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LEGISLATIVE RESOLUTION honoring Samuel Plank upon the occasion of his designation as a recipient of the 2014 Mid-Hudson Athletic League Senior Scholar Athlete Award

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 Samuel Plank upon the occasion of his designation as a recipient of the 2014 Mid-Hudson Athletic League Senior Scholar Athlete Award, which was celebrated on May 28, 2014, at its 16th Annual Recognition Breakfast; and WHEREAS, Academically and athletically, Samuel Plank has distinguished himself as a young man of superlative ability, talent, and maturity, establishing standards of excellence and achievement, purposefulness of life, and responsibility rarely achieved in youthful years; and WHEREAS, Samuel Plank, a student at Rondout Senior High School in Accord, New York, is ranked 4th in his class, and has participated in Varsity soccer, tennis and alpine skiing for three years; and WHEREAS, Samuel Plank is active in National Honor Society, student forum, chorus and vocal jazz; and

WHEREAS, Samuel Plank plans to attend Harvard University and major in biology; and

WHEREAS, An outstanding role model for his classmates, Samuel Plank has brought honor to his family, school, and community; and WHEREAS, Samuel Plank may stand with pride in his achievements, experiencing the satisfaction of his labors and the joy of his accomplishments, eager to face the challenge of new experiences as he continues

his education; and

WHEREAS, Samuel Plank represents the potential inherent in our most precious resource, our youth; this Legislative Body is pleased to honor this young man, recognizing his achievements and the promise of his future; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That this Legislative Body pause in its deliberations to honor Samuel Plank upon the occasion of his designation as recipient of the 2014 Mid-Hudson Athletic League Senior Scholar Athlete Award, and to wish him well in all his future endeavors; and be it further RESOLVED, That a copy of this Resolution, suitably engrossed, be transmitted to Samuel Plank.