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LEGISLATIVE RESOLUTION honoring Major Christopher Albright upon the occasion of his retirement from the United States Marine Corps after 20 years of dedicated military service

WHEREAS, It is incumbent upon this Legislative Body to recognize those remarkable individuals who have honorably and courageously served their country in order to protect the life and liberty of our citizens, and whose military service, professional lives and civic endeavors serve to enhance the stature of this great Empire State; and WHEREAS, Attendant to such concern, and in full accord with its long-standing traditions, this Legislative Body is justly proud to honor Major Christopher Albright upon the occasion of his retirement from the United States Marine Corps after 20 years of dedicated military service in 2014; his distinguished military career will be celebrated at a retirement ceremony; and

WHEREAS, In 1993, Major Christopher Albright, of Albany, New York, graduated from Bishop Maginn High School, Albany, New York, and began his distinguished military career in 1994; and

WHEREAS, Major Christopher Albright attended Defense Acquisition University in 2011, and received the Level II Life Cycle Logistics Certification, and the Level III Program Management Certification in 2012; and

WHEREAS, He went on to earn a bachelor's degree from Park University in 2012; and

WHEREAS, In his official acts, Major Christopher Albright was governed by a sense of loyalty, duty and honor, allowing him to be a natural leader within his country and his community-at-large; and WHEREAS, It is the sense of this Legislative Body to acknowledge the significant milestones in the distinguished careers of esteemed resi-

dents of this noble Empire State; and

WHEREAS, Individuals who dedicate their lives to military service merit the commendation and applause of all citizens for their commitment to the preservation of American freedom; now, therefore, be it RESOLVED, That this Legislative Body pause to hereby honor and recognize Major Christopher Albright upon the occasion of his retirement from the United States Marine Corps after 20 years of dedicated military service; and be it further

RESOLVED, That a copy of this Resolution, suitably engrossed, be transmitted to Major Christopher Albright, United States Marine Corps.