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Introduction  
Referred to Rules and Administration

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1.1 A Senate resolution

1.2 honoring Baylie Chappuis on being named Minnesota's 2023 Youth of the Year by the

1.3 Boys and Girls Club.

1.4 **WHEREAS**, the Youth of the Year is the Boys and Girls Club of America's premier youth

1.5 recognition program. Youth of the Year candidates are judged based on the candidates' written

1.6 essays, panel interviews, and public speaking. Those who achieve this honor embody values of

1.7 leadership service, academic excellence, and healthy lifestyles; and

1.8 **WHEREAS**, Baylie Chappuis, a junior at Rochester Century High School, has been a

1.9 Rochester Boys and Girls Club member for six years and employs the strengths and strategies she

1.10 has learned at the Club to face adversity with confidence; and

1.11 **WHEREAS**, Baylie's dedication to her academic success has encouraged younger Club

1.12 members to find passion and purpose in their school work as well; and

1.13 **WHEREAS**, based on her outstanding accomplishments, Baylie was named the winner at

1.14 the Boys and Girls Clubs Minnesota Alliance Event on March 15, 2023, and will represent Minnesota

1.15 at the Midwest Regional Youth of the Year competition in June; and

1.16 **WHEREAS**, Baylie begins a one-year term as the spokesperson for all Boys and Girls Club

1.17 members by taking part in community events and activities. In addition to competing at the regional

1.18 level, Baylie and other state Youth of the Year recipients receive a college scholarship of \$20,000;

1.19 and

1.20 **WHEREAS**, Baylie plans to attend the University of Minnesota Rochester to become a

1.21 pediatric nurse after graduation; and

1.22 **NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** by the Senate of the State of Minnesota that it

1.23 congratulates Baylie Chappuis on being named Minnesota's 2023 Youth of the Year by the Boys

2.1 and Girls Club and extends best wishes to her in the regional competition and in her academic  
 2.2 pursuits at the University of Minnesota Rochester.

2.3 **BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED** that the Secretary of the Senate is directed to prepare an  
 2.4 enrolled copy of this resolution, to be authenticated by the Secretary's signature and that of the  
 2.5 Chair of the Senate Rules and Administration Committee, and transmit it to Baylie Chappuis.

Tom Bottern  
 Secretary of the Senate

Kari Dziedzic  
 Chair, Senate Committee on  
 Rules and Administration

Carla J. Nelson  
 State Senator, District 24