LEGISLATIVE RESOLUTION congratulating the Mexico Academy and Central School District for its recognition as a top National Digital School

WHEREAS, This Legislative Body is justly proud to congratulate the Mexico Academy and Central School District upon the occasion of its recognition as one of the country's 2013 top digital schools, by the Center for Digital Education and the National School Boards Association; and

WHEREAS, This recognition honors schools that heavily use technology to communicate with students, as well as with parents in the district; and

WHEREAS, Mexico was one of only two New York schools to achieve this recognition in 2013; and

WHEREAS, This recognition was made possible because Mexico has made technology one if its foremost priorities, which has allowed students to read and write greater amounts of text, create stronger messages with their work, and connect with new ideas; and

WHEREAS, The Mexico Academy and Central School District has shown its commitment to the value of education and the importance of developing students' abilities in a digital world; and

WHEREAS, It is the practice of this Legislative Body that when institutions of such noble aims and accomplishments are brought to our attention, they should be celebrated and recognized by all the citizens of this great Empire State; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That this Legislative Body pause in its deliberations to congratulate the Mexico Academy and Central School District upon its recognition as a top National Digital School; and be it further

RESOLVED, That copies of this Resolution, suitably engrossed, be transmitted to the Mexico Academy and Central School District.