

**SENSE OF THE BOARD RESOLUTION  
CONGRATULATING KAITLYN TARPEY ON  
WINNING THE MISS CONNECTICUT PAGEANT**

**WHEREAS**, Kaitlyn Tarpey won the Miss Connecticut pageant on June 22, 2013;  
and

**WHEREAS**, Kaitlyn Tarpey was born in France and moved to Stamford at the age of six and attended KT Murphy Elementary, St. Cecilia and Turn of River Middle Schools before going to a private boarding school in Windsor, CT; and

**WHEREAS**, Kaitlyn Tarpey will go on to compete for the title of Miss America in the nationwide competition in Atlantic City on September 15, 2013; and

**WHEREAS**, Kaitlyn Tarpey has won the Miss Rocky Hill, Miss Simsbury and Miss Southington pageants over the last few years and previously placed first runner up in the Miss Connecticut Pageant; and

**WHEREAS**, Kaitlyn Tarpey is a senior at the Honors College at PACE University where she is studying professional studies communication; and

**WHEREAS**, Kaitlyn Tarpey is also a life-long Irish step-dancer, which she will demonstrate in the talent portion of the upcoming Miss America pageant.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED**, that the 28th Board of Representatives congratulates Kaitlyn Tarpey on winning the Miss Connecticut Pageant; and

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED**, that the 28<sup>th</sup> Board of Representatives wishes Kaitlyn Tarpey much luck in the upcoming Miss America pageant.

*Approved by the 28<sup>th</sup> Board of Representatives this 3<sup>rd</sup> day of September, 2013*

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Randall M. Skigen, President

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Annie M. Summerville, Clerk