

STATE OF NEW YORK

LEGISLATURE OF ERIE COUNTY

BUFFALO, N.Y., JANUARY 21, 2016, 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 21st day of January, 2016 A.D., a resolution was adopted, of which the following is a true copy:*

WHEREAS, *The Erie County School Choice Week is being commemorated in January on the 24th through the 30th as a part of the National School Choice Week 2016, a nonpolitical, nonpartisan public awareness campaign that features 15,000 independently-planned events across all 50 states; and*

WHEREAS, *The Erie County Choice Week is celebrated by students, parents, educators, schools, and organizations throughout the county; and*

WHEREAS, *The Erie County School Choice Week brings educational awareness to families in Erie County through events held by schools, organizations, and individuals whereby educational diversity for children is recognized; and*

WHEREAS, *The Erie County School Choice Week celebrates the county's high-quality teaching professionals and multitude of traditional public schools, public magnet schools, public charter schools, and nonpublic schools from which parents can choose for their children, and*

WHEREAS, *The Erie County Choice Week aids in ensuring that the quality of education is maintained so that the economic vitality of Erie County can be upheld; and*

WHEREAS, *The Erie County School Choice Week is acknowledged as an important initiative that helps to ensure the future success of all students; and*

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT

RESOLVED, *that this honorable body hereby recognizes January 24-30, 2016, as School Choice Week in Erie County, and call this observance to the attention of all our residents.*