

CERTIFICATE OF RECOGNITION

Ms. Anika Akkiraju

In recognition of your exceptional dedication to advancing education and opportunity for marginalized communities. As a high school senior committed to supporting teens and preteens in homeless shelters, you have worked tirelessly to address barriers to learning and uplift vulnerable populations. Your passion for exploring the intersection of education, mental health, substance abuse, homelessness, and emerging technologies reflects vision and compassion beyond your years. I commend you for your inspiring leadership, service, and commitment to building more resilient and thriving communities.

Senator Dave Cortese***October 9, 2025***