Senate Resolution No. 1761

BY: Senator RHOADS

CONGRATULATING the Farmingdale High School Varsity Cheer Team upon the occasion of winning the New York State Class A Championship

WHEREAS, Individual and team championships are highly sought after in high school sports; this Legislative Body commends rare athletic achievements and pays special recognition to those who pursue such excellence and become examples for the youth of this great Empire State; and

WHEREAS, Athletic competition helps to enhance both the moral and physical development of young athletes, preparing them for the future by instilling in them the importance of teamwork, encouraging a standard of healthy living, and developing a sense of fair play and competition; and

WHEREAS, This Legislative Body is justly proud to congratulate the Farmingdale High School Varsity Cheer Team upon the occasion of winning the New York State Class A Championship on Saturday, March 7, 2026, in Binghamton, New York; and

WHEREAS, Proudly donning their school's colors, family, friends, and the community at large loyally and enthusiastically supported the Dalers throughout their journey as they ended their season with an impressive overall record; and

WHEREAS, The Farmingdale High School Varsity Cheer Team placed third three years ago and second for the last two seasons, proving this championship win was well deserved; the hard work and dedication that this team demonstrated throughout this season has earned them this prestigious title; and

WHEREAS, In a sport such as cheer, which demands athletic prowess, speed and agility, Coaches Caitlin Beatrice and Amanda Licata and their skilled staff worked hard to hone the skills of this championship team, teaching these outstanding athletes lessons which will prove invaluable both on and off the mat; and

WHEREAS, Coaches Caitlin Beatrice and Amanda Licata and all of the outstanding athletes on the Farmingdale High School Varsity Cheer Team have clearly utilized dedication, determination and teamwork in providing a lasting contribution to the spirit of excellence which is a tradition of their school; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That this Legislative Body pause in its deliberations to congratulate the members of the Farmingdale High School Varsity Cheer Team: Lyla Atlas, Carly Biscardi, Paige Bresnahan, Julia Burzynski, Erin Finkel, Sadie Gillen, Reese Gillen, Olivia Giordano, Isabella Jimenez, Ava Kropp, Jasmin Lawrence, Jaslene Martinez, Dakota Mauro, Kaylee Mendelson, Juliana Shelley, Sara Verdi, Samantha White, and Nancy Wolf; and Coaches Caitlin Beatrice and Amanda Licata on their outstanding

season and overall team record; and be it further

RESOLVED, That copies of this Resolution, suitably engrossed, be transmitted to the members of the Farmingdale High School Varsity Cheer Team and Coaches Caitlin Beatrice and Amanda Licata.