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1 HOUSE RESOLUTION

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Illinois House 2 WHEREAS, The members of the of 3 Representatives wish to congratulate Alice Green of Okawville 4 for being awarded the Devotion to Community Award from the West 5 Washington County Progress Initiative; and 6 WHEREAS, Alice Green married Richard Green on January 16, 7 1965; they had three children, Donna, Duane, and the late 8 Sandra, and now have seven grandchildren, Andrew, Justin, 9 Chelsea, Thomas, Lucas, Jordan, and Garret, and one 10 great-grandchild, Brantlee; and WHEREAS, Alice Green and Rich have devoted much of their 11 12 free time to the Heritage House Museum Association, which they 13 helped found in 1982; and 14 WHEREAS, The Heritage House Museum Association has been 15 able to purchase and preserve several different historical 16 homes to serve as a sense of pride for the community and as an attraction for tourists; and 17 18 WHEREAS, Alice Green has served numerous terms on the 19 Heritage House Museum Board; and

WHEREAS, Alice Green helped to create the Heritage Days

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- 1 celebration, a two-day event that generates revenue to operate
- 2 and preserve the historical homes operated by the Heritage
- 3 House Museum Association; and
- 4 WHEREAS, Alice Green and Rich help to design and construct
- 5 the Heritage House float for the Okawville Fair and Wheat
- 6 Festival; and
- 7 WHEREAS, Alice Green has helped garner interest among
- 8 Okawville residents in opening their homes for the Christmas
- 9 House tour which benefits the museum association; and
- 10 WHEREAS, Alice Green has owned and operated her own
- 11 decorating business, Greens Decorating, in Okawville since
- 12 1986; and
- 13 WHEREAS, After years of community service and running her
- own business, Alice Green has started working part-time to have
- more time at home on her farm and with family; therefore, be it
- 16 RESOLVED, BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE
- 17 HUNDRED FIRST GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that
- 18 we congratulate and honor Alice Green for her years of
- 19 community service reflected in her nomination for the Devotion
- 20 to Community Award; and be it further

- 1 RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be
- 2 presented to Alice Green and her family as an expression of our
- 3 esteem and respect.