LEGISLATIVE RESOLUTION honoring Kathy Prizzia upon the occasion of her designation as a 2016 SUNY New Paltz School of Business Hall of Fame Inductee as recipient of the Dean's Award of Excellence

WHEREAS, It is the custom of this Legislative Body to take note of and publicly acknowledge individuals who have distinguished themselves through their exemplary careers, accomplishments, and purposeful lives of service to their community; and

WHEREAS, Attendant to such concern, and in full accord with its long-standing traditions, this Legislative Body is justly proud to honor Kathy Prizzia upon the occasion of her designation as a 2016 SUNY New Paltz School of Business Hall of Fame Inductee as recipient of the Dean's Award of Excellence to be celebrated on Wednesday, April 13, 2016, at the Grandview in Poughkeepsie, New York; and

WHEREAS, The SUNY New Paltz School of Business Hall of Fame was established in 2001 to recognize and acknowledge the achievements of those who have made significant contributions to their respective business professions, while also having a significant positive impact on the educational activities of the School; and

WHEREAS, A business leader of singular distinction, Kathy Prizzia has continually demonstrated extreme competence, extraordinary intelligence and diligent leadership in her unwavering service to both her community and profession and consequently, has been selected for this most prestigious honor; and

WHEREAS, A New Paltz area resident for over 20 years, Kathy Prizzia has ably served as the Executive Director of the New Paltz Regional Chamber of Commerce; and

WHEREAS, An active member of the New Paltz community, Kathy Prizzia has been called upon to contribute her time and talents to countless civic and charitable endeavors; she serves as Chairman of the Taste of New Paltz, the New Paltz Regatta Planning Committee, the SUNY New Paltz Business Advisory Council and the Ulster County Tourism Advisory Board; and

WHEREAS, Throughout the entire period of her community service, a period of constructive involvement, Kathy Prizzia has stood constant in dignity, good grace and humor; and

WHEREAS, Rare indeed is the impressive dedication shown by an individual for the benefit of others which Kathy Prizzia has displayed throughout her life; and

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

RESOLVED, That this Legislative Body pause in its deliberations to honor Kathy Prizzia upon the occasion of her designation as a 2016 SUNY New Paltz School of Business Hall of Fame Inductee as recipient of the Dean's Award of Excellence; and be it further

RESOLVED, That a copy of this Resolution, suitably engrossed, be transmitted to Kathy Prizzia.