

BY: Senator BRESLIN

HONORING Emma Rucinski upon the occasion of her designation as recipient of the Youth Award by the Bethlehem Chamber of Commerce on April 28, 2022

WHEREAS, It is the sense of this Legislative Body to recognize and pay tribute to those young people within the great Empire State who have made strong contributions to their communities and who serve as role models for their peers; and

WHEREAS, Attendant to such concern, and in full accord with its long-standing traditions, this Legislative Body is justly proud to honor Emma Rucinski upon the occasion of her designation as recipient of the Youth Award by the Bethlehem Chamber of Commerce to be celebrated at its 35th Annual Awards Dinner on Thursday, April 28, 2022, at Altamont Vineyard, Altamont, New York; and

WHEREAS, An eighth-grade student at St. Thomas the Apostle School, Emma Rucinski is being recognized with this auspicious award for her tireless efforts volunteering at the food pantry and with local nursing home residents; and

WHEREAS, Emma Rucinski is an active volunteer at St. Thomas the Apostle School where she regularly assists younger students; and

WHEREAS, Furthermore, with a steadfast and unwavering commitment to her school and community, Emma Rucinski is currently working on her final project which involves researching ways to help animals; as part of this project, she is coordinating a fundraiser to help the Humane Society; and

WHEREAS, Emma Rucinski has distinguished herself as a young lady of superlative ability, establishing a high standard of excellence and purposefulness of life rarely achieved in youthful years; and

WHEREAS, With her sense of civic duty and her commitment to others, Emma Rucinski represents the best development of the potential which is inherent in our most precious resource, our youth; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That this Legislative Body pause in its deliberations to honor Emma Rucinski upon the occasion of her designation as recipient of the Youth Award by the Bethlehem Chamber of Commerce on April 28, 2022; and be it further

RESOLVED, That a copy of this Resolution, suitably engrossed, be transmitted to Emma Rucinski.