LEGISLATIVE RESOLUTION commending the Canandaigua Middle School Library upon the occasion of its designation as the 2016 School Library of the Year by the Rochester Regional Library Council

WHEREAS, It is the sense of this Legislative Body to recognize that the quality and character of life in the communities across the great State of New York is reflective of certain exemplary institutions whose purpose is dedicated to serving the community and the needs of its citizenry; and

WHEREAS, Attendant to such concern, and in full accord with its long-standing traditions, this Legislative Body is justly proud to commend the Canandaigua Middle School Library upon the occasion of its designation as the 2016 School Library of the Year by the Rochester Regional Library Council, to be celebrated at its Annual Meeting on Thursday, June 2, 2016, at Casa Larga, Fairport, New York; and

WHEREAS, Rochester Regional Library Council (RRLC) is a multi-type library network serving libraries and library systems in the five-county Rochester region of Livingston, Monroe, Ontario, Wayne and Wyoming counties; and

WHEREAS, Each year, the RRLC recognizes outstanding libraries which have provided exceptional service to their communities; and

WHEREAS, Under the luminous leadership of Director, Melanie Dyroff, the Canandaigua Middle School Library is an invaluable resource for students, teachers and families in the Canandaigua community and is undoubtedly deserving of this prestigious honor; and

WHEREAS, The success of the Canandaigua Middle School Library is in direct correlation to the efforts of its staff, 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 institution and the community it serves; and

WHEREAS, With an atmosphere of caring, the Canandaigua Middle School Library's exceptional librarians go above and beyond to offer a wide range of services throughout the day including offering numerous workshops and finding current selections for young readers which appeal to a wide variety of interests; and

WHEREAS, In addition, the Canandaigua Middle School Library offers programs like March Madness Great Reads, book clubs, and theme weeks to foster a love of learning while encouraging academic excellence; and

WHEREAS, A true oasis of literature, technology, art, culture, recreation and education, the Canandaigua Middle School Library is an integral part of the heart of its school community, and remains dedicated to fulfilling the diverse needs of students and teachers; and

WHEREAS, It is the sense of this Legislative Body that when an institution of such noble aims and accomplishments is brought to our attention, it should be recognized and applauded by all the citizens of this great Empire State; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That this Legislative Body pause in its deliberations to commend the Canandaigua Middle School Library upon the occasion of its designation as the 2016 School Library of the Year by the Rochester Regional Library Council; and be it further

RESOLVED, That a copy of this Resolution, suitably engrossed, be transmitted to Melanie Dyroff, Director of the Canandaigua Middle School Library.