

BY: Senator BRESLIN

HONORING Christina Wolfe Snyder upon the occasion of her designation as recipient of the 2018 Excellence in Business Award by the Women's Business Council of the Capital Region Chamber

WHEREAS, From time to time this Legislative Body takes note of certain extraordinary individuals it wishes to recognize for their valued contributions to the success and progress of society and publicly acknowledge their endeavors which have enhanced the basic humanity among us all; and

WHEREAS, This Legislative Body is justly proud to honor Christina Wolfe Snyder upon the occasion of her designation as recipient of the 2018 Excellence in Business Award by the Women's Business Council of the Capital Region Chamber to be celebrated at its 27th Annual Women of Excellence Luncheon on Thursday, May 31, 2018, at the Albany Marriott Hotel, Albany, New York; and

WHEREAS, The Women's Business Council (WBC) diligently works to promote the full participation and leadership of women at all levels in the workplace, the community and government; it also develops programs which provide opportunities for women to learn and network as well as share their expertise with each other and to address the unique issues of women in business; and

WHEREAS, The Women of Excellence Award acknowledges women in six categories: Distinguished Career, Emerging Professional, Excellence in Business, Excellence in Business Development, Excellence in Management, and Excellence in the Professions; and

WHEREAS, Christina Wolfe Snyder has exhibited the true spirit of this auspicious award through her impressive professional success and her tireless dedication to both her community and her family; this remarkable woman is helping to shape the future of the residents of the Capital Region and throughout the State of New York; and

WHEREAS, Christina Wolfe Snyder is the owner/operator of Wolfe's Cleaning Services and Director of Operations and Events for The Falls Apartments in Hudson, New York; and

WHEREAS, At the young age of 17, Christina Wolfe Snyder was homeless and a new mother; during this difficult time, she underwent treatment for cancer, all while cleaning houses for \$5; and

WHEREAS, Eventually, with the help of social services, Christina Wolfe Snyder moved into her own apartment, got married and had a son; and

WHEREAS, Even though Christina Wolfe Snyder is still fighting cancer and has endured 17 surgeries, her will to succeed and thrive has always

remained strong; today, her cleaning company, Wolfe's Cleaning Services, has grown into a prosperous business; and

WHEREAS, Well-known throughout her community for her positive attitude and strong work ethic, Christina Wolfe Snyder won a contract to clean the 115 units of The Falls Apartments; one year later, she was hired as the Director of Operations and Events for the apartment complex; and

WHEREAS, It is the sense of this Legislative Body that those who enhance the quality of life in their community and have shown a long and sustained commitment to the maintenance of high standards in their profession, certainly have earned the recognition and applause of all the citizens of this great Empire State; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That this Legislative Body pause in its deliberations to honor Christina Wolfe Snyder upon the occasion of her designation as recipient of the 2018 Excellence in Business Award by the Women's Business Council of the Capital Region Chamber; and be it further

RESOLVED, That a copy of this Resolution, suitably engrossed, be transmitted to Christina Wolfe Snyder.