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Senate Resolution No. 4344

BY: Senator JACOBS

HONORING Pink Martini Gift Shop upon the occasion of its designation as recipient of the Citizen of the Year Award by the Grand Island Chamber of Commerce

WHEREAS, It is the sense of this Legislative Body to recognize that small businesses greatly contribute to the economic vitality of communities across New York State; and

WHEREAS, Attendant to such concern, and in full accord with its long-standing traditions, this Legislative Body is justly proud to honor Pink Martini Gift Shop upon the occasion of its designation as recipient of the Citizen of the Year Award by the Grand Island Chamber of Commerce, to be celebrated at its 52nd Annual Awards Dinner on April 26, 2018, at the Radisson Grand Island; and

WHEREAS, Each year, the Grand Island Chamber of Commerce looks for businesses, organizations, teachers, individuals or someone who has gone the extra mile and has taken the extra step above and beyond their day to day responsibilities and jobs, in the Grand Island Community; and

WHEREAS, The Citizen of the Year Awards are presented annually to businesses and individuals who have graciously given of their time and energy to make Grand Island a better place, and who are the true

foundation and spirit of this great community; and

WHEREAS, Small business owners exemplify the entrepreneurial spirit which has fueled our State and Nation since their founding; and

WHEREAS, Events which honor small businesses help to enhance the free enterprise system upon which our Nation was built; and

WHEREAS, Small businesses exert a strong positive influence on our communities, and the future welfare of New York State depends on the continued development of small businesses; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That this Legislative Body pause in its deliberations to honor Pink Martini Gift Shop upon the occasion of its designation as recipient of the Citizen of the Year Award by the Grand Island Chamber of Commerce; and be it further

RESOLVED, That a copy of this Resolution, suitably engrossed, be transmitted to Pink Martini Gift Shop.