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LEGISLATIVE RESOLUTION honoring Barry K. Davis upon the occasion of receiving the 2015 K-12 Building Principal of the Year Award from the School Administrators Association of New York State

WHEREAS, It is incumbent upon the people of the State of New York to recognize and acknowledge those within our midst who have made significant contributions to the quality of life therein; and WHEREAS, This Legislative Body is justly proud to honor Barry K. Davis upon the occasion of receiving the 2015 K-12 Building Principal of the Year Award from the School Administrators Association of New York State; and

WHEREAS, Before becoming principal at Lyme Central School, Barry K. Davis served as a social studies teacher for 22 years, educating students in grades 7 through 12; and

WHEREAS, With a passion for both teaching and for improving educational opportunities for students at Lyme Central School, Barry K. Davis has served as the school's principal for the past eight years; and WHEREAS, In the role of principal, Barry K. Davis has worked tirelessly to support both teachers and students, making an extra effort to foster partnerships with local organizations, such as the Watertown Lyric Theater and Cornell Cooperative Extension of Jefferson County, to help enhance learning opportunities; and

WHEREAS, Throughout his career at Lyme Central School, Barry K. Davis has worked tirelessly to improve the district and has earned the reputation of being an educator who genuinely cares about his students and faculty, and values their success above all else; and WHEREAS, An individual who has truly gone above and beyond to serve

students, faculty and families, Barry K. Davis has made a difference not only at Lyme Central School, but in the North Country region as a whole;

now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That this Legislative Body pause in its deliberations to honor Barry K. Davis upon the occasion of receiving the 2015 K-12 Building Principal of the Year Award from the School Administrators Association of New York State; and be it further RESOLVED, That a copy of this Resolution, suitably engrossed, be transmitted to Barry K. Davis.