

## 2015-J1305

LEGISLATIVE RESOLUTION honoring Steven Alhona upon the occasion of his designation for special recognition by the 2015 SULLIVAN COUNTY DEMOCRAT Men at Work Edition

WHEREAS, Individuals who give of their time and energies and serve the best interests of their communities are an asset beyond remuneration and cannot be sufficiently extolled; and

WHEREAS, Steven Alhona has given not only of his time and energies but also of his competence, intelligence and leadership and consequently has been designated for special honor; and

WHEREAS, This Legislative Body is justly proud to honor Steven Alhona upon the occasion of his designation for special recognition by the 2015 SULLIVAN COUNTY DEMOCRAT Men at Work Edition; and

WHEREAS, Raised in Suffolk, Virginia, Steven Alhona graduated from Nansemond River High School before earning his degree from Chowan University in Murfreesboro, North Carolina; and

WHEREAS, A Recruiter at SUNY Sullivan, Steven Alhona represents the institution at college fair programs throughout New York State, as well as in neighboring states; he also participates in events for prospective students, their families and guidance counselors throughout the year, including Registration Day, College Night and Discover SUNY Sullivan Day; and

WHEREAS, In addition, he conducts tours of the campus and works with regional guidance counselors to market college opportunities to high school students; and

WHEREAS, Prior to his position with SUNY Sullivan, Steven Alhona was the Baseball Coach at Marist College, Georgetown University and Virginia Wesleyan College; and

WHEREAS, Truly committed to the wellbeing of his community, Steven

Alhona serves as the Hudson Valley Region Player Coordinator for the Empire State Prospect Games, a baseball showcase which raises money for childhood cancer; and

WHEREAS, With him throughout has been his wife, Chrystine, who feels privileged to be a part of his life and rejoices in his achievements;

and

WHEREAS, Throughout the entire period of his professional and community service, a period of constructive involvement, Steven Alhona has stood constant in dignity, good grace and humor; and

WHEREAS, It is the sense of this Legislative Body that those who enhance the quality of life in their community and have shown a long and sustained commitment to the maintenance of high standards in their profession, certainly have earned the recognition and applause of all the citizens of this great Empire State; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That this Legislative Body pause in its deliberations to honor Steven Alhona upon the occasion of his designation for special recognition by the 2015 SULLIVAN COUNTY DEMOCRAT Men at Work Edition; and be it further

RESOLVED, That a copy of this Resolution, suitably engrossed, be transmitted to Steven Alhona.