

*In Recognition
To
Estero High School*

The Village Council of the Village of Estero proudly recognizes.

Philip Waleczak - Class of 2027

Philip Waleczak is a standout scholar at Estero High School, ranking in the top 1% of his class with a 4.0 unweighted GPA and 5.24 weighted GPA. His accomplishments include a 35 ACT score, Cambridge AICE Diploma with Merit, National Merit Semifinalist recognition, and full-time dual enrollment at Florida Gulf Coast University.

A passionate future engineer, Philip has demonstrated exceptional leadership and innovation. He serves as President of the Technology Student Association, placing second in Florida and advancing to Nationals, and founded Estero High School's Coding Club, where he teaches Python to fellow students. He has also served as DECA Secretary, qualified for state competition, and earned certifications in SolidWorks and Small Business Management.

At FGCU, Philip is a member of the Deep Tech Club, helping design and build a rocket with a goal of reaching 5,000 feet. He also balances his academic achievements with a job at Culver's and his passion for astronomy and astrophotography.

The Village Council congratulates Philip on his outstanding accomplishments, leadership, and dedication, and wishes him continued success as he pursues his future in engineering. The Village Council of the Village of Estero proudly recognizes and congratulates Philip Waleczak for his remarkable achievements and wishes him continued success in his academic and professional endeavors.

Presented on this 23rd day of September 2026.



Joanne Ribble, Mayor



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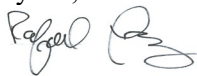
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