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Senate Resolution No. 4924

BY: Senator DEFRANCISCO

COMMENDING Anthony Sonnacchio upon the occasion of the completion of his term as President of the New York State Association of School Business Officials

WHEREAS, It is the sense of this Legislative Body to acknowledge those individuals within our midst whose dedication and professional endeavors have enhanced the quality of education in this great Empire State; and

WHEREAS, Attendant to such concern, and fully in accord with its long-standing traditions, this Legislative Body is justly proud to commend Anthony Sonnacchio upon the occasion of the completion of his term as President of the New York State Association of School Business Officials; he will officially complete his term of office at the Education Summit and Expo on June 3, 2018; and

WHEREAS, The New York State Association of School Business Officials (NYSASBO) was established in 1948, and is a membership organization which includes school business officials and staff from both school districts and BOCES around the State of New York; and

WHEREAS, After serving as a member of NYSASBO Board of Directors from 2012-2016, Anthony Sonnacchio was elected as President for the 2017-2018 school year; and

WHEREAS, As NYSASBO President, Anthony Sonnacchio successfully carried out its mission of promoting and encouraging collaboration and professional development, maintaining high standards and advocating on behalf of quality public education for all students; and

WHEREAS, In addition to this important role, Anthony Sonnacchio currently serves as the Business Administrator for the Marcellus School District; previously, he served as Business Administrator for the Phoenix Central School District from 2006-2012, and prior to that, as a technology coordinator, payroll clerk and treasurer at the Onondaga Central School District; and

WHEREAS, When he is not working, Anthony Sonnacchio enjoys spending time with his wife, Sheryl, and their two children, Nick and Nate; together, they love to ski, swim, golf and play video games; and

WHEREAS, The success of NYSASBO is in direct correlation to the efforts of President Anthony Sonnacchio whose involvement is, and always has been, characterized by an impressive commitment, an unbridled enthusiasm, and an uncompromising standard of excellence in all endeavors on behalf of this organization and the communities it serves; and

WHEREAS, Throughout his career, Anthony Sonnacchio has continually demonstrated a passion for enhancing the quality of the educational programs and opportunities offered in his district and throughout the State of New York; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That this Legislative Body pause to commend Anthony Sonnacchio upon the occasion of the completion of his term as President of the New York State Association of School Business Officials; and be it further RESOLVED, That a copy of this Resolution, suitably engrossed, be transmitted to Anthony Sonnacchio.