

BY: Senator PHILLIPS

CONGRATULATING the Carle Place High School Girls Varsity Field Hockey Team and Coach Carol Nesdill upon the occasion of capturing the Long Island Class C Championship

WHEREAS, Individual and team championships are highly sought after in high school sports; this Legislative Body commends rare athletic achievements and pays special recognition to those who pursue such excellence and become examples for the youth of this great Empire State; and

WHEREAS, Athletic competition helps to enhance both the moral and physical development of young athletes, preparing them for the future by instilling in them the importance of teamwork, encouraging a standard of healthy living, and developing a sense of fair play and competition; and

WHEREAS, This Legislative Body is justly proud to congratulate the Carle Place High School Girls Varsity Field Hockey Team and Coach Carol Nesdill upon the occasion of capturing the Long Island Class C Championship; to the praise and applause of their excited fans, the Frogs defeated Pierson/Bridgehampton in a 1-0 victory to capture the Championship on Saturday, November 5, 2016, at Adelphi University in Garden City, New York; and

WHEREAS, Proudly donning the school's colors of kelly green and white, family, friends, and the community at large loyally and enthusiastically supported the Frogs throughout their journey as they ended their season with an impressive 13-1 overall record; and

WHEREAS, In a sport such as field hockey, which demands athletic prowess, speed and agility, Head Coach Carol Nesdill and her skilled coaching staff worked hard to hone the skills of this championship team, teaching these outstanding athletes lessons which will prove invaluable both on and off the field; and

WHEREAS, Coach Carol Nesdill and all of the outstanding athletes on the Carle Place High School Girls Varsity Field Hockey Team have clearly utilized dedication, determination and teamwork in providing a lasting contribution to the spirit of excellence which is a tradition of their school; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That this Legislative Body pause in its deliberations to congratulate the Carle Place High School Girls Varsity Field Hockey Team; its members: Lauren Nagy, Samantha Reed, Alexandra Docyk, Natalie Laino, Emily Lutz, Brianna McKeough, Giana McKeough, Kaelin O'Brien, Julia Pascarella, Nicole Pascarella, Alexis Ruiz, Abigail Selhorn and Lauren Smith; Head Coach Carol Nesdill; and Assistant Coach Tricia Nesdill on their outstanding season and overall team record; and be it further

RESOLVED, That copies of this Resolution, suitably engrossed, be transmitted to the members of the Carle Place High School Girls Varsity Field Hockey Team, Head Coach Carol Nesdill, and Assistant Coach Tricia Nesdill.