

MAYOR'S PROCLAMATION

IN HONOR OF CHRISTOPHER D'URSO

WHEREAS, Christopher D'Urso, was provided a strong educational foundation as a highly engaged student in Grades K through 12 through the Colts Neck public school system; and

WHEREAS, Christopher D'Urso continued his educational excellence and engagement at the prestigious University of Pennsylvania, where he is in his senior year pursuing a bachelor's degree in international relations with a minor in Hispanic studies as well as a master of public administration with a certificate in politics from the prestigious Fels Institute of Government; and

WHEREAS, Christopher D'Urso founded Penn Consumer Assistance Support and Education (Penn CASE), which has provided consumer advocacy to more than 1,500 individuals locally since its inception in 2015; and

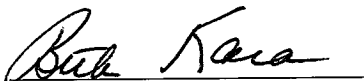
WHEREAS, Christopher D'Urso is the co-chair of the University honor Council, the editor-in-chief of the Sigma Iota Rho Journal of International Relations, and a member of the President and Provost's Task Force on a Safe and Responsible Campus Community; and

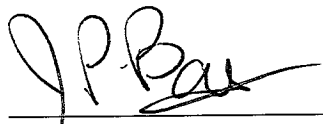
WHEREAS, Christopher D'Urso has been selected as one of 32 American Rhodes Scholars from more than 2,500 American students nationwide seeking one of the most highly competitive and most prestigious academic honors, for his community engagement, human rights and social justice.

WHEREAS, Christopher D'Urso will continue his work at Oxford with a master's in criminology and criminal justice, as well as global governance and diplomacy.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, J.P. Bartolomeo, Mayor, on behalf of the entire Township Committee of the Township of Colts Neck, hereby honor and commend Christopher D'Urso for his dedication, commitment, educational excellence and most recently, his recognition as a Rhodes Scholar; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED AND PROCLAIMED that February 14, 2018 be and is officially recognized as Christopher D'Urso Day within the Township of Colts Neck.


Beth Kara
Municipal Clerk


J.P. Bartolomeo
Mayor

February 12, 2018