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At the hour of 11:37 o'clock a.m., the House convened perfunctory session.

HOUSE RESOLUTIONS

The following resolutions were offered and placed in the Committee on Rules.

HOUSE RESOLUTION 470

Offered by Representative Welch:

WHEREAS, The House of Assembly of South Australia and the House of Representatives of the State of Illinois are each duly elected legislative bodies entrusted with representing the voices, values, and aspirations of the people in their respective jurisdictions; and

WHEREAS, Both Houses operate within vibrant democratic systems where the rule of law, open debate, and representative government ensure that power derives from the consent of the governed; and

WHEREAS, The legislative process, through which elected representatives deliberate, decide, and enact laws and budgets, embodies the democratic ideal that governments exist to serve the common good; and

WHEREAS, In an era when democratic norms are under threat in many parts of the world, it is more vital than ever that democratic institutions stand together in solidarity, affirming the dignity and rights of all peoples to choose their own leaders and shape their collective future; and

WHEREAS, Billions of people around the globe still live under regimes that do not afford them the right to vote or to elect legislative representatives, and they thus lack the ability to peacefully and lawfully influence the decisions that affect their lives; and

WHEREAS, The House of Assembly of South Australia and the House of Representatives of the State of Illinois believe in the enduring promise of democracy and the universal right of all peoples to be represented through accountable, transparent legislative institutions; and

WHEREAS, The establishment of a formal friendship between our two Houses will promote mutual understanding, legislative exchange, shared learning, and cultural ties that can help strengthen our democracies and inspire others around the world to build their own; and

WHEREAS, This relationship between our two Houses not only affirms our shared democratic values but also opens the door to deeper collaboration across a range of policy areas, including, but not limited to, economic development, trade, tourism, renewable energy, public health, education, Indigenous engagement, and cultural exchange; and

WHEREAS, Through sustained dialogue, reciprocal visits, and mutual learning, we envision new partnerships in fields such as agriculture, technology, climate resilience, youth leadership, emergency preparedness, and arts and culture, proving that legislative cooperation can be a springboard for broader innovation and international goodwill; therefore, be it

RESOLVED, BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE HUNDRED FOURTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we recognize and celebrate the establishment of a legislative friendship with the House of Assembly of South Australia; and be it further

RESOLVED, That we commit to ongoing collaboration, mutual support, and shared advocacy for the cause of representative government as a fundamental human right; and be it further

RESOLVED, That we express our hope that this relationship serves as a model for other legislative bodies around the world to form bonds rooted in democracy, peace, and mutual respect; and be it further

RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be presented to the Speaker of the House of Assembly of South Australia as a symbol of our shared commitment to democracy and enduring partnership.

The House met pursuant to adjournment.

Representative Buckner in the chair.

Prayer by Representative Dave Severin.

Representative Delgado led the House in the Pledge of Allegiance.

By direction of the Speaker, a roll call was taken to ascertain the attendance of Members, as follows:

113 present. (ROLL CALL 1)

By unanimous consent, Representatives Davis, Jed, Grant, Hauter, La Ha and Moylan were excused from attendance.

REPORTS

The Clerk of the House acknowledges receipt of the following correspondence:

Unfounded and Indicated Review Report 6-1-25, submitted by the DCFS on June 1, 2025

2024 Annual Report, submitted by the Chicago Gary RAA on June 3, 2025

LIG Compliance Report FY24, submitted by the Office of the Auditor General on June 3, 2025

Monthly Briefing - May 2025, submitted by the Commission on Government Forecasting and Accountability on June 3, 2025

WIU Compliance Report FY24, submitted by the Office of the Auditor General on June 3, 2025

2025 State Services Assurance Act Annual Report, submitted by the IDNR on June 4, 2025

Report of Loss of Protected Personal Information 6-4-25, submitted by the DCFS on June 4, 2025

ROE 26 Financial Audit FY24, submitted by the Office of the Auditor General on June 4, 2025

ROE21 Financial Audit FY24, submitted by the Office of the Auditor General on June 4, 2025

2025 Annual Report on Cable and Video Service, submitted by the Illinois Commerce Commission on June 5, 2025

2024 Body-Worn Camera Report, submitted by the Prairie Grove Police Department on June 6, 2025

2025 OSLAD Memo, submitted by the IDNR on June 6, 2025

Annual Report on Cable and Video Service - June 2025, submitted by the Illinois Commerce Commission on June 6, 2025

2025 Body Worn Camera Report, submitted by the Teutopolis Police Department on June 10, 2025

FY24 Illinois Child Care Program Report, submitted by the IDHS on June 10, 2025

May 2025 Monthly Report, submitted by the FOID Card Review Board on June 10, 2025

2021 Annual Child Death Report, submitted by the DCFS on June 11, 2025

2025 State Services Assurance Act Annual Report, submitted by the IDNR on June 11, 2025

Annual Report - 6.11.25, submitted by the IDOT on June 11, 2025

Monthly Finance Report April 2025, submitted by the Illinois Lottery on June 11, 2025

FOID Card and Concealed Carry License Programs Performance Audit Follow-Up Report 6-12-25, submitted by the Office of the Auditor General on June 12, 2025

Illinois State Police's Administration of the FOID Card Act Performance Audit Follow-Up Report, submitted by the Office of the Auditor General on June 12, 2025

Illinois State Police's Division of Forensic Services Performance Audit Follow-Up Report 6-12-25, submitted by the Office of the Auditor General on June 12, 2025

ISP 911 FY24 Report, submitted by the Office of the Auditor General on June 12, 2025

ISP Compliance Report FY24, submitted by the Office of the Auditor General on June 12, 2025

ISP State Asset Forfeiture Fund Report FY24, submitted by the Office of the Auditor General on June 12, 2025

TA-2 Report Form 7.16.25, submitted by the Illinois Lottery on June 12, 2025

2023-2024 English Learner Statistical Report, submitted by the ISBE on June 16, 2025

2024 Annual Statistical Report, submitted by the IDNR on June 16, 2025

Blind Vendors Act Property and Survey Report 2025, submitted by the IDHS on June 16, 2025

Technical Assistance for Mental Health Resources in Schools Report, submitted by the IDHS on June 16, 2025

DJJ Compliance Report FY24, submitted by the Office of the Auditor General on June 17, 2025

IOC GARS Census Pension Report FY24, submitted by the Office of the Auditor General on June 17, 2025

IOC GARS OPEB Report FY23, submitted by the Office of the Auditor General on June 17, 2025

ISC JRS Census Data Report FY24, submitted by the Office of the Auditor General on June 17, 2025

ISC JRS Census OPEB FY23, submitted by the Office of the Auditor General on June 17, 2025

SERS Census OPEB Report FY23, submitted by the Office of the Auditor General on June 17, 2025

SERS Census Pension Report FY24, submitted by the Office of the Auditor General on June 17, 2025

Mid-Year Report 2025, submitted by the Illinois Council on Women and Girls on June 23, 2025

Quarterly Report April 2025, submitted by the Illinois Department of Corrections on June 23, 2025

2024 Business Development Relocation Survey, submitted by the DCEO on June 24, 2025

2024 BWC Report, submitted by the Hickory Hills Police Department on June 24, 2025

2024-2025 BWC Report, submitted by the DuPage County Sheriff's Office on June 24, 2025

2024-2025 In-Car Camera Report, submitted by the DuPage County Sheriff's Office on June 24, 2025

Camera Grant Letter 6-24-2025, submitted by the Glen Carbon Police Department on June 24, 2025

Death or Serious Life-Threatening Injury of a Child Report Q3 FY25, submitted by the DCFS on June 24, 2025

SURS Special Funding Situation Allocation Report FY24, submitted by the Office of the Auditor General on June 24, 2025

2025 Child Sexual Abuse Prevention Report, submitted by the DCFS on June 25, 2025

Quarterly Report - July 2025, submitted by the Department of Juvenile Justice on June 25, 2025

2024 Annual Report, submitted by the Illinois Gaming Board on June 26, 2025

Alternative Delivery Program Progress Report, submitted by the Illinois Tollway on June 26, 2025

SBI Annual Report FY24, submitted by the Illinois State Comptroller on June 26, 2025

YFSI June 2025 Report, submitted by the Illinois State Fire Marshal on June 26, 2025

2025 Firearm Prohibitors and Record Improvement Annual Report, submitted by the Illinois Criminal Justice Information Authority on June 27, 2025

Quarterly Report July 2025, submitted by the IDOC on June 27, 2025

2025 Annual Report, submitted by the Illinois Access and Functional Needs Advisory Committee on June 28, 2025

IFB Interfund Borrowing Report for FY25, submitted by the Governor's Office of Management and Budget on July 1, 2025

CDS Payment 1-21-25, submitted by the Belvidere Police Department on July 11, 2025

CDS Payment 2-28-25, submitted by the Belvidere Police Department on July 11, 2025

CDS Payment 3-17-25, submitted by the Belvidere Police Department on July 11, 2025

CDS Sales Invoice 12-26-24, submitted by the Belvidere Police Department on July 11, 2025

In-Car Camera Report for 2020 - 2025, submitted by the Belvidere Police Department on July 11, 2025

Kozlowski In-Active Report, submitted by the Belvidere Police Department on July 11, 2025

Lopez In-Active Report, submitted by the Belvidere Police Department on July 11, 2025

McDermott In-Active Report, submitted by the Belvidere Police Department on July 11, 2025

Quarterly Report 4-1-2025 - 6-30-2025, submitted by the Office of the Legislative Inspector General on July 14, 2025

2024 DII Discipline Report, submitted by the Illinois State Police on July 15, 2025

DMA Compliance Report FY24, submitted by the Office of the Auditor General on July 15, 2025

DOI Compliance Report FY24, submitted by the Office of the Auditor General on July 15, 2025

HRC Compliance Report FY23, submitted by the Office of the Auditor General on July 15, 2025

IDOR Financial Report FY24, submitted by the Office of the Auditor General on July 15, 2025

2025 Teacher Salary Certification, submitted by the COGFA on July 16, 2025

Activity Summary for the Period 4-1-25 through 6-3-25, submitted by the Legislative Ethics Commission on July 16, 2025

Follow-Up to Performance Audit Recommendations - 7.16.2025, submitted by the Office of the Auditor General on July 16, 2025

Medicaid Eligibility Determinations for Long-Term Care - 7.16.2025, submitted by the Office of the Auditor General on July 16, 2025

PA 102-0721 Quarterly Report on Contractor-Requested Change Orders Involving Price, submitted by the IDOT on July 16, 2025

PII Breach - Letter to General Assembly, submitted by the Illinois Arts Council on July 16, 2025

DoIT Compliance Report FY24, submitted by the Office of the Auditor General on July 17, 2025

EPA Compliance Report FY24, submitted by the Office of the Auditor General on July 17, 2025

EPTFC Compliance Report FY24, submitted by the Office of the Auditor General on July 17, 2025

PCB Compliance Report FY24, submitted by the Office of the Auditor General on July 17, 2025

STO-FO Financial Report FY24, submitted by the Office of the Auditor General on July 17, 2025

2024-2025 Body Camera and In-Car Camera Report, submitted by the New Athens Police Department on July 18, 2025

FY 2025 Sole Source Report, submitted by the Office of the Attorney General on July 18, 2025

2025 Body Worn & In-Car Camera Report, submitted by the Shiloh Police Department on July 21, 2025

HEM Report - Second Quarter 2025, submitted by the Office of the Executive Inspector General on July 21, 2025

2024 Camera Report, submitted by the St. Clair County Sheriff's Department on July 22, 2025

Body Camera Report 2023-2025, submitted by the Bethany Police Department on July 22, 2025

FY25 Camera Report Letter, submitted by the St. Clair County Sheriff's Department on July 22, 2025

STO-NFO Compliance Report FY23, submitted by the Office of the Auditor General on July 22, 2025

2024-2025 Body Camera Arrest Report, submitted by the Jerseyville Police Department on July 23, 2025

2025 Evaluation of Apprenticeship Initiative and Preapprenticeship Review Panel, submitted by the IDCEO on July 24, 2025

CMS SEGIP Compliance Report FY24, submitted by the Office of the Auditor General on July 24, 2025

FY25 Long-Term Care Annual Report, submitted by the IDPH on July 24, 2025

Interagency Agreement Between ISBE & IDHS, submitted by the ISBE & IDHS on July 24, 2025

ISTHA Financial Report FY24, submitted by the Office of the Auditor General on July 24, 2025

Youth Homelessness Prevention Subcommittee Interim Report 7-24-25, submitted by the IDHS on July 24, 2025

