Assembly Resolution No. 1078

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CONGRATULATING Cayden Bowman upon the occasion of winning the NYSPHSAA Division I Bowling Championship

WHEREAS, It is the custom of this Legislative Body to recognize and commend those young individuals within the State of New York who distinguish themselves through outstanding achievement in athletic competition, thereby bringing honor to themselves, their schools, and their communities; and

WHEREAS, Attendant to such concern, and in full accord with its long-standing traditions, this Legislative Body is justly proud to congratulate Cayden Bowman, a sophomore at Horseheads High School, upon the occasion of capturing the New York State Public High School Athletic Association Division I Bowling Championship on Saturday, March 14, 2026, at AMF Syracuse Lanes; and

WHEREAS, Demonstrating exceptional skill, focus, and determination, Cayden Bowman delivered a remarkable performance in the individual competition, compiling an impressive six-game total of 1,438 pins, with game scores of 234, 248, 255, 224, 243, and 234, resulting in an outstanding average of 239.67; and

WHEREAS, Throughout the championship event, Cayden Bowman exhibited extraordinary consistency and competitive excellence, never recording a game below 224, and achieving a commanding margin of victory of 72 pins over the nearest competitor; and

WHEREAS, His performance was distinguished not only by its dominance but also by its balance, as he recorded two separate three-game series exceeding 700 pins, underscoring both endurance and sustained precision under pressure; and

WHEREAS, Cayden Bowman's achievement represents a significant milestone, as he becomes the first student-athlete in his school's history to earn a state championship title in bowling, marking a proud and historic moment for his community; and

WHEREAS, Such an outstanding accomplishment is the culmination of countless hours of dedication, disciplined training, and a steadfast commitment to excellence, qualities which are worthy of the highest praise; and

WHEREAS, Cayden Bowman has clearly demonstrated that athletic success is achieved through perseverance, preparation, and an unwavering pursuit of one's goals, serving as an inspiring example to his peers and future generations; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That this Legislative Body pause in its deliberations to congratulate Cayden Bowman upon the occasion of winning the NYSPHSAA Division I Bowling Championship; and be it further

RESOLVED, That a copy of this Resolution, suitably engrossed, be transmitted to Cayden Bowman.