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LEGISLATIVE RESOLUTION commending Immaculata Academy for more than 88 years of excellence in education to the Hamburg, New York, community on June 24, 2016

WHEREAS, It is the sense of this Legislative Body to recognize and commend those institutions of commitment and high achievement whose purpose and endeavors prove a dedication to the pursuit of excellence in the education of the youth of this noble Empire State; and WHEREAS, Attendant to such concern, and in full accord with its long-standing traditions, this Legislative Body is justly proud to commend Immaculata Academy for more than 88 years of excellence in education to the Hamburg, New York, community to be celebrated at a prayer service and reception on Friday, June 24, 2016; and

WHEREAS, Although this year marks the closing of this illustrious school, the administration, faculty and staff may look back and proudly know that it has been an integral part of the history of the Hamburg community; since 1928, Immaculata Academy has represented a dynamic, responsive and positive force within the educational system of New York State; and

WHEREAS, Since its establishment, Immaculata Academy has provided a unique educational program for young women to prepare them academically, morally, and spiritually for the challenges facing them today, as well as the future; and

WHEREAS, Immaculata Academy is a private, Catholic, college-preparatory high school that has been dedicated to educating young women based on Franciscan values; with a family spirit, its goal for each student is that she maximize her potential academically, spiritually and personally, so as to be an instrument of positive change in society; and WHEREAS, The staff and administration at Immaculata Academy has

strived to create relationships which promote dignity, mutual respect, cooperation, and appreciation of individual differences; the school sends forth young women leaders who have a strong sense of their identity, and an appreciation for others' uniqueness; and WHEREAS, The steadfast and unyielding commitment of parents, educators and administrators to provide the highest quality education for students has been the hallmark and tradition of Immaculata Academy; and WHEREAS, Immaculata Academy's distinguished record merits the recognition and respectful tribute of this Legislative Body; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That this Legislative Body pause in its deliberations to commend Immaculata Academy for more than 88 years of excellence in education to the Hamburg, New York, community; and be it further RESOLVED, That a copy of this Resolution, suitably engrossed, be transmitted to Immaculata Academy.