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CONGRATULATING the Queensbury High School Vex IQ Robotics team upon the occasion of capturing the New York State Robotics Championship on March 12, 2022

WHEREAS, It is the sense of this Legislative Body to commend and pay tribute to those who, by achieving outstanding success in their educational endeavors and competitions, have inspired and brought pride to our majestic Empire State; and

WHEREAS, It is also the custom of this Legislative Body to recognize the dedication and commitment of our young people who distinguish themselves through excellence in scholastic competition; and

WHEREAS, Attendant to such concern, and in full accord with its long-standing traditions, this Legislative Body is justly proud to congratulate the Queensbury High School Vex Robotics team upon the occasion of capturing the New York State Robotics Championship in Syracuse, New York; and

WHEREAS, On Saturday, March 12, 2022, the Queensbury High School Robotics team competed against the top 51 teams in the State of New York, winning the Excellence Award, had the highest autonomous skills points, placed 2nd overall in skills, and were tournament finalists in the high school division; and

WHEREAS, Queensbury High School will be sending two teams, Cheese and Steam-C, to the World Championships in Dallas, Texas, from May 10-May 12th, 2022; they will be competing against teams from Japan, Canada, Taiwan, South Korea, New Zealand, United Arab Emirates, Columbia, China, Ghana, Morocco, and the United States; and

WHEREAS, Robotics classes teach students various skills such as critical thinking, collaboration, communication, leadership and ownership, all of which have led the Queensbury Robotics Program to a high level of success; and

WHEREAS, Coach Ben Grieco has done a superb job in guiding, molding and inspiring the team members toward their goals; and

WHEREAS, The members of the Queensbury High School Vex Robotics team are loyally and enthusiastically supported by their school, family, friends and the community at large; and

WHEREAS, Poised eagerly with enthusiasm and determined purpose, these students now stand honorably, with just pride in their accomplishments and in eager anticipation of future challenges, understanding and appreciating the caring counsel and support provided by their teachers, coaches and parents; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That this Legislative Body pause in its deliberations to

congratulate the Queensbury High School Vex IQ Robotics team upon the occasion of capturing the New York State Robotics Championship on March 12, 2022; and be it further

RESOLVED, That a copy of this Resolution, suitably engrossed, be transmitted to the members of the Queensbury High School Vex Robotics team, and to Coach Ben Grieco.