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LEGISLATIVE RESOLUTION congratulating the Syracuse Developmental Academy East Blasters Soccer Team upon the occasion of capturing the Eastern New York State Cup Finals

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 Syracuse Developmental Academy (SDA) East Blasters Soccer Team are the Eastern New York State Cup U12 Champions; and

WHEREAS, The athletic talent displayed by this team is due in great part to the efforts of Coach Wayne Williams, a skilled and inspirational tutor, respected for his 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 SDA East Blasters Soccer Team, from the opening game 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, Coach Wayne Williams, as well as Assistant Coaches David Sherline, Brian Davis and Ashley Williams, have done a superb job in guiding, molding and inspiring the team members toward their goals; and WHEREAS, Sports competition instills the values of teamwork, pride and accomplishment, and Coach Wayne Williams and his 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 SDA East Blasters Soccer Team; its members: Alexis Bates, Riley Davis, Lindsay Depietro, Grace Dreimiller, Allison Falvo, Mackenzie Gaffney, Gabriella Hughes, Parker Lahey, Madison Luke, Paige Luke, Abigail Lawter, Olivia Lindsay, Ava Malin, Lillianna Moksness, Mary Muller, Katelyn Sherline, Kathryan Sullivan, Peyton Steates, Alexis Townsend, Tara Williams and Madison Wisheart; and Coach Wayne Williams on their outstanding season and overall team record; and be it further

RESOLVED, That copies of this Resolution, suitably engrossed, be transmitted to the Syracuse Developmental Academy East Blasters Soccer Team, Coach Wayne Williams, and Assistant Coaches David Sherline, Brian Davis and Ashley Williams.