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LEGISLATIVE RESOLUTION honoring Jessica Schips upon the occasion of her recognition by the Orange County Interscholastic Athletic Association as a 2014 OCIAA Scholar Athlete

WHEREAS, It is the sense of this Legislative Body to act, in accord with its long-standing traditions, to honor the achievements of its young citizens and leaders of tomorrow, whose character and accomplishments exemplify the ideals and values cherished by this great State and nation; and

WHEREAS, This Legislative Body is justly proud to honor Jessica Schips upon the occasion of her recognition by the Orange County Interscholastic Athletic Association as a 2014 OCIAA Scholar Athlete; and

WHEREAS, Academically and athletically, Jessica Schips has distinguished herself as a young woman of superlative ability, talent, and maturity, establishing standards of excellence and achievement, purposefulness of life, and responsibility rarely achieved in youthful years; and

WHEREAS, Jessica Schips, a student at Eldred Junior-Senior High School, ranked 4th in her class with a GPA of 92.93, and was on the cross country, basketball and track teams; and

WHEREAS, She is the Secretary of the National Honor Society, President of the Varsity Club, and Treasurer and member of the Band; she plans to attend SUNY Geneseo or SUNY Oswego; and

WHEREAS, An outstanding role model for her classmates, Jessica Schips has brought honor to her family, school, and community; and

WHEREAS, Jessica Schips may stand with pride in her achievements, experiencing the satisfaction of her labors and the joy of her accomplishments, eager to face the challenge of new experiences as she continues her education; and

WHEREAS, Jessica Schips represents the potential inherent in our most precious resource, our youth; this Legislative Body is pleased to honor this young woman, recognizing her achievements and the promise of her future; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That this Legislative Body pause in its deliberations to honor Jessica Schips upon the occasion of her recognition by the Orange County Interscholastic Athletic Association as a 2014 OCIAA Scholar Athlete, and to wish her well in her future endeavors; and be it further

RESOLVED, That a copy of this Resolution, suitably engrossed, be transmitted to Jessica Schips.