

Senate Resolution No. 1952

BY: Senator RHOADS

HONORING Agampreet Baidwan upon the occasion of his designation as recipient of the New York State Citizenship Award

WHEREAS, It is the sense of this Legislative Body to honor the young adults of today, and leaders of tomorrow, whose character and achievements best exemplify the ideals and values cherished by this great State and Nation; and

WHEREAS, Attendant to such concern, and in full accord with its long-standing traditions, this Legislative Body is justly proud to honor Agampreet Baidwan upon the occasion of his designation as recipient of the New York State Citizenship Award; he will be recognized at a Senior Awards Night event on Tuesday, June 2, 2026; and

WHEREAS, The New York State Citizenship Award is bestowed upon students who embody the highest principles of civic responsibility, integrity, and dedication to the common good, serving as role models who strengthen the fabric of their communities through their actions and example; and

WHEREAS, True citizenship is demonstrated not only through academic success, but through a steadfast commitment to service, ethical leadership, and an unwavering sense of responsibility toward others; and

WHEREAS, Agampreet Baidwan has exemplified these ideals through his consistent demonstration of respect, accountability, and compassion, reflecting the core values of engaged and responsible citizenship; and

WHEREAS, As a student who understands the importance of civic engagement, Agampreet Baidwan has contributed meaningfully to his school and broader community, embracing opportunities to lead, collaborate, and uplift those around him; and

WHEREAS, Agampreet Baidwan, a senior at Division Avenue High School in Levittown, New York, has proven himself to be an intelligent, compassionate, and driven student leader; and

WHEREAS, Agampreet Baidwan is actively involved in a variety of extracurricular pursuits, including Science Olympiad and the Robotics Club and Competition Team, showcasing his honed problem-solving skills and teamwork abilities; and

WHEREAS, Through these activities, Agampreet Baidwan has demonstrated not only technical aptitude, but also the cooperative spirit and shared responsibility that are hallmarks of exemplary citizenship; and

WHEREAS, A shining example for his peers and our youth, Agampreet Baidwan participates in the Junior Chamber of Commerce and Mathletes; he

also works at STEM Camp, sharing his knowledge and passion for science and engineering with younger students; and

WHEREAS, By mentoring younger students and contributing to educational enrichment, Agampreet Baidwan has embodied the principle that citizenship includes a duty to inspire and support the next generation; and

WHEREAS, Academically, Agampreet Baidwan has consistently pursued the most rigorous courses available at Division Avenue High School, including Advanced Placement (AP) and dual-enrollment courses, and currently maintains an impressive weighted GPA of 102.0998; his intellectual curiosity, combined with his collaborative spirit, makes him a valued peer in the classroom; and

WHEREAS, Agampreet Baidwan has earned the prestigious designation of "AP Scholar with Distinction" and successfully completed the AP Capstone Diploma, showcasing his prowess and dedication to academic excellence; and

WHEREAS, Agampreet Baidwan is a member of several honor societies, including the National Honor Society, World Language Honor Society, and Business Honor Society; his involvement in these organizations reflects not only his academic achievements and the respect he has earned from faculty, but also his ongoing commitment to service, leadership, and civic-minded values; and

WHEREAS, The essence of citizenship lies in the willingness to act with integrity, to serve selflessly, and to contribute positively to society, qualities which Agampreet Baidwan has demonstrated through both word and deed; and

WHEREAS, Rare indeed is the selfless dedication shown by individuals for the benefit of others which Agampreet Baidwan has displayed throughout his life; and

WHEREAS, As Agampreet Baidwan looks forward to his next chapter, he is sure to continue fostering his leadership skills, advancing his academic achievements, and making a meaningful difference in his community; and

WHEREAS, His example affirms that responsible citizenship is a lifelong endeavor, one that extends beyond the classroom and into every aspect of personal and professional life; and

WHEREAS, Poised with a great sense of enthusiasm and purpose, this scholar now stands honorably, with just pride in his accomplishments and in eager anticipation of future challenges, understanding and appreciating the caring counsel and support provided by his teachers, mentors, and parents; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That this Legislative Body pause in its deliberations to honor Agampreet Baidwan upon the occasion of his designation as recipient of the New York State Citizenship Award; and be it further

RESOLVED, That a copy of this Resolution, suitably engrossed, be transmitted to Agampreet Baidwan.