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LEGISLATIVE RESOLUTION commending the Avon High School Competitive Cheerleading Team upon the occasion of capturing the New York State Public High School Athletic Association's Competitive Cheerleading 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, The Avon High School Competitive Cheerleading Team captured the New York State Public High School Athletic Association's Competitive Cheerleading Championship on Saturday, March 5, 2016, at Onondaga Community College; and

WHEREAS, The New York State Public High School Athletic Association (NYSPHSAA) hosts 32 State Championship events each year and has the opportunity to work on behalf of more than 600,000 student-athletes who participate in interscholastic athletics in New York State; and WHEREAS, Each team who wins a State Championship title in New York has displayed the dedication, commitment and teamwork which are required to reach the highest level of success; each team begins the season with the goal of claiming the State Championship title and the Avon High School Competitive Cheerleading Team has achieved this milestone; and WHEREAS, The athletic talent displayed by this team is due in great part to the efforts of its Coach, a skilled and inspirational tutor with the ability to develop potential into excellence; and

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

WHEREAS, The hallmarks of the Avon High School Competitive Cheerleading Team, from the first competition of the season to participation in the championship, were a sisterhood 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 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 Avon High School Competitive Cheerleading Team upon the occasion of capturing the New York State Public High School Athletic Association's Competitive Cheerleading Championship; and be it further RESOLVED, That copies of this Resolution, suitably engrossed, be transmitted to the Avon High School Competitive Cheerleading Team.