

BY: Senator JACOBS

HONORING K9 Officer Brent Costello and Police Dog Tank, upon the occasion of their designation as recipients of the Officer of the Year Award by the Town of Tonawanda Police Club on February 10, 2017

WHEREAS, It is the sense of this Legislative Body to recognize and honor those distinguished officers and citizens who devote themselves to public service, demonstrating great courage and diligence in providing for the care and welfare of the citizens of their communities and this great Empire State; and

WHEREAS, Within every community of the State of New York, there are certain teams who, by virtue of their commitment and dedication, command the respect and admiration of their community for their exemplary contributions and service on behalf of others; and

WHEREAS, This Legislative Body is justly proud to honor K9 Officer Brent Costello and Police Dog Tank, upon the occasion of their designation as recipients of the Officer of the Year Award by the Town of Tonawanda Police Club celebrated at a dinner held on Friday, February 10, 2017, at the Classics Five Banquet and Conference Center in Amherst, New York; and

WHEREAS, Distinguished members of the Town of Tonawanda Police Club, K9 Officer Brent Costello and his Police Dog Tank have continually demonstrated extreme competence, extraordinary intelligence and diligent leadership in their unwavering service to their community and profession; and

WHEREAS, K9 Officer Brent Costello and Police Dog Tank have faithfully executed their responsibilities, serving with dedication, loyalty and compassion; justly earning the respect and admiration of their superiors and fellow officers while providing their community and its citizenry with the highest standard of service and protection; and

WHEREAS, It is the sense of this Legislative Body that those dedicated public servants who unselfishly devote their lives to the preservation of order and the protection of others are worthy and due full praise for their commitment and noble endeavors; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That this Legislative Body pause in its deliberations to honor K9 Officer Brent Costello and Police Dog Tank upon the occasion of their designation as recipients of the Officer of the Year Award by the Town of Tonawanda Police Club on February 10, 2017; and be it further

RESOLVED, That a copy of this Resolution, suitably engrossed, be transmitted to K9 Officer Brent Costello and Police Dog Tank.