

CITY OF NEW BEDFORD

IN CITY COUNCIL

January 17, 2019

RESOLUTION HONORING VICTORIA KALISZ MISS NEW BEDFORD OUTSTANDING TEEN – 2018

WHEREAS, Victoria Kalisz is a resident of Acushnet, Massachusetts, and is the daughter of Michael and Marlene Kalisz; and

WHEREAS, Victoria Kalisz, is currently in her Junior year at Fairhaven High School and is a member of the National Honor Society; and

WHEREAS, Victoria Kalisz is an active member of Fairhaven High School Drama Club; and

WHEREAS, Victoria Kalisz' goal is to obtain an advanced degree in the medical sciences and become a Pediatric Physical Therapist or Radiologist; and

WHEREAS, Victoria Kalisz is the 8th young woman to hold the title of Miss New Bedford Outstanding Teen; and

WHEREAS, Victoria Kalisz, an accomplished dancer and vocalist was the 3rd Runner-up to Miss Massachusetts Outstanding Teen Pageant; and

WHEREAS, During her year as Miss New Bedford Outstanding Teen, Victoria Kalisz has made over 220 appearances; and

WHEREAS, Victoria Kalisz has served as a role model for young girls in the region choosing as her platform "Rise Up: You are Stronger than You Think"; and

WHEREAS, Victoria Kalisz, Miss New Bedford Outstanding Teen is a member of Voices in Time, a community service vocal performance group; and

WHEREAS, Victoria Kalisz volunteers weekly at the Boys and Girls Club of Greater New Bedford's Art Program (this has become her passion/mission) and also volunteered for the Miss Inspirational Program; and

WHEREAS, Victoria Kalisz, Miss New Bedford Outstanding Teen 2018, created the first Tori Kalisz Courage Award:

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, That the New Bedford City Council hereby honors **VICTORIA KALISZ, MISS NEW BEDFORD OUTSTANDING TEEN – 2018**, congratulates her on her many accomplishments and wishes her much luck and success in the future.