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LEGISLATIVE RESOLUTION congratulating the Manhasset High School Girls Varsity Crew Team upon the occasion of capturing the Gold Medal at the New York State Scholastic Rowing Championship

WHEREAS, Excellence and success in competitive sports can be achieved only through strenuous practice, team play and team spirit, nurtured by dedicated coaching and strategic planning; and

WHEREAS, Athletic competition enhances the moral and physical development of the young people of this State, preparing them for the future by instilling in them the value of teamwork, encouraging a standard of healthy living, imparting a desire for success and developing a sense of fair play and competition; and

WHEREAS, This Legislative Body is justly proud to congratulate the Manhasset High School Girls Varsity Crew Team upon the occasion of capturing the Gold Medal at the New York State Scholastic Rowing Championship held on May 9-10, 2015; and

WHEREAS, The Manhasset High School Girls Varsity Crew Team won its first Gold Medal in school history in the elite varsity eight category with an outstanding performance from the team members; and WHEREAS, The athletic talent displayed by the Manhasset Indians is due in great part to the efforts of Coach Jason Moskowitz, a skilled and inspirational tutor, respected for his ability to develop potential into excellence; and

WHEREAS, The team's overall record is exceptional, and the team members were loyally and enthusiastically supported by family, fans, friends and the community-at-large; and

WHEREAS, The hallmarks of the Manhasset High School Girls Varsity Crew Team, from the opening of the season to participation in the championship, were a fellowship of athletic ability, of good sportsmanship, of honor and of scholarship, demonstrating that these team players are second to none; and

WHEREAS, Athletically and academically, the team members have proven themselves to be an unbeatable combination of talents, reflecting favorably on their school; and

WHEREAS, Sports competition instills the values of teamwork, pride and accomplishment, and Coach Jason Moskowitz and all of these outstanding athletes have clearly made a contribution to the spirit of excellence which is a tradition of their school; now, therefore, be it RESOLVED, That this Legislative Body pause in its deliberations to congratulate the members of the Manhasset High School Girls Varsity Crew Team upon the occasion of capturing the Gold Medal at the New York State Scholastic Rowing Championship; and be it further RESOLVED, That copies of this Resolution, suitably engrossed, be transmitted to the members of the Manhasset High School Girls Varsity Crew Team, and Coach Jason Moskowitz.