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Senate Resolution No. 4995

BY: Senator JACOBS

HONORING McKinley Falkowski upon the occasion of his designation as recipient of the Outstanding Youth Award by the Town of Tonawanda Youth Board on May 10, 2018

WHEREAS, It is the sense of this Legislative Body to recognize and pay tribute to those young people within the great Empire State who have made strong contributions to their communities and who serve as role models for their peers; and

WHEREAS, Attendant to such concern, and in full accord with its long-standing traditions, this Legislative Body is justly proud to honor McKinley Falkowski upon the occasion of his designation as recipient of the Outstanding Youth Award by the Town of Tonawanda Youth Board, to be celebrated at its 41st Annual Awards Dinner on Thursday, May 10, 2018; and

WHEREAS, A resident of Tonawanda, New York, and a student at Kenmore East High School, McKinley Falkowski has distinguished himself as a young man of superlative ability, establishing a high standard of excellence and purposefulness of life rarely achieved in youthful years; and

WHEREAS, McKinley Falkowski, in achieving this high honor, may take

just pride in the inspiration and contribution to the spirit of excellence he brings to his family, friends, community and school; and

WHEREAS, With his sense of civic duty and his commitment to others, McKinley Falkowski represents the best development of the potential which is inherent in our most precious resource, our youth; and

WHEREAS, Poised eagerly with enthusiasm and determined purpose, this scholar now stands honorably, with just pride in his accomplishments and in eager anticipation of future challenges, understanding and appreciating the caring counsel and support provided by his teachers, coaches and parents; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That this Legislative Body pause in its deliberations to honor McKinley Falkowski upon the occasion of his designation as recipient of the Outstanding Youth Award by the Town of Tonawanda Youth Board on May 10, 2018; and be it further

RESOLVED, That a copy of this Resolution, suitably engrossed, be transmitted to McKinley Falkowski.