Senate Resolution No. 960

BY: Senator ROLISON

HONORING Trooper Francis W. Rush IV upon the occasion of his designation as recipient of the Brummer Award by the New York State Police on May 17, 2023

WHEREAS, It is incumbent upon the people of the State of New York to recognize and acknowledge those within our midst who have made significant contributions to the quality of life therein; and

WHEREAS, This Legislative Body is justly proud to honor Trooper Francis W. Rush IV upon the occasion of his designation as recipient of the Brummer Award by the New York State Police to be celebrated at its 47th Annual Superintendent's Commendation and Awards Day Ceremony on Wednesday, May 17, 2023, at the State Police Academy in Albany, New York; and

WHEREAS, This prestigious award was established to honor outstanding individuals, dedicated to their service to law enforcement, whose valiant efforts protect the people of New York State; and

WHEREAS, Trooper Francis W. Rush IV acted bravely in the line of duty to save the life of a young driver in a submerged vehicle in August of 2022; his decisive and life-saving actions exemplify the finest traditions of New York State Police; and

WHEREAS, Rare indeed is the impressive dedication shown by an individual for the benefit of others which Trooper Francis W. Rush IV has displayed throughout his life; and

WHEREAS, It is the sense of this Legislative Body that those who enhance the well-being and vitality of their community and have shown a long and sustained commitment to excellence 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 Trooper Francis W. Rush IV upon the occasion of his designation as recipient of the Brummer Award by the New York State Police on May 17, 2023; and be it further

RESOLVED, That a copy of this Resolution, suitably engrossed, be transmitted to Trooper Francis W. Rush IV.