LEGISLATIVE RESOLUTION honoring Mackenzie McQueeney upon the occasion of her designation as 2013 Valedictorian of Duanesburg High School

WHEREAS, It is the sense of this Legislative Body to act, in accord with its long-standing traditions, to honor the achievements of its young citizens and leaders of tomorrow, whose character and accomplishments exemplify the ideals and values cherished by this great State and nation; and

WHEREAS, This Legislative Body is justly proud to honor Mackenzie McQueeney upon the occasion of her designation as 2013 Valedictorian of Duanesburg High School; and

WHEREAS, Academically, Mackenzie McQueeney has distinguished herself as a young woman of superlative ability, talent, and maturity, establishing standards of excellence and achievement, purposefulness of life, and responsibility rarely achieved in youthful years; and

WHEREAS, Mackenzie McQueeney, ranked first in her class, is a delight-ful young woman with amazing academic promise and leadership ability; with a grade point average of 95.74, she is a role model for her peers, and a benefit and joy to her teachers; and

WHEREAS, Throughout her time at Duanesburg High School, Mackenzie McQueeney has applied and challenged herself; she has consistently followed a college-bound track, accelerating in University in the High School, Advance Placement, and Honors classes; and

WHEREAS, A student with integrity and character, Mackenzie McQueeney is responsible, determined and autonomous; she is an asset to her school and community, and has genuine honesty, compassion and ability; she prides herself in being accountable, helpful and motivated; and

WHEREAS, While striving in her academics, Mackenzie McQueeney is also active in athletics and other extracurricular activities; and

WHEREAS, Mackenzie McQueeney is a valedictorian in every sense of the word; she is creative, a team player, intellectually curious, dedicated, open minded, and displays great integrity; and

WHEREAS, Mackenzie McQueeney may stand with pride in her achievements, experiencing the satisfaction of her labors and the joy of her accomplishments, eager to face the challenge of new experiences as she continues her education; and

WHEREAS, Mackenzie McQueeney represents the potential inherent in our most precious resource, our youth; this Legislative Body is pleased to honor this young woman, recognizing her achievements and the promise of her future; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That this Legislative Body pause in its deliberations to honor Mackenzie McQueeney upon the occasion of her designation as 2013 Valedictorian of Duanesburg High School; and be it further

RESOLVED, That a copy of this Resolution, suitably engrossed, be transmitted to Mackenzie McQueeney.