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# STATE OF NEW YORK

## LEGISLATURE OF ERIE COUNTY

BUFFALO, N.Y., SEPTEMBER 4TH, 2014 A.D.

**I HEREBY CERTIFY**, *That at a regular session of the Legislature of Erie County, held in the County Hall, in the City of Buffalo, on the 4<sup>th</sup> day of September, 2014 A.D., a resolution was adopted, of which the following is a true copy:*

*WHEREAS, Lillian M. Cultrara is a resident of Grand Island and the daughter of Michael and Patricia Cultrara; and*

*WHEREAS, Lillian M. Cultrara is a member of Girl Scout Service Unit #302 and has been a Girl Scout for eleven years; and*

*WHEREAS, Lillian M. Cultrara, on June 7<sup>th</sup>, 2014, was awarded the Girl Scout Gold Award, the highest and most prestigious national honor bestowed on any one member, representing excellence and leadership within scouting as well as personal growth of the scout, for completing a project entitled "Hippotherapy: Horses as Healers" which involved educating individuals on the benefit of hippotherapy and special needs children, using occupational, physical and speech therapies, along with the movements of the horse while the child is upon horseback, and made an education DVD to share with interested parties along with posting video on You Tube; and*

*WHEREAS, Lillian M. Cultrara continues to volunteer at Creative Partners in Therapy as a sidewalker and helping to exercise the horses used for Hippotherapy, and has discovered a love for working with special needs children through completing this project.*

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT**

**RESOLVED**, *the Erie County Legislature pauses in its deliberations to recognize and acknowledge Lillian M. Cultrara upon being award the Girl Scout Gold Award, and for her dedication to the community and to the County of Erie.*

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*Kevin R. Hardwick.  
Erie County Legislator – 4<sup>th</sup> District*

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*Scott W. Kroll  
Clerk of the Legislature of Erie County*