Newsletter for 7-25-2025, submitted by the Office of Executive Inspector General on July 25, 2025

Quarterly Financial Statements - 3rd Quarter FY25, submitted by the Metropolitan Pier and Exposition Authority on July 25, 2025

FY25 Camera Grant Report, submitted by the Staunton Police Department on July 28, 2025

FY25 DNA Testing Accountability Report, submitted by the Illinois State Police on July 28, 2025

DCFS Compliance Report FY24, submitted by the Office of the Auditor General on July 29, 2025

DCFS Investigations of Abuse and Neglect Follow-Up Report, submitted by the Office of the Auditor General on July 29, 2025

DCFS LGBTQ Youth in Care Follow-Up Report, submitted by the Office of the Auditor General on July 29, 2025

DCFS Placement of Children Follow-Up Report, submitted by the Office of the Auditor General on July 29, 2025

DCFS Search for Missing Children Follow-Up Report, submitted by the Office of the Auditor General on July 29, 2025

DNR Compliance Report FY24, submitted by the Office of the Auditor General on July 29, 2025

IGB Compliance Report FY24, submitted by the Office of the Auditor General on July 29, 2025

ISAC Compliance Report FY24, submitted by the Office of the Auditor General on July 29, 2025

Office of Retail Market Development Annual Report, submitted by the Illinois Commerce Commission on July 29, 2025

Performance Report for the Period Ending 7-30-25, submitted by the Illinois Department on Aging on July 29, 2025

2024 Body Worn Camera Report, submitted by the Illinois Law Enforcement Training & Standards Board on July 30, 2025

ALPR Annual Report, submitted by the Illinois State Police on July 30, 2025

FY 2025 Sole Source Report, submitted by the Illinois State Treasurer on July 30, 2025

2022 In-Car Camera Report, submitted by the Jo Daviess County Sheriff's Office on July 31, 2025

Direct Care/Communicable Diseases Report - July 2025, submitted by the IDVA on July 31, 2025

FY 2026 Budget Summary, submitted by the COGFA on July 31, 2025

FY25 Annual Report, submitted by the Illinois Bureau of Administrative Hearings on July 31, 2025

FY25 Report of Sole Source Procurement Method, submitted by the Chief Procurement Office for the Capital Development Board on July 31, 2025

2025 Long-Term Care Council Annual Report, submitted by the Illinois Department on Aging on August 1, 2025

DCFS Scholarship Recipients Report 2024-2025, submitted by the DCFS on August 1, 2025

FY25 Sole Source Procurement Report, submitted by the Illinois Public Institutions of Higher Education on August 1, 2025

Monthly Briefing - July 2025, submitted by the COGFA on August 1, 2025

FY25 Q4 Capital Quarterly Report, submitted by the GOMB on August 4, 2025

IDoA Compliance Report FY24, submitted by the Office of the Auditor General on August 5, 2025

July 2025 Monthly Report, submitted by the FOID Card Review Board on August 5, 2025

ISTO FY 2025 Exempt Procurement Report, submitted by the Office of the Treasurer on August 6, 2025

ISTO FY 2025 Illinois Business Report, submitted by the Office of the Treasurer on August 6, 2025

2025 PLA Report, submitted by the Illinois Department of Labor on August 7, 2025

2025 PLA Report Cover Memo, submitted by the Illinois Department of Labor on August 7, 2025

FY 2023 Financial Condition of the State Retirement Systems Report, submitted by the COGFA on August 8, 2025

PIPA Notification Letter 8-8-2025, submitted by the Illinois Liquor Control Commission on August 8, 2025

FY25 Q4 Operating Report, submitted by the GOMB on August 11, 2025

FY24 - Q1 PMA Report, submitted by the Illinois Lottery on August 12, 2025

FY24 - Q2 PMA Report, submitted by the Illinois Lottery on August 12, 2025

FY25 Q4 Operating Report, submitted by the Governor's Office of Management and Budget on August 12, 2025

SH Quarterly Report - August 2025, submitted by the IDHS on August 13, 2025

2023 REV Annual Report, submitted by the DCEO on August 14, 2025

Finance Monthly Report for June 2025, submitted by the Illinois Lottery on August 14, 2025

FY 2024 Financial Condition of the State Retirement Systems, submitted by the COGFA on August 14, 2025

FY2025 Annual Report, submitted by the Office of the State Appellate Defender on August 19, 2025

ISTHA Compliance Report for FY24, submitted by the Office of the Auditor General on August 26, 2025

2025 Economic Opportunity Investment Report, submitted by the Illinois State Board of Investment on August 27, 2025

FY 2025 Fees by Agency Code, submitted by the Office of the Comptroller on August 27, 2025

FY 25 Procurement Exemption Report, submitted by the Illinois Department of Early Childhood on August 27, 2025

ROE 40 Financial Audit for FY23, submitted by the Office of the Auditor General on August 27, 2025

ROE 47 Financial Audit for FY23, submitted by the Office of the Auditor General on August 27, 2025

ROE 47 Financial Audit for FY24, submitted by the Office of the Auditor General on August 27, 2025

Summary of Fees in Fiscal Year 2025, submitted by the Office of the Comptroller on August 27, 2025

2025 Economic Opportunity Investment Report, submitted by the Firefighters' Pension Investment Fund on August 28, 2025

August 2025 Monthly Report, submitted by the FOID Card Review Board on September 2, 2025

BSF FY25 Youth Advisory Board Year End Report, submitted by the DCFS on September 2, 2025

Legislative Specialized Care Report for September 2025, submitted by the DCFS on September 3, 2025

Monthly Briefing for August 2025, submitted by the COGFA on September 3, 2025

CMS CCHISF Financial Report FY24, submitted by the Office of the Auditor General on September 4, 2025

CMS THISF Financial Report FY24, submitted by the Office of the Auditor General on September 4, 2025

Monthly Report - June 2025, submitted by the Illinois Concealed Carry Licensing Review Board on September 8, 2025

Overhear Request Reporting, submitted by the Livingston County State's Attorney on September 8, 2025

Newsletter for 9-17-25, submitted by the OEIG on September 17, 2025

Fall 2025 Waiver Report, submitted by the ISBE on September 18, 2025

Annual Report to the General Assembly 9-19-25, submitted by the Illinois Independent Tax Tribunal on September 19, 2025

2025 Community Health Workers Review Board Annual Report, submitted by the IDPH on September 22, 2025

SSA Supplemental Report FY23, submitted by the Office of the Auditor General on September 22, 2025

Statewide Single Audit Report FY23, submitted by the Office of the Auditor General on September 22, 2025

DOC Compliance Report FY24, submitted by the Office of the Auditor General on September 23, 2025

MESSAGES FROM THE GOVERNOR

To the Honorable Members of
The Illinois House of Representatives,
104th General Assembly:

Today, at the request of the bill's sponsors and its advocates, I veto House Bill 2682 of the 104th General Assembly.

Language identical to that of House Bill 2682 was also included in the Fiscal Year 2026 Budget Implementation Act, enacted on June 16 as Public Act 104-0002, effective, in pertinent part, on July 1, 2025. By operation of law, House Bill 2682 will have a January 1, 2026, effective date for its amendment of sections 4-12 and 4-22 of the Illinois Public Aid Code, while Public Act 104-0002 expressly provides for an effective date of July 1, 2025, for its amendment of the same statutory provisions. Pursuant to the enactment of Public Act 104-0002, the Department of Human Services has already begun implementation of the amendments made to the Public Aid Code. To avoid any confusion or dispute regarding when the Department's authority and duties under the amendatory language become effective, I agree with the bill's sponsors and its advocates that the best course of action is to veto House Bill 2682 and continue the implementation of the Public Aid Code amendments in accordance with Public Act 104-0002.

Therefore, pursuant to Section 9(b) of Article IV of the Illinois Constitution of 1970, I hereby return House Bill 2682, entitled "AN ACT concerning public aid," with the foregoing objections, vetoed in its entirety.

Sincerely,

JB Pritzker
Governor, State of Illinois

To the Honorable Members of
The Illinois House of Representatives,
104th General Assembly:

Today, I return House Bill 2568 of the 104th General Assembly with specific recommendations for change that will bring Illinois law into compliance with the Uniform Parentage Act (2017), as intended by the bill's Senate sponsor and communicated during the General Assembly's consideration of and debate on this bill.

As written, House Bill 2568 aligns in many ways with the Uniform Parentage Act (2017). This includes seeking to ensure the equal treatment of children born to same-sex couples or through assisted reproduction.

Unfortunately, three provisions contemplated by the Uniform Parentage Act (2017) were placed in the incorrect subsection during the bill drafting process. This caused a deviation from the Uniform Parentage act and changed the import of the affected provisions.

As written, House Bill 2568, among other things, amends section 25 of the Gestational Surrogacy Act (750 ILCS 47/25) to update the required terms that must be included in a gestational surrogacy agreement. The three provisions for which I recommend a change were inadvertently placed under subsection 25(c)(4) of the Act, when they should have instead been added as new subsections under subsection 25(c).

Therefore, pursuant to Article IV, Section 9(e) of the Illinois Constitution of 1970, I hereby return House Bill 2568, entitled, "AN ACT concerning civil law," with the following specific recommendations for change:

On page 70, by replacing line 15 with: "(5) the right of the gestational surrogate to make all health and welfare decisions regarding"; and

On page 70, by replacing line 21 with: "(6) the disclosure of all intended parent's financial"; and

On page 70, by replacing line 24 with: "(7) the inclusion of information about each party's right under".

With these changes, House Bill 2568 will be consistent with the Uniform Parentage Act (2017) and will have my approval. I respectfully request your concurrence.

Sincerely,

JB Pritzker
Governor, State of Illinois

LETTERS OF TRANSMITTAL

September 25, 2025

Honorable John Hollman
Clerk of the House
420 State Capitol
Springfield, IL 62706

Via mail and email: JohnH@ilga.gov

Re: House District 42 resignation

Dear Clerk Hollman:

Effective at noon on October 2, 2025, I, Terra Costa Howard, am resigning my position as the State Representative for the 42nd District. Please take all necessary actions to effectuate this resignation.

It has been an honor and a privilege to serve my district and my state as a member of the Illinois House. I would like to thank you and your staff for their professionalism, their care, and their kindness as we worked together to serve the people of the State of Illinois.

Sincerely,

s/Terra Costa Howard

Terra Costa Howard

RESIGNATIONS AND APPOINTMENTS

CERTIFICATE OF APPOINTMENT TO FILL VACANCY IN THE OFFICE OF REPRESENTATIVE IN THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY

WHEREAS, a vacancy currently exists in the office of Representative in the General Assembly from the 42nd Representative District of the State of Illinois, by reason of Rep. Terra Costa Howard's resignation on October 2, 2025; and

WHEREAS, the Democratic Representative Committee of the 42nd Representative District has declared the existence of a vacancy in said office and has voted to fill the vacancy in accordance with Section 25-6 of the Illinois Election Code; and

WHEREAS, at a meeting of the Democratic Representative Committee of the 42nd Representative District on October 12, 2025, Margaret A. DeLaRosa, who resides at 612 Newton Ave, Glen Ellyn, Illinois 60137 in the 42nd Representative District of the State of Illinois, received the required number of votes for appointment to fill the vacancy in office, pursuant to Section 25-6 of the Illinois Election Code; therefore

BE IT RESOLVED, on this 12th day of October, 2025, that the Democratic Representative Committee of the 42nd Representative District of the State of Illinois hereby appoints Margaret A. DeLaRosa, who resides at 612 Newton Ave, Glen Ellyn, Illinois 60137 in the 42nd Representative District of the State of Illinois, who is eligible to serve as a member of the General Assembly, and who is a member of the Democratic Party, as the Representative in the General Assembly from the 42nd Representative District of the State of Illinois for the remainder of the term of the 104th General Assembly.

