legislative Body is justly proud to honor Lisa M. Clifford upon the occasion of her designation as recipient of the Volunteer Spirit Award, to be celebrated at the Stakeholders' 2014 GOBY Awards Ceremony on Wednesday, April 23, 2014, at the GE Theatre at Proctors, Schenectady, New York; and

WHEREAS, The GOBY Awards (Get on Board Volunteer Awards) recognize companies, organizations and individuals who have provided exemplary volunteer services in New York's Capital Region; and

WHEREAS, Lisa M. Clifford is an Investment Solutions Specialist with Key Private Bank; she is responsible for building investment management and trust relationships in the Capital Region as part of Key's comprehensive wealth management services; and

WHEREAS, A monthly guest on WNYT TV Channel 13's "Money Monday" midday show, Lisa M. Clifford has also been honored by the Albany-Colonie Chamber of Commerce's Women's Business Council as a Woman of Excellence in Sales and Marketing and is the recipient of the ALBANY BUSINESS REVIEW'S 40 Under Forty Award; and

WHEREAS, This remarkable woman is President of the Wildwood Founda-

tion, and has served on its board of directors for over 10 years; furthermore, she has also served on the boards of the Community Foundation for the Greater Capital Region and Ellis Hospital Foundation, and has been Capital Region Chair of Key4Women; and WHEREAS, Volunteerism promotes family and community solidarity; most importantly, people who give of their time in civic and charitable endeavors inspire others to the call of volunteerism; and WHEREAS, It is the custom of this Legislative Body that those who enhance the well-being and vitality of their community and have shown a long and sustained commitment to excellence certainly have earned the recognition and applause of all the citizens of this great Empire State; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That this Legislative Body pause in its deliberations to honor Lisa M. Clifford upon the occasion of her designation as recipient of the Volunteer Spirit Award; and be it further RESOLVED, That a copy of this Resolution, suitably engrossed, be tran-

smitted to Lisa M. Clifford.