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LEGISLATIVE RESOLUTION congratulating Trevor Allard upon the occasion of capturing the 2014 New York State wrestling title

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, Attendant to such concern, and in full accord with its long-standing traditions, this Legislative Body is justly proud to congratulate Mexico High School student-athlete Trevor Allard upon the occasion of capturing the 2014 New York State wrestling title on Saturday, March 1, 2014, at the Times Union Center in Albany, New York; and

WHEREAS, A junior at Mexico High School, Trevor Allard, who entered the tournament as the eighth seed with a 45-4 record, won the New York State Public High School Athletic Association Division II 160-pound wrestling championship in an overtime victory over his Duanesburg opponent; and

WHEREAS, Trevor Allard's overall record is outstanding; he was loyally and enthusiastically supported by family, fans, friends and the community at large; and

WHEREAS, Sports competition instills the values of teamwork, pride and accomplishment, and Trevor Allard has clearly made a contribution to the spirit of excellence which is a tradition of his school, giving Mexico High School its first state wrestling championship in the school's proud wrestling history; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That this Legislative Body pause in its deliberations to congratulate student-athlete Trevor Allard upon the occasion of capturing the 2014 New York State wrestling title; and be it further

RESOLVED, That a copy of this Resolution, suitably engrossed, be transmitted to Trevor Allard.