Reid McCollum
Committeeman, Democratic Representative
Committee for the 42nd Representative District

Dyan Page
Committeeman, Democratic Representative
Committee for the 42nd Representative District

Dennis Terdy
Committeeman, Democratic Representative
Committee for the 42nd Representative District

State of Illinois)
) ss.
County of DuPage)

Subscribed and Sworn to before me on this 12th day of October, 2025.

s/Joseph R Fortunato JR
Notary Public

CERTIFICATE OF ORGANIZATION

Democratic Representative Committee for the
42nd Representative District, State of Illinois

This is to certify that, in accordance with Section 8-5 of the Illinois Election Code, the Democratic Representative Committee of the 42nd Representative District of the State of Illinois met on October 12, 2025, in the municipality of Glen Ellyn, County of DuPage, within the 42nd Representative District of the State of Illinois, and organized by electing the following officers:

Reid McCollum

CHAIRMAN

715 S Bodin st, Hinsdale, IL 60521
ADDRESS

Dyan Page
SECRETARY

125 S 2nd Ave, Lombard, IL 60148
ADDRESS

Signed: s/Reid McCollum
CHAIRMAN

Attest: s/Dyan Page
SECRETARY

OATH OF OFFICE

State of Illinois)
) ss.
County of DuPage)

I, Margaret A. DeLaRosa, do solemnly swear and affirm that I will support the Constitution of the United States, and the Constitution of the State of Illinois, and I will faithfully discharge the duties of the office of Representative in the General Assembly for the 42nd Representative District of the State of Illinois to the best of my ability.

Signed: s/Margaret A DeLaRosa

Dated: 10-12-25

Subscribed and Sworn to before me on this 12th day of October, 2025.

Mary K O'Brien
Justice, Illinois Supreme Court

**TEMPORARY COMMITTEE ASSIGNMENTS
FOR COMMITTEES NOT REPORTING**

Representative Delgado replaced Representative Gordon-Booth in the Committee on Executive on July 31, 2025.

Representative Keicher replaced Representative Hammond in the Committee on Executive on September 25, 2025.

Representative Severin replaced Representative Spain in the Committee on Executive on September 25, 2025.

Representative Halbrook replaced Representative Davidsmeyer in the Committee on Executive on October 3, 2025.

Representative Meier replaced Representative Hammond in the Committee on Executive on October 3, 2025.

Representative Gabel replaced Representative Mah in the Committee on Executive on October 3, 2025.

Representative Meyers-Martin replaced Representative Guzzardi in the Committee on Revenue & Finance on October 10, 2025.

Representative Syed replaced Representative Croke in the Committee on Revenue & Finance on October 10, 2025.

Representative Ness replaced Representative Hernandez, Elizabeth in the Committee on Revenue & Finance on October 10, 2025.

Representative DeLuca replaced Representative González in the Committee on Revenue & Finance on October 10, 2025.

Representative Hernandez, Norma replaced Representative Delgado in the Committee on Revenue & Finance on October 10, 2025.

Representative Deuter replaced Representative Buckner in the Committee on Revenue & Finance on October 10, 2025.

Representative Katz Muhl replaced Representative Avelar in the Committee on Revenue & Finance on October 10, 2025.

Representative Canty replaced Representative Tarver in the Committee on Revenue & Finance on October 10, 2025.

TEMPORARY COMMITTEE ASSIGNMENTS

Representative Ford replaced Representative Gabel in the Committee on Rules on September 19, 2025.

Representative Ford replaced Representative Gabel in the Committee on Rules (a) on September 19, 2025.

Representative Hoffman replaced Representative Hernandez, Elizabeth in the Committee on Rules on October 14, 2025.

Representative Keicher replaced Representative Spain in the Committee on Rules on October 14, 2025.

REPORTS FROM THE COMMITTEE ON RULES

Representative Gabel, Chairperson, from the Committee on Rules to which the following were referred, action taken on September 19, 2025, reported the same back with the following recommendations:

LEGISLATIVE MEASURES ASSIGNED TO COMMITTEE:

Executive: SENATE BILL 25.

The committee roll call vote on the foregoing Legislative Measure(s) is as follows:
3, Yeas; 2, Nays; 0, Answering Present.

Y Ford(D), Chairperson(replacing Gabel)	N Hammond(R), Republican Spokesperson
Y Buckner(D)	Y Hernandez, Elizabeth(D)
N Spain(R)	

Representative Gabel, Chairperson, from the Committee on Rules (a) to which the following were referred, action taken on September 19, 2025, reported the same back with the following recommendations:

LEGISLATIVE MEASURES ASSIGNED TO COMMITTEE:

Executive: House Amendment No. 2 to SENATE BILL 25.

The committee roll call vote on the foregoing Legislative Measure(s) is as follows:
3, Yeas; 2, Nays; 0, Answering Present.

Y Ford(D), Chairperson(replacing Gabel)	N Hammond(R), Republican Spokesperson
Y Buckner(D)	Y Hernandez, Elizabeth(D)
N Spain(R)	

Representative Gabel, Chairperson, from the Committee on Rules to which the following were referred, action taken on October 14, 2025, reported the same back with the following recommendations:

LEGISLATIVE MEASURES APPROVED FOR FLOOR CONSIDERATION:

That the bill be reported “approved for consideration” and placed on the order of Second Reading: HOUSE BILLS 507, 575, 576 and 762; SENATE BILLS 90, 1911 and 2111.

That the bill be reported “approved for consideration” and placed on the order of Third Reading: HOUSE BILL 2333.

That the resolution be reported “recommends be adopted” and placed on the House Calendar: HOUSE RESOLUTION 470.

LEGISLATIVE MEASURES ASSIGNED TO COMMITTEE:

Executive: SENATE BILL 118.

Transportation: Regulation, Roads & Bridges: HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION 1.

MOTION TO WAIVE POSTING NOTICE:

Pursuant to House Rule 21(a), Representative Buckner moved to waive the posting notice requirements so that the Appropriations-Health and Human Services Committee may have a subject matter hearing on the Effects of Federal Reconciliation Package on Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP).

The committee roll call vote on the foregoing Legislative Measure(s) is as follows:
3, Yeas; 2, Nays; 0, Answering Present.

Y Gabel(D), Chairperson	N Hammond(R), Republican Spokesperson
Y Buckner(D)	Y Hoffman(D)(replacing Hernandez, Elizabeth)
N Keicher(R)(replacing Spain)	

MOTION

I move to accept the specific recommendations of the Governor as to House Bill 2568 in manner and form as follows:

AMENDMENT TO HOUSE BILL 2568
IN ACCEPTANCE OF GOVERNOR'S RECOMMENDATIONS

Amend House Bill 2568 on page 70, by replacing line 15 with:

"(5) the right of the gestational surrogate to make all health and welfare decisions regarding"; and

on page 70, by replacing line 21 with:

"(6) the disclosure of all intended parent's financial"; and

on page 70, by replacing line 24 with:

"(7) the inclusion of information about each party's right under".

Date: 10-14-2025 s/Katz Muhl

AGREED RESOLUTIONS

The following resolutions were offered and placed on the Calendar on the order of Agreed Resolutions.

HOUSE RESOLUTION 414

Offered by Representative Hoffman:

Commends Dr. Brian Mentzer on his years of service to Belleville Township High School 201.

HOUSE RESOLUTION 416

Offered by Representative Du Buclet:

Mourns the passing of Ruth Earl Hudson Nichols.

HOUSE RESOLUTION 417

Offered by Representative Crespo:

Recognizes the Village of Hanover Park's 2025 Juneteenth celebration as a time to reflect and to commemorate the end of slavery.

HOUSE RESOLUTION 418

Offered by Representative Friess:

Congratulates Andrea Smith on being recognized as the American Network of Community Options and Resources (ANCOR) 2025 Illinois Direct Support Professional of the Year.

HOUSE RESOLUTION 419

Offered by Representative Gordon-Booth:

Mourns the death of Cleveland Thomas Jr. of Peoria.

HOUSE RESOLUTION 420

Offered by Representative Davidsmeyer:

Congratulates the Carrollton High School softball team, the Lady Hawks, on winning the 2024-2025 Illinois High School Association (IHSA) Class 1A State Championship. Acknowledges all the contributions made by the coaches, players, families, and community for making a positive impact towards the team achieving a successful season.

HOUSE RESOLUTION 421

Offered by Representative Olickal:
Mourns the passing of Sister Rosemary Connelly, RSM.

HOUSE RESOLUTION 422

Offered by Representative Spain:
Congratulates the Morrison High School boys track and field team, the Mustangs, on winning the 2024-2025 Illinois High School Association (IHSA) Class 1A State Championship. Wishes its members future success in their athletic and academic pursuits.

HOUSE RESOLUTION 424

Offered by Representative Mah:
Mourns the death of May Young Chin.

HOUSE RESOLUTION 425

Offered by Representative Morgan:
Congratulates Rabbi Ellen Dreyfus on her retirement. Thanks her for her dedicated service to her congregation and community. Wishes her the best at the close of her distinguished career.

HOUSE RESOLUTION 426

Offered by Representative Crespo:
Congratulates Mary Jo Imperato on the occasion of her retirement. Thanks her for her decades of dedicated service to Hanover Township and the State of Illinois. Wishes her health, happiness, and fulfillment in all her future endeavors.

HOUSE RESOLUTION 429

Offered by Representative Crespo:
Congratulates Lori Orozco on the occasion of her retirement. Expresses heartfelt gratitude for her many years of dedicated public service. Wishes her continued happiness, health, and fulfillment in the years to come.

HOUSE RESOLUTION 430

Offered by Representative Smith:
Congratulates Lincoln Elementary School District (ESD) 156 in Calumet City on achieving its 100th anniversary. Wishes Lincoln ESD 156 continued success in its ongoing legacy of academic excellence and community service.

HOUSE RESOLUTION 431

Offered by Representative Williams, Ann:
Commends Margaret Frisbie for 25 years of extraordinary service to Friends of the Chicago River, thanks her for her visionary leadership and tireless advocacy, and acknowledges her enduring impact on the

environment and the people of Illinois.

HOUSE RESOLUTION 434

Offered by Representative Harper:

Congratulates Dr. M. Connie Dyer on the occasion of her 80th birthday on July 30, 2025. Thanks her for her continued contributions to her community and the City of Chicago.

HOUSE RESOLUTION 435

Offered by Representative Gordon-Booth:

Mourns the death of Helen Margaret (Norwood) Jackson.

HOUSE RESOLUTION 436

Offered by Representative Spain:

Congratulates Kevin Yates on the occasion of celebrating 25 years of service as executive director of the Chillicothe Park District (CPD).

HOUSE RESOLUTION 437

Offered by Representative Stephens:

Honors Victor Gómez as 2025 Illinois Teacher of the Year and wishes him well as he represents Illinois teachers during his current year of honor.

HOUSE RESOLUTION 438

Offered by Representative Welch:

Congratulates Machi Nelson on achieving first place in the high jump at the 2025 Illinois High School Association (IHSA) Class 3A Boys Track and Field State Finals. Wishes him continued success in his future endeavors.

HOUSE RESOLUTION 439

Offered by Representative Rosenthal:

Mourns the death of Randall Lee "Randy" Cooke of Chatham.

HOUSE RESOLUTION 440

Offered by Representative Williams, Jawaharial:

Congratulates Alderman Walter Burnett Jr. on his retirement after 30 years of serving the people of Chicago 27th Ward and expresses gratitude for his unwavering service and leadership.

HOUSE RESOLUTION 441

Offered by Representative Rita:

Congratulates the Village of Calumet Park on the occasion of marking 100 years as a vibrant community.

HOUSE RESOLUTION 442

Offered by Representative Haas:

Congratulates American Legion Auxiliary Unit 392 on the occasion of its 100th anniversary.

HOUSE RESOLUTION 443

Offered by Representative Morgan:

Mourns the passing of Captain James Arthur "Jim" Lovell Jr., USN (Ret.).

HOUSE RESOLUTION 445

Offered by Representative Welch:

Commends Bishop Dr. Claude Porter and Lady Bishop Earnestine Porter on achieving their 53rd year of dedicated and impactful service at Proviso Missionary Baptist Church of Maywood.

HOUSE RESOLUTION 446

Offered by Representative Cabello:

Recognizes Altgeld Bitcoin Reserve (ABR) as the nation's first community-run Bitcoin reserve. Commends its positive impact on the State of Illinois. Commends the community of Altgeld Gardens for its leadership, innovation, and dedication to financial empowerment for generations to come.

HOUSE RESOLUTION 448

Offered by Representative Crespo:

Commends Mayor William D. McLeod of the Village of Hoffman Estates for his exceptional leadership, enduring dedication, and transformative contributions to Hoffman Estates and the region.

HOUSE RESOLUTION 449

Offered by Representative Gordon-Booth:

Mourns the death of Mother Mary Ann Robinson of Peoria.

HOUSE RESOLUTION 451

Offered by Representative Moeller:

Congratulates Mayor William D. "Bill" McLeod of the Village of Hoffman Estates on 45 years of dedicated public service. Thanks him for his continued service and dedication to the community of Hoffman Estates, the region, and the State.

HOUSE RESOLUTION 452

Offered by Representative Evans:

Mourns the passing of Antoine Lamar Merrick of Chicago Heights.

