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LEGISLATIVE RESOLUTION Honoring Michelle "Mickey" Driscoll Tierney upon the occasion of being selected as the 2016 Grand Marshal of the Northern Westchester-Putnam 40th Annual St. Patrick's Day Parade

WHEREAS, The State of New York takes great pride in acknowledging its esteemed residents who have distinguished themselves in their profession and in their communities; and

WHEREAS, Michelle "Mickey" Driscoll Tierney will be honored as Grand Marshal of the Northern Westchester-Putnam 40th Annual St. Patrick's Day Parade during a dinner to be held at the Centennial Golf Club on February 5, 2016; the parade will be held on March 13th and is dedicated to Army Staff Sergeant Jimmy McNaughton (Gold Star Families) and Sergeant Eddie Ryan, USMC (Wounded Warriors); and WHEREAS, Mickey Driscoll Tierney was born to Patrick Driscoll and Letitia Sullivan Driscoll; her paternal grandparents were from County Kerry and her mother was born in County Kildare; and WHEREAS, Mickey Driscoll Tierney enjoyed many Emerald Society events with her family; and WHEREAS, Mickey Driscoll Tierney graduated from St. Philip Neri on the Grand Concourse; she attended Manhattan College and later earned a nursing degree from Mount Vernon Hospital School of Nursing; and WHEREAS, Mickey Driscoll Tierney has enjoyed success as a nurse for Dr. Bennett Pallant and for the Putnam Hospital Center Quality Department; and WHEREAS, Mickey Driscoll Tierney is an active member of the Stephen P. Driscoll Memorial Fraternal Order of Police Lodge No. 704; Stephen was her brother, a NYPD officer who lost his life at the World Trade Center on September 11, 2001; and

WHEREAS, Mickey Driscoll Tierney also belongs to the New York State

Shields, the NYPD Navy Association, and the NYPD Emerald Society; and WHEREAS, Mickey Driscoll Tierney and her loving husband, John Tierney, are the proud parents of Alyssa, Lauren, Erica, and Leah Tierney; and WHEREAS, Mickey Driscoll Tierney is tirelessly dedicated to her community and to her Irish heritage; now, therefore, be it RESOLVED, That this Legislative Body pause in its deliberations to honor Mickey Driscoll Tierney upon the occasion of being selected as the 2016 Grand Marshal of the Northern Westchester-Putnam 40th Annual St. Patrick's Day Parade; and be it further RESOLVED, That a copy of this Resolution, suitably engrossed, be transmitted to Mickey Driscoll Tierney.