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By Senator Clary

7-1779-99 1 Senate Resolution No. \_\_\_\_ 2 A resolution honoring Rachel Avery for her selection as a Distinguished Finalist in the 3 4 Prudential Spirit of Community Awards program. 5 6 WHEREAS, the Prudential Spirit of Community Awards is a 7 nationwide program that honors young people for outstanding 8 acts of volunteerism, and 9 WHEREAS, this year, 10 Distinguished Finalists were selected from each state, out of almost 20,000 middle and high 10 school students who were considered for the awards, and 11 12 WHEREAS, Rachel Avery, of Warrington, a member of the Northwest Girl Scout Council in Pensacola, was selected as one 13 of the 10 Distinguished Finalists in this state as a result of 14 her efforts in starting a peer counseling group for students 15 with attention deficit disorder, and 16 17 WHEREAS, Rachel Avery and other young people like her are critical to the future of our communities, state, and 18 19 nation, and 20 WHEREAS, Rachel Avery serves as an example that will hopefully encourage other young people and all Americans to 21 22 become involved in volunteering, and 23 WHEREAS, Rachel Avery has brought national honor and 24 recognition to the State of Florida through her unselfish 25 efforts in helping others, NOW, THEREFORE, 26 27 Be It Resolved by the Senate of the State of Florida: 28 29 That Rachel Avery is commended for bringing honor and 30 recognition to the Northwest Girl Scout Council, her school, 31 her community, and her state by her selection as a 1 CODING: Words stricken are deletions; words underlined are additions.

Distinguished Finalist in the Prudential Spirit of Community Awards program. BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that a copy of this resolution, with the Seal of the Senate affixed, be presented to Rachel Avery as a tangible token of the sentiments of the Florida б Senate. 

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