HOUSE RESOLUTION 453

Offered by Representative Gill:

Congratulates Thomas E. Ryan Jr. on his retirement as president & business manager of Carpenters Union Local 13. Wishes him the best in all of his future endeavors.

HOUSE RESOLUTION 454

Offered by Representative Welch:

Mourns the death of Eunice Alexander.

HOUSE RESOLUTION 455

Offered by Representative Hoffman:

Congratulates Belle Valley School District 119 on achieving its 150th anniversary and its enduring contributions to education and community.

HOUSE RESOLUTION 456

Offered by Representative Cassidy:

Celebrates the life and legacy of Bob Newhart, one of America's most beloved and celebrated comedians.

HOUSE RESOLUTION 457

Offered by Representative Keicher:

Recognizes the week of September 17 through September 23, 2025 as Constitution Week.

HOUSE RESOLUTION 458

Offered by Representative Hoffman:

Congratulates the Southern Illinois Builders Association on its 80th anniversary and wishes them continued success in building the future, both for the construction industry and the communities it supports.

HOUSE RESOLUTION 460

Offered by Representative Faver Dias:

Congratulates the HeatherRidge development and neighborhood in the Village of Gurnee on achieving its 50th anniversary.

HOUSE RESOLUTION 461

Offered by Representative Welch:

Congratulates Rock of Ages Baptist Church in Maywood on achieving its 75th anniversary.

HOUSE RESOLUTION 462

Offered by Representative Mah:

Mourns the death of Raymond Ben-Kuey Lee of Chicago.

HOUSE RESOLUTION 463

Offered by Representative Sheehan:

Mourns the passing of Charles James "Charlie" Kirk.

HOUSE RESOLUTION 464

Offered by Representative Moore:

Mourns the passing of Richard E. "Hap" Northern of Quincy.

HOUSE RESOLUTION 465

Offered by Representative McLaughlin:

Mourns the death of Charlie Kirk, founder of Turning Point USA.

HOUSE RESOLUTION 469

Offered by Representative DeLuca:

Congratulates Crete Township in Will County on the occasion of its 175th anniversary of township government operations.

HOUSE RESOLUTION 472

Offered by Representative Gordon-Booth:

Congratulates Methodist College on achieving its 125th anniversary. Wishes the institution continued success in the years to come.

HOUSE RESOLUTION 473

Offered by Representative Du Buclet:

Congratulates International Brotherhood of Electrical Workers (IBEW) Local 134 and its members, past and present, for 125 years of craftsmanship and service that have helped power Chicago's growth into one of the world's great cities. Wishes them many more years of excellence ahead.

HOUSE RESOLUTION 476

Offered by Representative Meier:

Congratulates Kaskaskia College on its 85th anniversary. Commends its historic role as Illinois' first recognized community college under the Illinois Community College Act of 1965. Commends the leadership of Kaskaskia College President George Evans, the board of trustees, the faculty, the staff, and the administration for their dedication to providing high-quality education and workforce training, positively impacting the lives of countless students, alumni, and families.

HOUSE RESOLUTION 477

Offered by Representative Stuart:

Congratulates Deborah Humphrey on her retirement as executive director of the Madison County Mental Health Board. Thanks her for her decades of extraordinary service and leadership to the people of Madison County and the State of Illinois. Wishes her continued success and happiness in all of her future endeavors.

HOUSE RESOLUTION 478

Offered by Representative Moeller:

Mourns the death of Danise Susanne Habun of Elgin.

HOUSE RESOLUTION 480

Offered by Representative Davis, Will:

Congratulates the Chicago Heights Alumni Chapter of Kappa Alpha Psi Fraternity, Inc. on the occasion of its 60th anniversary. Extends best wishes for continued success and service in the years to come.

HOUSE RESOLUTION 481

Offered by Representative Davis, Lisa:

Congratulates Maximus on the occasion of its 50th anniversary. Wishes the company continued success.

HOUSE RESOLUTION 482

Offered by Representative Elik:

Congratulates Tom Morrissey on his retirement as chairperson of the board of directors for Challenge Unlimited, Inc. Thanks him for his dedication to nonprofit service throughout his life.

HOUSE RESOLUTION 483

Offered by Representative Harper:
Mourns the passing of Yolanda Ngini Orange-Berry.

HOUSE RESOLUTION 484

Offered by Representative Gordon-Booth:
Congratulates Charles Earley, better known by his professional name "Chuck Collins", on his retirement from WEEK-TV. Thanks him for his years of distinguished service. Wishes him a joyful, healthy, and fulfilling retirement.

HOUSE RESOLUTION 485

Offered by Representative Spain:
Congratulates the Metropolitan Airport Authority of Peoria (MAAP) on the occasion of its 75th anniversary.

HOUSE RESOLUTION 486

Offered by Representative Schweizer:
Congratulates the Westville Junior High School softball team, the Wildcats, on winning the 2025 IESA Class 2A state championship and recognizes all of the contributions made by the players, coaches, and families who have impacted their team and school for the better.

HOUSE RESOLUTION 488

Offered by Representative Welch:
Mourns the death of Cordell Byron Smith of Chicago.

HOUSE RESOLUTION 489

Offered by Representative Kelly:
Mourns the passing of Morgan Dubiel of Niles.

HOUSE RESOLUTION 492

Offered by Representative Mason:
Congratulates Police Chief Brian Smith of the Gurnee Police Department on the occasion of his retirement. Thanks him for his more than 25 years of dedicated service to the residents of the Village of Gurnee and the State of Illinois.

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION 43

Offered by Representative Hauter:
Congratulates the Nestle USA plant in Morton on achieving its 100th anniversary. Thanks the plant for its continued contributions to the Morton community.

SUSPEND POSTING REQUIREMENTS

Pursuant to Rule 21, Representative Gabel moved to suspend the posting requirements in relation to House Joint Resolution 1 to be heard in Transportation: Regulation, Roads & Bridges.
The motion prevailed.

DISTRIBUTION OF SUPPLEMENTAL CALENDAR

Supplemental Calendar No. 1 was distributed to the Members at 1:29 o'clock p.m.

RESOLUTION

Having been reported out of the Committee on Rules on October 14, 2025, HOUSE RESOLUTION 470 was taken up for consideration.
Representative Welch moved the adoption of the resolution.
The motion prevailed and the resolution was adopted.

AGREED RESOLUTIONS

HOUSE RESOLUTIONS 414, 416, 417, 418, 419, 420, 421, 422, 424, 425, 426, 429, 430, 431, 434, 435, 436, 437, 438, 439, 440, 441, 442, 443, 445, 446, 448, 449, 451, 452, 453, 454, 455, 456, 457, 458, 460, 461, 462, 463, 464, 465, 469, 472, 473, 476, 477, 478, 480, 481, 482, 483, 484, 485, 486, 488, 489 and 492; HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION 43 were taken up for consideration.
Representative Gabel moved the adoption of the agreed resolutions.
The motion prevailed and the agreed resolutions were adopted.

At the hour of 1:58 o'clock p.m., Representative Gabel moved that the House do now adjourn until Wednesday, October 15, 2025, at 12:00 o'clock p.m., allowing perfunctory time for the Clerk.
The motion prevailed.
And the House stood adjourned.

STATE OF ILLINOIS
ONE HUNDRED FOURTH
GENERAL ASSEMBLY
HOUSE ROLL CALL
QUORUM CALL

October 14, 2025

0 YEAS

0 NAYS

113 PRESENT

P Ammons	P Ford	P Kelly	P Scherer
P Andrade	P Friess	P Kifowit	P Schmidt
P Avelar	P Fritts	E La Ha	P Schweizer
P Benton	P Gabel	P LaPointe	P Severin
P Blair-Sherlock	P Gill	P Lilly	P Sheehan
P Briel	P Gong-Gershowitz	P Mah	P Slaughter
P Buckner	P González	P Manley	P Smith
P Bunting	P Gordon-Booth	P Mason	P Sosnowski
P Cabello	E Grant	P Mayfield	P Spain
P Canty	P Grasse	P McCombie	P Stava
P Cassidy	P Guerrero-Cuellar	P McLaughlin	P Stephens
P Chung	P Guzzardi	P Meier	P Stuart
P Coffey	P Haas	P Meyers-Martin	P Swanson
P Crawford	P Halbrook	P Miller	P Syed
P Crespo	P Hammond	P Moeller	P Tarver
P Croke	P Hanson	P Moore	P Tipsword
P Davidsmeyer	P Harper	P Morgan	P Ugaste
E Davis, Jed	E Hauter	P Morris	P Vella
P Davis, Lisa	P Hernandez, Barbara	E Moylan	P Walsh
P Davis, Will	P Hernandez, Lisa	P Mussman	P Weaver
P Deering	P Hernandez, Norma	P Ness	P Weber
P DeLaRosa	P Hirschauer	P Niemerg	P West
P Delgado	P Hoffman	P Olickal	P Wilhour
P DeLuca	P Huynh	P Ortíz	P Williams, Ann
P Deuter	P Jacobs	P Rashid	P Williams, Jawaharial
P Didech	P Jiménez	P Reick	P Windhorst
P Du Buclet	P Johnson	P Rita	P Yang Rohr
P Elik	P Jones	P Rosenthal	P Mr. Speaker
P Evans	P Katz Muhl	P Ryan	
P Faver Dias	P Keicher	P Sanalidro	

E - Denotes Excused Absence

At the hour of 2:04 o'clock p.m., the House convened perfunctory session.

TEMPORARY COMMITTEE ASSIGNMENTS

Representative Morgan replaced Representative Hernandez, Elizabeth in the Committee on Rules (a) on October 14, 2025.

Representative Windhorst replaced Representative Hammond in the Committee on Rules (a) on October 14, 2025.

REPORTS FROM THE COMMITTEE ON RULES

Representative Gabel, Chairperson, from the Committee on Rules (a) to which the following were referred, action taken on October 14, 2025, reported the same back with the following recommendations:

LEGISLATIVE MEASURES APPROVED FOR FLOOR CONSIDERATION:

That the Motion be reported “recommends be adopted” and placed on the House Calendar: Motion to accept Amendatory Veto to HOUSE BILL 2568.

The committee roll call vote on the foregoing Legislative Measure(s) is as follows:
5, Yeas; 0, Nays; 0, Answering Present.

Y Gabel(D), Chairperson	Y Windhorst(R), Republican Spokesperson(replacing Hammond)
Y Buckner(D)	Y Morgan(D)(replacing Hernandez, Elizabeth)
Y Spain(R)	

HOUSE RESOLUTIONS

The following resolutions were offered and placed in the Committee on Rules.

HOUSE RESOLUTION 413

Offered by Representative Mayfield:

WHEREAS, Michael Rosenbaum was enrolled as a public policy student at the University of Chicago from 2011 to 2015, graduating with honors; and

WHEREAS, Michael Rosenbaum volunteered to intern for Rep. Rita Mayfield during the summer of 2012 and throughout 2013, with the goal of crafting meaningful public policy; and

WHEREAS, Michael Rosenbaum spent endless hours meeting with local law enforcement and Alcohol, Tobacco and Firearm (ATF) agents, researching gun safety issues; and

WHEREAS, Michael Rosenbaum wrote two pieces of legislation to address local law enforcement concerns around gun safety and trafficking; and

WHEREAS, House Bill 4574 of the 98th General Assembly was filed on February 4, 2014, introducing the lost and stolen firearms language crafted by Michael Rosenbaum; and

WHEREAS, For the next several years, Rep. Rita Mayfield earnestly reintroduced the language and advocated for its passing; and

WHEREAS, On May 28, 2025, 11 years after the lost and stolen firearm language was first introduced, it was passed as part of Senate Bill 8 of the 104th General Assembly, an omnibus gun safety package; and

WHEREAS, Having successfully passed both the Senate and the House of Representatives, the lost and stolen firearm language will be sent to the Governor of the State of Illinois to be signed into law; therefore, be it

RESOLVED, BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE HUNDRED FOURTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we commend Michael Rosenbaum on crafting sensible legislation and thank him for his commitment to public safety; and be it further

RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be presented to Michael Rosenbaum as a symbol of our respect and esteem.

