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Senate Resolution No. 4180

BY: Senator JACOBS

HONORING Angela Patti upon the occasion of her designation as recipient of the 2017 SUNY President's Award for Excellence in Teaching

WHEREAS, It is the practice of this Legislative Body to take note of and publicly acknowledge individuals of remarkable integrity and character whose endeavors have enhanced the quality of life in the great State of New York; and

WHEREAS, Attendant to such concern, and in full accord with its long-standing traditions, this Legislative Body is justly proud to honor Angela Patti upon the occasion of her designation as recipient of the 2017 SUNY President's Award for Excellence in Teaching; and

WHEREAS, The President's Award for Excellence in Teaching recognizes and rewards a professor who consistently demonstrates excellence in teaching and classroom management; Angela Patti is one such individual; and

WHEREAS, Angela Patti, Assistant Professor, Exceptional Education, has been called upon to contribute her time and talents to countless civic and charitable endeavors and has always given of herself unstintingly; and

WHEREAS, Professors such as Angela Patti, are a key component of the SUNY faculty, providing top-quality instruction and making an important contribution to academic success and degree completion among students; and

WHEREAS, Angela Patti, a role model within the SUNY community, is truly the best of the best, having demonstrated extraordinary dedication to her students and an exceptional commitment to teaching excellence; and

WHEREAS, It has always been the objective of this Legislative Body to honor and support those individuals who have displayed their commitment to the betterment of their communities, and it is the intent of this Legislative Body to inscribe upon its records, this tribute to Angela Patti, that future generations may know and appreciate her admirable character, her many benevolent deeds, and the respect and esteem in which she is held by her peers; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That this Legislative Body pause in its deliberations to honor Angela Patti upon the occasion of her designation as recipient of the 2017 SUNY President's Award for Excellence in Teaching; and be it further

RESOLVED, That a copy of this Resolution, suitably engrossed, be transmitted to Angela Patti.