Assembly Resolution No. 13

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HONORING the New York Wine and Grape Foundation's Gold Medalists on July 12, 2022

WHEREAS, It is the sense of this Legislative Body to recognize the achievements of those individuals and businesses that contribute substantially to the economic vitality of their communities, thereby enhancing the economic well-being of the entire Empire State; and

WHEREAS, Attendant to such concern, and in full accord with its long-standing traditions, this Legislative Body is justly proud to honor the New York Wine and Grape Foundation's Gold Medalists at its 36th Annual New York Wine Classic on Tuesday, July 12, 2022; and

WHEREAS, The 36th Annual New York Wine Classic is a nationally recognized competition highlighting the best of New York's wine; and

WHEREAS, Seeing an unprecedented growth over the past few years and allowing wine enthusiasts to enjoy this unique part of the New York experience across the state, these extraordinary vineyards have truly show-cased why New York State is a premier wine destination; and

WHEREAS, This year's distinguished Gold Medalists include: McCall Wines, Clovis Point Vineyard and Winery, Coffee Pot Cellars, Duck Walk Vineyards, Harbes Vineyard, Paumanok Vineyards, Jamesport Vineyards, Jason's Vineyard, Lieb Cellars, Pellegrini Vineyards, Suhru Wines, Osprey's Dominion, Pindar Vineyards, Sannino Vineyard, Sparkling Pointe Vineyards and Winery, Palmer Vineyards, and Wolffer Estate Vineyard; and

WHEREAS, Over their distinguished histories, these esteemed vineyards have demonstrated continuous service to the residents and communities which they serve; and

WHEREAS, The success of these vineyards is in direct correlation to the efforts of their dedicated owners and staff, whose involvement is, and always has been, characterized by an impressive commitment, an unbridled enthusiasm, and an uncompromising standard of excellence in all endeavors on behalf of the businesses and the communities they serve; and

WHEREAS, It is with great pleasure that this Legislative Body acknowledges these exceptional businesses, their contributions to the local and state economies, and their vibrant role in improving the quality of life in their communities, fully confident they will continue to enjoy the same sparkling successes they have experienced thus far; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That this Legislative Body pause in its deliberations to honor the New York Wine and Grape Foundation's Gold Medalists on July 12, 2022; and be it further

RESOLVED, That copies of this Resolution, suitably engrossed, be transmitted to the aforementioned Gold Medalist Vineyards.