HOUSE RESOLUTION 415

Offered by Representative Spain:

WHEREAS, On April 22, 2025, terrorists from "The Resistance Front" stormed a meadow in Pahalgam, Kashmir and murdered 26 innocent civilian tourists; and

WHEREAS, The "Resistance Front" is an affiliate of an Islamist group, Lashkar-e-Taiba, and on April 22, 2025, its terrorist warriors were seeking Hindus with precision; and

WHEREAS, The April 22, 2025 atrocity is entwined with the ongoing claim by the Islamic Republic of Pakistan to control all of Kashmir; and

WHEREAS, The April 22, 2025 attack on Hindu civilians was a deliberate and brutal assault on innocent people; and

WHEREAS, This incident is a matter of deep concern to all Hindus worldwide; and

WHEREAS, The killing is an assault on all people of conscience worldwide, including the people of Illinois, who value religious freedom and human dignity; and

WHEREAS, Many people of kinship with India have been personally affected by the violence in Kashmir, as they have friends and extended families who are affected by the killing and violence; and

WHEREAS, The terrorist incident of April 22, 2025 was a conscious attack upon Hindu life and identity and is an affront to the values of democracy, freedom, pluralism, and peace that are valued in Illinois; and

WHEREAS, The massacre of Hindu tourists in Kashmir, India is more than an act of terror; it is a savage assault on peace, pluralism, and basic human dignity, and those responsible must be brought to swift and uncompromising justice; and

WHEREAS, The world cannot look away or make excuses for the ongoing violence against civilians in Kashmir; silence is complicity in the face of such brutality; therefore, be it

RESOLVED, BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE HUNDRED FOURTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we stand in solidarity against terrorism and condemn the violent April 22, 2025 attack against civilians in Kashmir and all similar attacks launched in Kashmir by persons of similar minds and for the same reasons; and be it further

RESOLVED, That suitable copies of this resolution be presented to the Hindu American Foundation of Chicago and to Rohit Tanksale of Dunlap.

HOUSE RESOLUTION 423

Offered by Representative Weaver:

WHEREAS, It is important to preserve agricultural history and honor the individuals who have dedicated their lives to maintaining the legacy of farming and farm machinery; and

WHEREAS, Antique tractors represent a vital chapter in our nation's agricultural development and serve as symbols of innovation, resilience, and community heritage; and

WHEREAS, Kevin Bresnahan, a proud Illinoisan and passionate antique tractor enthusiast, has personally preserved and maintained a collection of 31 antique tractors, ensuring that future generations understand and appreciate the machinery that once powered Illinois' farms; and

WHEREAS, Kevin Bresnahan's dedication exemplifies the spirit of preservation and education and reflects a broader community of collectors and restorers who keep this history alive; and

WHEREAS, August 22nd marks a national effort to preserve antique tractors, bringing together enthusiasts, historians, and families to reflect on the rich traditions of American farming; therefore, be it

RESOLVED, BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE HUNDRED FOURTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we declare August 22, 2026 as Antique Tractor Preservation Day in the State of Illinois; and be it further

RESOLVED, That we encourage educational institutions, historical societies, and community groups across the State to participate in events and activities that honor the legacy of antique tractors and those who preserve them; and be it further

RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be presented to Kevin Bresnahan in recognition of his unwavering commitment to antique tractor preservation and agricultural heritage in Illinois.

HOUSE RESOLUTION 427

Offered by Representative Halbrook:

WHEREAS, The One Big Beautiful Bill, recently signed into law by President Donald Trump, contains the Educational Choice for Children Act, which offers a federal tax credit of up to \$1,700 for individuals that donate to Scholarship Granting Organizations, thereby increasing funding for these organizations to help families pay for their children to attend the K-12 school of their choice; and

WHEREAS, The list of eligible educational expenses within the Educational Choice for Children Act also includes fees, tutoring, educational therapies, transportation, technology, and other expenses for children attending public schools, private schools, and home schools; and

WHEREAS, Currently, 35 states have similar versions of the program in place at the state level; and

WHEREAS, Illinois' own version of the program, the Invest in Kids Act, was allowed to expire at the end of 2023, forcing many low-income families back into our State's failing public education system; and

WHEREAS, One's ability to choose where their child attends school should not be a privilege reserved only for the wealthy and well-connected; and

WHEREAS, It is imperative that each state choose to opt into the provisions of the Educational Choice for Children Act; therefore, be it

RESOLVED, BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE HUNDRED FOURTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we urge Governor JB Pritzker to opt Illinois into the provisions of the Educational Choice for Children Act; and be it further

RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be delivered to Governor JB Pritzker.

HOUSE RESOLUTION 428

Offered by Representative Sheehan:

WHEREAS, The members of the Illinois House of Representatives wish to express their support for the Immigration and Customs Enforcement (ICE), an agency within the United States Department of Homeland Security; and

WHEREAS, ICE performs a vital role in the enforcement of federal immigration laws and the safeguarding of national security; and

WHEREAS, ICE plays a critical part in protecting public safety by apprehending individuals who are in the United States or its territories in violation of federal immigration statutes, including those with criminal convictions under state or federal law; and

WHEREAS, Effective cooperation and collaboration among federal, state, and local law enforcement is essential to uphold the rule of law, prevent crime, and maintain security in communities throughout Illinois; and

WHEREAS, Illinois state and local law enforcement agencies are prohibited from assisting ICE in their enforcement efforts due to the Illinois TRUST Act, thereby placing the safety of ICE officers in jeopardy; and

WHEREAS, ICE operates detention and removal programs in Illinois that support enforcement and public safety objectives; and

WHEREAS, ICE officers have been publicly identified online through the publishing of such information as their names, addresses, and job titles with the intent of bringing harm to them and their families; and

WHEREAS, ICE officers are facing a 500% increase in assaults against them while carrying out enforcement operations in addition to violent retaliation outside of the workplace by citizens who oppose stronger enforcement of federal law and have become enabled by this released information; and

WHEREAS, ICE officers wear masks, sunglasses, and other face coverings to protect themselves and their families from harassment online and in person; and

WHEREAS, It is important to express support for the protection of our first responders while they are on or off duty and are upholding public safety in the State; therefore, be it

RESOLVED, BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE HUNDRED FOURTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we express our support to Immigration and Customs Enforcement (ICE), an agency within the United States Department of Homeland Security, for its efforts in enforcing federal immigration law, and we recognize ICE's role in cooperating with Illinois law enforcement to apprehend individuals who pose threats to public safety; and be it further

RESOLVED, That suitable copies of this resolution be delivered to all members of the Illinois Congressional Delegation and the Acting Director of ICE.

HOUSE RESOLUTION 432

Offered by Representative Welch:

WHEREAS, The City of Mound Bayou, Mississippi, "the Jewel of the Delta", founded by formerly enslaved African Americans Isaiah Thornton Montgomery and Benjamin Green in 1887, represents one of the most extraordinary stories of Black resilience, excellence, and self-determination in American history; and

WHEREAS, This all-Black town served as a critical haven for African American advancement during the Jim Crow era, playing a pivotal role in the Civil Rights Movement, the economic empowerment of Black communities, and the protection of families, such as that of Emmett Till and Mamie Till-Mobley; and

WHEREAS, The legacy of Mound Bayou resonates deeply in Cook County through the lives and public service of prominent figures with familial ties to the town, including Reverend B. Herbert Martin, who was pastor to the Late Honorable Harold Washington, the first Black mayor of Chicago, the late John H. Stroger Jr., who was the first Black president of the Cook County Board of Commissioners, his late sister Cleo Stroger-Dunnings, who was an esteemed educator, the late Coach Derrick Dunnings, who was Cleo's husband, and the late Donna Lori Dunnings, who was Cleo and Derrick's daughter and served with distinction as Cook County's chief financial officer; and

WHEREAS, These leaders not only contributed immensely to the advancement of Cook County but also carried forward the values of service, perseverance, and community uplift rooted in Mound Bayou's founding vision; and

WHEREAS, The Taborian Hospital was founded in Mound Bayou in 1942 by the International Order of Twelve Knights and Daughters of Tabor led by Sir Perry Monroe Smith (Priscilla Anderson-Smith) as the second Black hospital in Mississippi, the first all-Black staffed hospital in the United States of America (Chief Surgeon Dr. T.R.M. Howard), and the first HMO in the United States of America; and

WHEREAS, U.S. President Theodore "Teddy" Roosevelt proclaimed Mound Bayou as the most remarkable town in the south; and

WHEREAS, The Chicago screening of episode one of Mound Bayou: The Most Remarkable Town in the South at the DuSable Black History Museum and Education Center on Friday, August 29, 2025 from 6:00PM to 9:00PM, featuring a reception, screening, and post-screening discussion, serves as a powerful tribute to this vital chapter in American history; and

WHEREAS, A number of individuals contributed to this screening of Mound Bayou: the Most Remarkable Town in the South, including the screening co-hosts Reverend Dr. Wallace "Gator" Bradley and U.S. Congressman Danny K. Davis, Executive Producers Kahari "The BooRay! King" Nash, Ted Field, and Tony Brown KM, producers Dr. Ron Davis and John P. Hamilton, historians Myrna Smith-Thompson, Alma Campbell J.D., Rosie Lee Ross, E. L. Bridgeforth, and Dr. David T. Beito, community leaders Brenda Bell-Brooks, a descendant of Wade Riley Bell who was a charter member of the Bolivar County Farm

Bureau Negro Division Headquartered in Mound Bayou, which was organized in 1953 representing 33,000 Acres of Negro Farmland with a tax assessed value of \$7,500,000.00, and Zee Alphin Anderson Barron, the first director and organizer of Coahoma Junior College, Coahoma Community College, which was the first state-supported junior college for Negroes in Mississippi, as well as U.S. Congressman Bennie G. Thompson, Civil Rights Icon Ambassador Andrew J. Young, and all the sponsors who brought this project to fruition; therefore, be it

RESOLVED, BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE HUNDRED FOURTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we recognize the importance of Mound Bayou, Mississippi, commend all persons involved in bringing the Mound Bayou project to fruition, and urge all Illinois residents to reflect on the enduring impact of Mound Bayou as a symbol of Black excellence, economic sovereignty, and cultural pride; and be it further

RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be presented to Reverend Dr. Wallace "Gator" Bradley as a symbol of our respect and esteem.

HOUSE RESOLUTION 433

Offered by Representative Vella:

WHEREAS, The Italian American community has played a vital role in shaping the cultural, social, and economic fabric of the City of Rockford; and

WHEREAS, Festa Italiana, held annually in Rockford and now in its 46th year, is a beloved cultural celebration that honors the rich heritage, traditions, and contributions of Italian Americans in the region; and

WHEREAS, Festa Italiana serves as a unifying event for the Rockford community, drawing residents and visitors alike to enjoy traditional Italian food, music, art, and entertainment; and

WHEREAS, Festa Italiana fosters cross-cultural understanding and pride in heritage while supporting local businesses, artisans, and performers; and

WHEREAS, Festa Italiana is organized with dedication by committed volunteers and organizations, including the Greater Rockford Italian American Association (GRIAA), whose efforts keep traditions alive and enrich community spirit; and

WHEREAS, The proceeds from Festa Italiana are used to support scholarships, charitable causes, and educational programs that benefit both the Italian American community and the broader Rockford area; therefore, be it

RESOLVED, BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE HUNDRED FOURTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we recognize Festa Italiana as an important cultural event in the City of Rockford, and we express our gratitude to all who make this festival possible each year; and be it further

RESOLVED, That we celebrate the continued legacy of Italian American heritage in Rockford, and we encourage all residents to take part in the festivities, honoring the traditions and values that unite the community.

HOUSE RESOLUTION 444

Offered by Representative Keicher:

WHEREAS, Breast cancer is the most commonly diagnosed cancer among women worldwide and remains the second leading cause of cancer-related deaths among women in the United States; and

WHEREAS, An estimated 319,750 Americans will be diagnosed with invasive breast cancer in 2025, and tragically, 42,680 lives will be lost to the disease, equivalent to 117 lives per day, with 98% of those deaths being due to metastatic breast cancer (MBC); and

WHEREAS, MBC occurs when breast cancer spreads beyond the breast to other parts of the body, including the bones, liver, lungs, and brain; despite advances in early detection and treatment, approximately 30% of early-stage breast cancers will eventually metastasize with no known cure; and

WHEREAS, Individuals with MBC face a median life expectancy of approximately three years, yet less than 10% of U.S. breast cancer research funding is dedicated to studying this terminal stage of the

disease; increasing investment in MBC-specific research is critical to transforming it from a terminal illness into a chronic, manageable condition; and

WHEREAS, METAvivor Research and Support is a national nonprofit dedicated to funding stage IV MBC research, supporting patients, and advocating for equitable distribution of breast cancer research dollars, seeking to increase MBC funding to at least 30% of all breast cancer research; and

WHEREAS, Racial disparities persist in breast cancer outcomes; while white women have slightly higher incidence rates of breast cancer, Black women are 40% more likely to die from the disease, and breast cancer remains the leading cause of cancer-related death for Hispanic women; addressing these inequities through research, education, and access to care is essential; and

WHEREAS, The #LightUpMBC global campaign, in partnership with METAvivor, illuminates over 117 landmarks across the world in the MBC awareness colors of teal, green, and pink on October 13th of each year; this campaign honors lives lost to MBC, amplifies patient voices, and raises crucial funds for MBC research; and

WHEREAS, While the pink ribbon is widely recognized for early-stage breast cancer awareness, it does not represent those living with stage IV breast cancer; the MBC awareness ribbon, a tricolor combination of teal to represent healing, green to represent hope, and pink to represent the origin of breast cancer, symbolizes the unique challenges of the MBC community; therefore, be it

RESOLVED, BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE HUNDRED FOURTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we declare October 13, 2025 as Metastatic Breast Cancer Awareness Day in the State of Illinois; and be it further

RESOLVED, That we encourage all residents to join in the national effort to raise awareness by illuminating local landmarks in teal, green, and pink and supporting the urgent need for increased metastatic breast cancer (MBC) research funding.

