

Senate Resolution No. 1913

BY: Senator JACOBS

HONORING Matthew Sandy upon the occasion of his designation as recipient of the Youth Engaged in Service Award by the Town of Tonawanda Youth Board

WHEREAS, It is the sense of this Legislative Body to call attention to the dedicated efforts of those individuals from across the State of New York who volunteer their time and energies in service to the community; and

WHEREAS, Attendant to such concern and in full accord with its long-standing traditions, this Legislative Body is justly proud to honor Matthew Sandy upon the occasion of his designation as recipient of the Youth Engaged in Service Award by the Town of Tonawanda Youth Board, to be celebrated at its 40th Annual Awards Dinner on Thursday, May 11, 2017, at the Town of Tonawanda Senior Center in Tonawanda, New York; and

WHEREAS, Matthew Sandy, of Tonawanda, New York, has achieved recognition for exemplary volunteer service by being named one of the Top 5 Youth Engaged in Service by the Town of Tonawanda Youth Board, for his 68.25 hours of service; and

WHEREAS, As a young man of superlative ability, Matthew Sandy has established a high standard of community service, purposefulness of life, and sense of responsibility rarely achieved in youthful years; and

WHEREAS, Matthew Sandy has been called upon to contribute his time and talents to countless civic and charitable endeavors and has always given of himself unstintingly; and

WHEREAS, The success of the State of New York, the strength of our communities, and the vitality of American society depend, in great measure, upon the dedication of young people, like Matthew Sandy, who use their considerable talents and resources to serve others; and

WHEREAS, Rare indeed is the impressive dedication shown by an individual for the benefit of others which Matthew Sandy has displayed throughout his 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 Matthew Sandy upon the occasion of his designation as recipient of the Youth Engaged in Service Award by the Town of Tonawanda Youth Board; and be it further

RESOLVED, That a copy of this Resolution, suitably engrossed, be

transmitted to Matthew Sandy.