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LEGISLATIVE RESOLUTION honoring Georgia Lyons upon the occasion of her designation as the recipient of a 2014 SUNY Chancellor's Award for Excellence in Classified Service

WHEREAS, It is the practice of this Legislative Body to take note of and publicly acknowledge individuals of remarkable integrity and character whose endeavors have enhanced the quality of education in the great State of New York; and

WHEREAS, Attendant to such concern, and in full accord with its longstanding traditions, this Legislative Body is justly proud to honor Georgia Lyons upon the occasion of her designation as the recipient of a 2014 SUNY Chancellor's Award for Excellence in Classified Service, which was celebrated on Saturday, May 17, 2014, at Sullivan County Community College (SUNY Sullivan) 50th Annual Commencement Ceremony in the Paul Gerry Fieldhouse; and

WHEREAS, Faculty and staff who receive the Chancellor's Award for Excellence have served their students, fellow faculty and staff, campuses, and communities with the utmost distinction, and have demonstrated extraordinary dedication and service to SUNY Sullivan; Georgia Lyons is one such individual; and

WHEREAS, In 2000, Georgia Lyons joined SUNY Sullivan as Secretary to the Athletic Department, and has diligently and generously served in that same position ever since; and

WHEREAS, With each passing year, Georgia Lyons has demonstrated a caring commitment to SUNY Sullivan's steadfast professionalism; whether publicly or individually, and tireless dedication to its athletic programs, as well as to the college at large; and WHEREAS, Given her straightforward attentiveness and gentle kindheartedness, Georgia Lyons simply cannot stop herself from offering personal-

ized help to one and all; she is an exceptional team player in an environment where teamwork and the greater good are keys to success; and WHEREAS, It is the sense of this Legislative Body to commend the efforts of individuals such as Georgia Lyons, who, by providing their skills and talents to our schools, work to support our proud tradition of public education; and

WHEREAS, Georgia Lyons has clearly had an enduring impact on the youth of SUNY Sullivan, as well as on the community-at-large, and accordingly merits recognition and applause for her impressive dedication to others; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That this Legislative Body pause in its deliberations to honor Georgia Lyons upon the occasion of her designation as the recipient of a 2014 SUNY Chancellor's Award for Excellence in Classified Service; and be it further

RESOLVED, That a copy of this Resolution, suitably engrossed, be transmitted to Georgia Lyons.