HOUSE RESOLUTION 447

Offered by Representative Lilly:

WHEREAS, Public safety remains a paramount responsibility of state legislatures, particularly in addressing preventable risks within residential and community settings; and

WHEREAS, Natural gas leaks represent a serious and ongoing hazard, with explosions and accidents across the nation demonstrating the need for early detection and warning systems; and

WHEREAS, Illinois House Bill 3652 (HB3652), sponsored by Assistant Majority Leader Camille Y. Lilly, would create the Fuel Gas Detector and Alarm Act by requiring the installation of natural gas alarms in residential dwellings, harmonizing fuel gas safety measures with those already in place for smoke and carbon monoxide detection; and

WHEREAS, HB3652 passed the Illinois House Police & Fire Committee unanimously, 13-0, under the leadership of the committee chair, Rep. Michael J. Kelly, demonstrating strong bipartisan support and recognition of its urgency; and

WHEREAS, HB3652 has further secured backing from House leadership, including Assistant Majority Leader Marcus C. Evans Jr., ensuring strategic alignment within the chamber; and

WHEREAS, Illinois' advancement of this bill mirrors efforts in Massachusetts, New York, North Carolina, and other states, moving toward a uniform national standard for natural gas detection in homes; and

WHEREAS, Organizations such as New Cosmos USA and coalition partners have highlighted the lifesaving potential of natural gas detectors, which provide low-cost, high-impact protection for families and communities, particularly in vulnerable and underserved neighborhoods; and

WHEREAS, The National Organization of Black Elected Legislative Women (NOBEL Women) supports HB3652 and urges its swift passage; therefore, be it

RESOLVED, BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE HUNDRED FOURTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we urge the swift passage of Illinois House Bill 3652 (HB3652), creating the Fuel Gas Detector and Alarm Act, as a model of community protection, leadership-driven advocacy, and bipartisan cooperation in safeguarding public health and safety.

HOUSE RESOLUTION 450

Offered by Representative Moore:

WHEREAS, Law enforcement officers are crucial to the State of Illinois and the United States of America; and

WHEREAS, There are more than 800,000 law enforcement officers currently serving in the United States; and

WHEREAS, Law enforcement officers in service of the United States risk their own lives to ensure the protection of the lives and properties of American citizens and residents; and

WHEREAS, Law enforcement officers are disciplined, passionate, and dedicated to their duties, and the majority of Americans have a high level of confidence in these officers, especially in their local communities; and

WHEREAS, As of 2021, there are more than 30,000 law enforcement officers serving in the State of Illinois, risking their lives in combating crimes and ensuring the safety of Illinoisans; and

WHEREAS, The Officer Down Memorial Page has reported more than 1,190 law enforcement line-of-duty deaths in the State of Illinois; and

WHEREAS, Law enforcement officers work tirelessly with legislators, community groups, and other relevant stakeholders to lower crime rates in the State of Illinois; and

WHEREAS, The rate of crime against law enforcement officers has become increasingly alarming; and

WHEREAS, The Federal Bureau of Investigation (FBI) reported that more than 79,000 law enforcement officers were assaulted nationwide in 2023, which is the highest officer assault rate in the past ten years; and

WHEREAS, Most officer assaults occurred when responding to simple assaults against a non-officer and narcotics violations; and

WHEREAS, The United States Bureau of Labor Statistics has consistently ranked law enforcement as one of the ten most dangerous occupations in the United States, specifically for correctional and police officers; and

WHEREAS, The high risk associated with law enforcement careers negatively impacts law enforcement officers' personal lives and their families; and

WHEREAS, Studies reveal that law enforcement officers experience depression at nearly double the rate of the general population, with 12% of police officers reporting depression compared to 6.8% by the rest of the population; and

WHEREAS, The State of Illinois reported a 65% increase in resignations and a 7% increase in the rate of retirement from law enforcement jobs from the normal average per year from 2020 to 2021; and

WHEREAS, Many police departments in the State of Illinois have reported a 40% to 70% decrease in the rate of applicants taking the entrance examination; and

WHEREAS, The State of Illinois has been ranked the third best state to be a police officer based on pay scale, favorable training requirements, and job hazards and protections; and

WHEREAS, Encouraging and supporting law enforcement officers is important in order to ensure the effective discharge of their duties in protecting the lives and properties of Illinoisans; therefore, be it

RESOLVED, BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE HUNDRED FOURTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we recognize the impacts and immense contributions of law enforcement officers in ensuring safety in the State of Illinois; and be it further

RESOLVED, That we urge the State of Illinois to support law enforcement officers by providing the training, funding, equipment, and resources required for them to effectively discharge their duties; and be it further

RESOLVED, That we urge the State of Illinois to take adequate measures to ensure the safety of law enforcement officers as they discharge their duties; and be it further

RESOLVED, That suitable copies of this resolution be delivered to the Illinois Sheriffs' Association, the Illinois Association of Chiefs of Police, and the Illinois State Police as a symbol of our esteem and respect.

HOUSE RESOLUTION 459

Offered by Representative Avelar:

WHEREAS, The education of all children, the provision of specialized services for each subgroup of students attending Illinois schools, including overcoming language barriers for English learner students, and the provision of language access services for parents with limited English proficiency should be things that the State of Illinois strives to accomplish; and

WHEREAS, Illinois statute requires the identification of English learner students, requires school districts to establish a transitional bilingual education (TBE) program when an attendance center has an enrollment of 20 or more English learners of the same language classification, and requires assessment of English learners to determine their specific programmatic needs; and

WHEREAS, The State of Illinois serves over 225,000 English learner students in its schools, accounting for more than 16% of all its students; and

WHEREAS, The majority of English learners in Illinois were born in the U.S., and all English learners are entitled to a free and appropriate public education, including services for English learners to help them overcome language barriers and participate in the educational programs offered by Illinois school districts to the same degree that non-English learner students participate; and

WHEREAS, President Donald Trump's proposed budget for FY2026 eliminates the Every Student Succeeds Act (ESSA) Title III funding, which supports educational programs for English learners' attainment of English proficiency and improvement of academic achievement; and

WHEREAS, Executive Order 14224 declared English to be the official language of the United States of America yet revoked Executive Order 13166, Improving Access to Services for Persons With Limited English Proficiency, which required all federal agencies to develop plans on how they would provide language assistance services to the populations they serve; therefore, be it

RESOLVED, BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE HUNDRED FOURTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we urge President Donald Trump to stop the actions of the administration that are impacting or eliminating educational funding, educational supports, and educational services provided to English learner students, limited English proficient parents, and the educators that serve these students; and be it further

RESOLVED, That we urge federal lawmakers to instead prioritize the maintenance and improvement of educational services for English learner students, maintain and provide for increases to ESSA Title III funding aligned with inflationary measures and other appropriate funding to support educational services for English learner students and the educators that serve them, maintain and provide for language access services for parents with limited English proficiency, and ensure the educational rights of all students guaranteed under the U.S. Constitution; and be it further

RESOLVED, That suitable copies of this resolution be delivered to the President of the United States, the U.S. Senate Majority Leader, the U.S. Senate Minority Leader, the U.S. Speaker of the House, the U.S. House of Representatives Minority Leader, and all members of the Illinois Congressional Delegation.

HOUSE RESOLUTION 466

Offered by Representative Miller:

WHEREAS, Section 14 of Article IV of the Illinois Constitution vests in the House of Representatives the sole power to impeach executive and judicial officers of the State of Illinois; and

WHEREAS, the Governor of Illinois, JB Pritzker, has engaged in conduct that, under the totality of the circumstances, constitutes inciting violence and that is incompatible with the duties of his office; and

WHEREAS, the House of Representatives is empowered under Section 14 of Article IV of the Illinois Constitution to impeach JB Pritzker, Governor of the State of Illinois; therefore, be it

RESOLVED, BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE HUNDRED FOURTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that JB Pritzker, Governor of the State of Illinois, is impeached for cause and that the following article of impeachment be exhibited to the Senate for trial as provided in the Illinois Constitution so that the Senate may do justice according to law:

ARTICLE OF IMPEACHMENT EXHIBITED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES IN THE NAME OF ITSELF AND THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS AGAINST JB PRITZKER, GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, IN MAINTENANCE OF THE IMPEACHMENT OF HIM FOR CAUSE.

ARTICLE ONE

Based on the totality of the evidence contained below, in his conduct while Governor of the State of Illinois, JB Pritzker has issued inflammatory statements that incite violence against elected officials, citizens, and persons located in the United States and has failed to uphold the constitutional requirement to faithfully execute the laws of the State of Illinois.

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(A) "Bullies respond to one thing, and one thing only, a punch in the face."

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(4) Since the issuance of the statements listed above by Governor Pritzker, the following acts of political violence against persons or organizations in the United States have occurred:

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Under the totality of the evidence, Governor JB Pritzker failed to execute his duties under the Constitution of the State of Illinois. Statements that advocate for the physical and mental harm of an individual, that compare political opponents to a violent and hateful political party from world history, and that normalize violence against another person due to political differences constitute a failure to uphold his constitutional duties.

Wherefore, the multiple statements inciting violence against elected officials, citizens, and persons located in the United States by Governor JB Pritzker warrant his impeachment and trial, removal from office as Governor, and disqualification to hold any public office of this State in the future.

HOUSE RESOLUTION 467

Offered by Representative Niemerg:

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HOUSE RESOLUTION 468

Offered by Representative Harper:

WHEREAS, The National Institutes of Health reports that an estimated 105,500 people in the United States are diagnosed with Primary Biliary Cholangitis (PBC), a rare, chronic autoimmune disease that damages the bile ducts in the liver, leading to scarring, cirrhosis, liver failure, or the need for transplantation if left untreated; and

WHEREAS, More than 130,000 Americans, including approximately 4,000 Illinois residents, are estimated to be living with PBC; women are disproportionately affected by PBC, making up 90% of cases, and are often diagnosed between the ages of 30 and 60; and

WHEREAS, While advances in treatment now enable many people with PBC to achieve a normal life expectancy, the disease continues to cause significant fatigue, itchiness, and other symptoms that severely impact quality of life; and

WHEREAS, Early detection and timely referral to specialists remain essential to effective treatment and management of PBC, yet many patients face delays in diagnosis and limited access to knowledgeable care; and

WHEREAS, The Friends of the PBC Foundation, NFP, in partnership with the international PBC Foundation and patient advocacy groups worldwide, provides education, peer support, and advocacy to ensure no one living with PBC feels alone; and

WHEREAS, The Friends of the PBC Foundation's theme for the 2025 PBC Awareness campaign, "You Are Not Alone", reflects the global commitment to building community, supporting patients, and accelerating research toward improved treatments and, ultimately, a cure for PBC; and

WHEREAS, September has been designated as PBC Awareness Month, with International PBC Day being observed on Sunday, September 14, 2025, culminating with the U.S. PBC Patient Conference being held in Chicago from September 19 through September 21, 2025; and

WHEREAS, Raising public awareness of PBC will encourage earlier diagnosis, increase understanding of the daily challenges faced by those affected, and strengthen support for research, education, and a public health registry; therefore, be it

RESOLVED, BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE HUNDRED FOURTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we declare September 2025 as Primary Biliary Cholangitis Awareness Month in the State of Illinois, and we call upon Illinois residents, health professionals, and community leaders to join in supporting education, advocacy, and solidarity for all those living with Primary Biliary Cholangitis (PBC).

HOUSE RESOLUTION 471

Offered by Representative Mussman:

WHEREAS, For over 60 years, surgical technology has grown to meet the ever-increasing demand for well-educated, highly-skilled, and versatile surgical technologists; and

WHEREAS, Surgical technologists are entrusted with the lives and well-being of patients and provide a critical service during surgical procedures; and

WHEREAS, Over 100,000 surgical technologists nationwide are an integral part of the surgical team committed to providing the highest quality of surgical care to patients; and

WHEREAS, Surgical technologists are responsible for the application of sterile and aseptic technique in the operating room, ensuring that equipment functions properly and facilitating safe and effective conduct during invasive surgical procedure; and

WHEREAS, Surgical technologists strive to prevent life-threatening surgical site infections and maximize patient safety; and

WHEREAS, Certified surgical technologists graduate from an accredited program and receive certification conferred by the National Board of Surgical Technology and Surgical Assisting based upon passage of the national examination; and

WHEREAS, The surgical technologist's motto "Aeger Primo", which means "the patient first", reflects total commitment to patient safety and advocacy; therefore, be it

RESOLVED, BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE HUNDRED FOURTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we declare the week of September 21 through September 27, 2025 as Surgical Technology Week in the State of Illinois; and be it further

RESOLVED, That we honor these dedicated healthcare professionals for their hard work and expertise in patient safety in the operating room that often goes unnoticed, and we also recognize their educators for providing them with specialized training in surgical technology.

HOUSE RESOLUTION 474

Offered by Representative Halbrook:

WHEREAS, The Bible has long been a foundational text in shaping the moral, cultural, and spiritual heritage of the State of Illinois and the United States; and

WHEREAS, On September 12, 1782, a historic milestone occurred in American history when the Continental Congress, during the American Revolutionary War, officially approved the publication of the first complete English-language Bible to be printed in America, known as the "Aitken Bible" or the "Bible of the Revolution"; and

WHEREAS, This monumental event, which took place in Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, was under the direction of a congressional committee led by James Duane and with the endorsement of the congressional chaplains, marking not only a turning point in American history but also underscoring the role of spiritual heritage in the birth of our nation; and

WHEREAS, The Aitken Bible served not only as a religious text but also as a powerful symbol of national resilience, unity, and self-governance during one of the most trying times in our country's history; and

WHEREAS, For centuries, the Bible has offered inspiration, comfort, and moral guidance to countless Americans, influencing individual lives and shaping our collective values of justice, compassion, redemption, personal responsibility, and the dignity of all human life; and

WHEREAS, Many of our greatest leaders, including Presidents George Washington and Abraham Lincoln, Reverend Dr. Martin Luther King Jr., and countless others, have drawn wisdom and strength from the pages of Scripture; and

WHEREAS, The principles found in the Bible are reflected in many aspects of life as an American and an Illinoisan, including in our laws, our charitable institutions, the values taught in our homes and schools, and the work of faith-based organizations throughout the State; and

WHEREAS, Recognizing September 12 annually as "The Day of the Bible" provides an opportunity for the people of Illinois to reflect on the enduring influence of the Bible on our shared cultural and historical identity and to reaffirm the principles of liberty, equality, and justice that form the bedrock of our State and nation; therefore, be it

RESOLVED, BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE HUNDRED FOURTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we declare September 12, 2025 as The Day of the Bible in the State of Illinois; and be it further

RESOLVED, That we encourage schools, civic institutions, churches, and community organizations throughout the State to observe this day with appropriate educational, historical, and cultural programs and activities that highlight the Bible's significance in the past, present, and future of our State and nation.

HOUSE RESOLUTION 475

Offered by Representative Hernandez, Barbara:

WHEREAS, Hispanic Heritage Month, recognized from September 15 through October 15, is an annual celebration of the history and culture of the U.S. Latino and Hispanic communities, and it is a commemoration of how those communities have influenced and contributed to American society; and

WHEREAS, The origins of Hispanic Heritage Month date back to California in the 1960s, where Latino and Hispanic residents joined in multiple societal movements, including the civil rights movement and the farm worker protection movement; and

WHEREAS, The observance of Hispanic Heritage Month begins on September 15 to coincide with the independence days of several Latin American countries, including Costa Rica, El Salvador, Guatemala, Honduras, Nicaragua, Mexico, which falls on September 16, and Chile, which falls on September 18; and

WHEREAS, Each year, Americans observe National Hispanic Heritage Month by celebrating the histories, cultures, and contributions of past generations of Hispanics who came from all over the world, including Mexico, the Caribbean, Central America, South America, and Spain; and

WHEREAS, Throughout our nation's history, Hispanic Americans have significantly shaped our national and state identities time and time again by advancing the principles of freedom and representative government through the efforts of leaders, including Cesar Chavez and Dolores Huerta who advocated for labor rights, and countless trailblazers, including astronaut Ellen Ochoa with her historic space travel, Justice Sonia Sotomayor with her appointment to the U.S. Supreme Court, and Hispanic citizens who lead in public office, business, community roles, the arts, agricultural fields, and faith-based work; and

WHEREAS, Hispanic Heritage Month fosters ethnic pride and enhances the profile of cultural diversity, strengthening the fabric of the communities of the great State of Illinois; and

WHEREAS, Illinois is proud to be home to a vibrant Hispanic and Latin American community, including families who have lived here for generations as well as recent arrivals, who make up approximately 19% of the population and continue to shape the State's identity through their contributions to local businesses, the arts, education, public life, and cultural traditions and events that unify communities across the diaspora and celebrate the richness of their collective heritage; and

WHEREAS, The Hispanic community has contributed significantly to the State's economy, culture, and civic life, including over \$100 billion in annual economic impact; and

WHEREAS, Latinos are the largest and fastest-growing ethnic minority in our nation, and Hispanic multiculturalism, diversity, and leadership in this State have contributed to a stronger, healthier, and more just Illinois; and

WHEREAS, The contribution of Hispanic and Latino Americans in Illinois expands past their economic impact to include their rich history of tradition, family values, and community, which keeps them centered; and

WHEREAS, Honoring the rich contributions of Hispanic and Latino communities includes fighting for the health, dignity, and well-being of our communities; and

WHEREAS, Hispanics and Latinos in the United States have the highest uninsured rate of any racial or ethnic group and express greater concern about deportations compared to other communities; and

WHEREAS, More than six million Latinas live in 26 states that have banned or are likely to ban abortion, and more than half of these Latinas are already disproportionately impacted by economic insecurity; and

WHEREAS, Women, especially Latinas in the United States, are being put in danger by the latest violent attacks on women by masked U.S. Immigration and Customs Enforcement (ICE) officers and those who are using this moment to impersonate immigration enforcement officers under this administration; and

WHEREAS, These compounding inequities disproportionately affect women and children in mixed-status households, undermining their well-being and long-term development; and

WHEREAS, Reproductive justice affirms that everyone has the right to make decisions about their own bodies, including the ability to parent in safe and healthy communities free from fear of raids, prisons, or surveillance, and that access to health care is a fundamental human right, regardless of documentation status; and

WHEREAS, The right to family unity, bodily autonomy, and universal healthcare is protected under various international human rights treaties, and any violations of these rights de facto weaken our power on the global stage; and

WHEREAS, Latin American countries have made significant progress on guaranteeing universal healthcare access, securing rights to abortion access, and protecting children's rights due to their deeply-held cultural values of caring for the life and the dignity of their people; and

WHEREAS, Our State greatly benefits from the deeply-held cultural values of family and dignity embedded in our Hispanic and Latino communities; and

WHEREAS, It is important to highlight these realities in order to recognize and uphold the critical importance of inclusive, humane health and immigration policies that honor the resilience and contributions of Hispanic communities to our nation's social and economic fabric; and

WHEREAS, It is imperative for the State of Illinois to uphold the critical and important message of promoting inclusion, honoring multicultural heritage, and acknowledging the contributions of all communities to its progress and identity; and

WHEREAS, Hispanic Heritage Month facilitates a meaningful opportunity to educate the public, engage in dialogue, and foster pride, unity, and understanding across all communities in Illinois; therefore, be it

RESOLVED, BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE HUNDRED FOURTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we declare September 15, 2025 through October 15, 2025 as Hispanic Heritage Month in the State of Illinois; and be it further

RESOLVED, That we encourage all residents to participate in activities, ceremonies, and educational programs that honor the achievements and contributions of Hispanic and Latino Americans.

HOUSE RESOLUTION 479

Offered by Representative Mason:

WHEREAS, The Great Lakes are the largest chain of freshwater lakes in the world; and

WHEREAS, Canada's Great Lakes Waterfront Trail stretches from Lake Superior to the St. Lawrence River at the Ontario-Québec border, more than 2,250 miles, and is a greenway route of interconnecting roads and off-road trails, joining more than 150 communities, including Indigenous nations; and

WHEREAS, There are currently three established or soon-to-be established pedestrian and/or bicycling international crossings; and

WHEREAS, The National Park Service Rivers, Trails, and Conservation Assistance program is currently mapping a potential route for a recreation trail along the Great Lakes in all eight states; and

WHEREAS, Recreation trails connect people with nature, improve public health, and foster economic activity; and

WHEREAS, The State of Illinois currently has trail access along its 63 miles of Lake Michigan shoreline, including sections of the American Discovery Trail, the Lake Front Path, the Green Bay Trail, and the McClory Trail; and

WHEREAS, A 2019 study performed for the Friends of the Chicago River found that establishing a blue/green corridor, waterfront lands that provide people with a place to play, allow for the natural movement of wildlife, and include open space to absorb and filter rainwater, along the Chicago River would create over \$192 million in total economic benefits annually over a 15-year timespan and support over 1,614 full-time equivalent jobs annually; therefore, be it

RESOLVED, BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE HUNDRED FOURTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we support the work being done towards the creation of the U.S. Great Lakes Waterfront Trail; and be it further

RESOLVED, That we urge Illinois state agencies to continue to coordinate with other states on a shared identity for this regional trail.

HOUSE RESOLUTION 487

Offered by Representative Syed:

WHEREAS, Genetic counselors empower patients and their families with vital healthcare information, guidance, and emotional support to help them understand their family history, evaluate genetic testing options, and make informed choices based on test results; and

WHEREAS, There are over 150 certified genetic counselors in Illinois working in prenatal, fertility, pediatrics, metabolic, cardiovascular, neurology, and cancer care; and

WHEREAS, Many people benefit from increased genetic sequencing research and genetic counseling, including anyone with a condition linked to a specific gene or anyone who has a family history of an inherited disease; and

WHEREAS, The 5,000 genetic counselors across the country streamline the healthcare industry by ensuring the right tests are being ordered, avoiding costly and unnecessary costs and tests, by helping patients and providers understand complex test results and how to best use this information, by helping consult with potential parents on the intimidating potential of passing on inherited diseases, by sharing information with family members, and by providing recommendations for community support services; therefore, be it

RESOLVED, BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE HUNDRED FOURTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we declare November 13, 2025 as Genetic Counselor Appreciation Day in the State of Illinois; and be it further

RESOLVED, That we recognize that the sequencing of the human genome is one of the most significant scientific accomplishments of the past hundred years and express our support for genetic counselors, who are using this research to improve the lives of many throughout the State.

HOUSE RESOLUTION 490

Offered by Representative Du Buclet:

WHEREAS, Lewis E. Isbell was born into slavery in Floyd County, Kentucky on March 17, 1819, was emancipated in 1825, and was an early settler in Edgar County, where he lived from 1825 until 1838; and

WHEREAS, Lewis Isbell traveled to Chicago in 1838 as an early pioneer and was one of the first Black residents after Jean Baptiste du Sable; he became the second barber in the city, establishing what he said was "the biggest and the best" in Chicago; and

WHEREAS, Becoming a prominent barber in Chicago, Lewis Isbell operated his shop at the prestigious Sherman House Hotel for 25 years, shaving many prominent men throughout his career, including Presidents Abraham Lincoln and Ulysses S. Grant, United States Senator Stephen Douglas, and Chicago Mayors William B. Ogden, John Wentworth, and John P. Hopkins; and

WHEREAS, Lewis Isbell continued his trade as the "Dean of Chicago Barbers" for well over 50 years and was recognized by the American Barbers Association; and

WHEREAS, Lewis Isbell would try his success at other passions of his as well, becoming a photographer, community leader, and later owning a dining room; and

WHEREAS, On July 4, 1847, Lewis Isbell gained extensive notoriety for his victory in a three-way foot race at Merrick's Racetrack between a Native American, a man on horseback, and himself; and

WHEREAS, Lewis Isbell joined the American Anti-Slavery Society in 1839 and quickly became a force in assisting freedom seekers, fighting for the abolition of slavery, the repeal of Illinois' Black Laws, and broad Black equality, later representing Cook County at the 1850, 1853, and 1856 Illinois "Colored Conventions"; and

WHEREAS, A member, conductor, and one of the leaders of the Chicago Underground Railroad, Lewis Isbell used his extensive networks and ties to prominent businessmen to successfully transport nearly 1,000 freedom seekers through Chicago and onto Canada; and

WHEREAS, Lewis Isbell was nearly killed by a slave hunter in 1857 after refusing to disclose the location of freedom seekers in Chicago, leading the slaver to draw his revolver and fire four shots, all of which missed; and

WHEREAS, In 1863, upon the personal recommendation of Chicago Tribune owner Joseph Medill and then-Governor Richard Yates, Lewis Isbell was commissioned by Secretary of War Edwin Stanton to serve as a general recruiting officer of "colored troops" in Illinois and Wisconsin during the Civil War, ultimately recruiting for the 29th Regiment; and

WHEREAS, Hailed as a "great unknown Chicagoan", Lewis Isbell died in Chicago on October 13, 1905 and was buried in a still-unmarked grave at Mount Olivet Catholic Cemetery; therefore, be it

RESOLVED, BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE HUNDRED FOURTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we declare October 13, 2025 as Lewis Isbell Day in the State of Illinois.

HOUSE RESOLUTION 491

Offered by Representative DeLuca:

WHEREAS, Michael Jordan is a celebrated global cultural icon who received his start as a professional National Basketball Association (NBA) player for the Chicago Bulls basketball team; during his 15 season career with the NBA, he became a beloved figure for his incredible athleticism, dedication, and contribution to his community; and

WHEREAS, Michael Jordan had many notable accomplishments and made many notable contributions; during his Chicago NBA career, he was a six-time NBA champion, a six-time NBA Finals MVP, a five-time NBA Most Valuable Player, a 14-time NBA All-Star, a 11-time All-NBA selection, a three-time NBA All-Star game MVP, and Defensive Player of the Year; on the national stage, he was awarded the 2016 Presidential Medal of Freedom and named the Chief Wish Ambassador by the Make-A-Wish Foundation in 2008, granting his 200th wish to the foundation in 2013; and

WHEREAS, Michael Jordan was born in Brooklyn, New York on February 17, 1963; he was raised in Wilmington, North Carolina, the fourth child of Deloris and James Jordan Sr.; he loved baseball and

football but was destined to rule the basketball courts; he rigorously trained to earn a spot on the high school varsity team, becoming a star player who was selected for the 1981 McDonald's All-American Game; learning early in life to build a strong work ethic and dedication to the game, he paved the way for future greatness; and

WHEREAS, Michael Jordan was named ACC Freshman of the Year (1981-1982) while attending the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill and made the winning shot for the 1982 NCAA Championship game against Georgetown; he entered the NBA draft after his third year as a Tar Heel, and in 1984, he was selected by the Chicago Bulls, where he earned many accolades; and

WHEREAS, Michael Jordan is especially world-renowned for his athleticism, business acumen, and courtside charm; therefore, be it

RESOLVED, BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE HUNDRED FOURTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we declare June 23, 2026 as Michael Jordan Day in the State of Illinois to honor his legacy and serve as a reminder of the impact he had on the State and as a lasting symbol of his achievements and contributions in inspiring generations of fans and athletes alike; and be it further

RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be presented to Michael Jordan as a symbol of our respect and esteem.

HOUSE RESOLUTION 493

Offered by Representative Mason:

WHEREAS, October 8, 1895 marked the founding of One Hope United (OHU), the social service non-profit that is headquartered in Chicago but whose good works extend across the United States; and

WHEREAS, OHU strives every day to fulfill its mission of increasing opportunities for children and families by providing quality solutions that enhance lives, communities, and futures; and

WHEREAS, In furtherance of this mission, OHU provides behavioral health, community-based family services, such as foster care and adoption, and early learning and child development services throughout the city; and

WHEREAS, In total, OHU serves over 10,000 children and families each year with its evidence-based and trauma-informed practices, behavior health resources, and residential programs; and

WHEREAS, OHU operates with the vision of "For Every Child and Family, Life Without Limits"; therefore, be it

RESOLVED, BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE HUNDRED FOURTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we declare October 8, 2025 and October 8, 2026 as One Hope United Day in the State of Illinois; and be it further

RESOLVED, That we congratulate One Hope United on its 130th anniversary; and be it further

RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be presented to One Hope United as a sign of our respect and esteem.

HOUSE RESOLUTION 494

Offered by Representative Davidsmeyer:

WHEREAS, Recent instances of political violence have been witnessed across the United States, and all forms of political violence can result in tragedies from such violence, as have been reported; and

WHEREAS, On June 8, 2022, Supreme Court Justice Brett Kavanaugh was the target of an assassination attempt at his home in Maryland over the decision to overturn Roe. V Wade; and

WHEREAS, On October 28, 2022, Paul Pelosi was struck on the head with a hammer at his home in California in an attack that was intended for his wife, Nancy Pelosi, who was the U.S. Speaker of the House at the time; and

WHEREAS, On July 13, 2024, President Donald Trump survived an attempted assassination at a political rally in Pennsylvania, during which supporter Corey Comperatore was killed; President Trump would later be targeted in a second assassination attempt in Florida; and

WHEREAS, On December 4, 2024, UnitedHealthcare CEO Brian Thompson was assassinated in New York City by a young man radicalized by his disdain for the health insurance industry; and

WHEREAS, On April 13, 2025, Pennsylvania Governor Josh Shapiro was the victim of an arson attack in which his residence was set on fire in the middle of the night, forcing him and his family to evacuate; and

WHEREAS, On May 21, 2025, two Israeli embassy staff members, Yaron Lischinsky and Sarah Milgrim, were assassinated by a member of the Free Gaza movement as a political reaction to the war in Gaza; and

WHEREAS, On June 14, 2025, Speaker of the Minnesota House of Representatives Melissa Hortman and her husband were assassinated in their home by a politically motivated attacker, and the same shooter wounded Minnesota State Senator John Hoffman and his wife and daughter; and

WHEREAS, On June 19, 2025, United States Representative of Ohio Max Miller and his family were victims of an antisemitic and politically motivated road rage event; and

WHEREAS, Several ICE facilities have come under attack in recent months; one such incident saw two detainees at a facility in Dallas shot and killed by a sniper who had the message "Anti-Ice" engraved on one of his bullets; and

WHEREAS, On September 10, 2025, activist Charlie Kirk was assassinated while hosting one of his signature Prove me Wrong debates at Utah Valley University as part of his college campus tour to promote free speech and civilized discourse; and

WHEREAS, Illinois Governor JB Pritzker has seen a dramatic increase in the threats made against himself and his family, including previously being the subject of a stalker and threats and damages to his Chicago residence; therefore, be it

RESOLVED, BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE HUNDRED FOURTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we condemn political violence and encourage the people of Illinois and the United States to engage in civil, respectful, and bipartisan political discussion and behavior.

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION 42

Offered by Representative Davidsmeyer:

WHEREAS, It is highly fitting that the Illinois General Assembly pays honor and respect to individuals who have given their lives in service to their communities; and

WHEREAS, The Illinois State Police has proudly served the citizens of Illinois since 1922, and its dedication to public safety has saved countless lives and has enriched the State of Illinois; and

WHEREAS, On November 27, 1972, Special Agent Pete Earl Lackey of Winchester was killed in the line of duty on his way to work in Springfield, where he was scheduled to testify at a drug trial that morning; and

WHEREAS, Special Agent Lackey, while driving toward Springfield, was spotted by the defendant in the case, who in turn rammed his car into the rear of the agent's automobile; when Special Agent Lackey pulled over to the shoulder of the road, the attacker jumped through the passenger side window with a large hunting knife in his hand and attacked the agent while he attempted to reach for his service weapon; and

WHEREAS, The defendant was later arrested and brought to trial in Decatur but was acquitted; in 1981, he admitted his crime in an interview with a reporter from Springfield's State Journal-Register; and

WHEREAS, Special Agent Lackey had served with the Illinois Bureau of Investigation (IBI) for two years; prior to serving with the IBI, he had been a physical education teacher and coach at Winchester High School; and

WHEREAS, Special Agent Lackey was survived by his wife and two children; and

WHEREAS, Special Agent Lackey's service and sacrifice should never be forgotten; therefore, be it

RESOLVED, BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE HUNDRED FOURTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, THE SENATE CONCURRING HEREIN, that we designate Old U.S. Route 36 from Jacksonville to Alexander as the "Special Agent Pete Lackey Memorial Highway"; and be it further

RESOLVED, That the Illinois Department of Transportation is requested to erect at suitable locations, consistent with State and federal regulations, appropriate plaques or signs giving notice of the name "Special Agent Pete Lackey Memorial Highway"; and be it further

RESOLVED, That suitable copies of this resolution be presented to the surviving family members of Special Agent Pete Earl Lackey, the Illinois State Police, and the Secretary of the Illinois Department of Transportation.

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION 44

Offered by Representative Faver Dias:

WHEREAS, Community Integrated Living Arrangements (CILAs), or group homes, provide community-based housing and essential support for nearly 10,336 adults with intellectual and developmental disabilities (I/DD) across Illinois, many of whom require extensive supervision and care; and

WHEREAS, The State of Illinois is under the Ligas Consent Decree, requiring expanded access to community-based services for individuals with I/DD, and has repeatedly been found out of compliance; and

WHEREAS, The Illinois Department of Human Services-Division of Developmental Disabilities (DHS-DDD) Guidehouse Rate Study, published in 2020, outlined several I/DD rate changes based on approved recommendations by the Ligas Rates Oversight Committee; from 2021 to 2025, DHS has implemented portions of the rate study, and the General Assembly has made significant investments into the I/DD community system; and

WHEREAS, Beginning January 1, 2026, the final FY26 budget for the State of Illinois eliminates \$11.2 million in funding for CILA providers, reducing services for all 24-hour CILA residents, thereby threatening care quality and compliance with federal home and community-based services regulations; and

WHEREAS, Removing this funding from the I/DD system is a piecemeal approach that does not consider the wholistic funding needs presented in the DHS-DDD Guidehouse Rate Study that exist as result of the Ligas Consent Decree; and

WHEREAS, Cuts to CILA Direct Support Professional (DSP) service hours will result in reductions in services for people with I/DD, particularly those with the most intense needs, resulting in high levels of system destabilization and service degradation over the long term; and

WHEREAS, Some crucial priorities contained within the DHS-DDD Guidehouse Rate Study remain fully unfunded such as the "Zero Hour" Staffing Model, which funds staff for 24 hours a day, seven days a week and would add 2.4 million DSP service hours into the system; and

WHEREAS, Removing CILA DSP Service hours from the State's I/DD system as is contained within the FY26 final budget, only to reinsert CILA DSP Service Hours associated with implementation of the "Zero Hour" Staffing Model at a future date, is budgetarily inefficient and unhealthy for system stability; and

WHEREAS, Significant cuts to Medicaid and other federal programs that provide care to thousands in Illinois in the I/DD community have created great uncertainty for individuals, families, providers, lawmakers, and advocates, and more time is needed to fully understand and plan for those impacts on I/DD services; therefore, be it

RESOLVED, BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE HUNDRED FOURTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, THE SENATE CONCURRING HEREIN, that we urge the Illinois Department of Human Services and the Pritzker Administration to delay cuts to Direct Service Professional (DSP) service hours set to begin January 1, 2026, until such time as the State is prepared to implement the "Zero Hour" Staffing Model, to protect the services depended on by individuals with intellectual and developmental disabilities (I/DD); and be it further

RESOLVED, That suitable copies of this resolution be delivered to the Governor, the Speaker and Minority Leader of the Illinois House of Representatives, the President and Minority Leader of the Illinois Senate, and the Illinois Department of Human Services-Division of Developmental Disabilities.

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION 45

Offered by Representative DeLuca:

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WHEREAS, Michael Jordan is especially world-renowned for his athleticism, business acumen, and courtside charm; therefore, be it

RESOLVED, BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE HUNDRED FOURTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, THE SENATE CONCURRING HEREIN, that we designate Warren Boulevard in Chicago from Western Avenue to Ashland Avenue named as "Michael Jordan Way"; and be it further

RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be presented to Michael Jordan as a symbol of our respect and esteem.

At the hour of 2:07 o'clock p.m., the House Perfunctory Session adjourned.