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HOUSE RESOLUTION

2 WHEREAS, The members of the Illinois House of
3 Representatives wish to congratulate Illinois State
4 Representative Darlene Senger of Naperville on her
5 distinguished service to the people of the State of Illinois;
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7 WHEREAS, Representative Senger has been a member of the
8 Illinois House of Representatives since 2009 and has served
9 this body with honor and distinction; and

10 WHEREAS, Representative Senger grew up in a blue-collar
11 household in Hammond, Indiana, where she was instilled with the
12 values of hard work, honesty, and integrity; and

13 WHEREAS, Representative Senger worked her way through
14 Purdue University, earning a Bachelor's Degree in Finance
15 before earning her Master of Business Administration in Finance
16 from DePaul University; and

17 WHEREAS, Representative Senger is the proud mother of 2
18 children, Eric and Michelle; and

19 WHEREAS, Prior to joining the General Assembly,
20 Representative Senger enjoyed a successful career in the

1 private sector as a licensed Financial and Investment Advisor;
2 and

3 WHEREAS, Representative Senger was elected to the
4 Naperville City Council in 2002, serving until December of
5 2008; while there, she worked to reduce property tax rates,
6 improve the city's infrastructure, and enhance the community's
7 public safety network; and

8 WHEREAS, Since she was first elected to the Illinois House
9 of Representatives in 2008, Representative Senger has been
10 recognized for her leadership on working to reform the State's
11 public pension system as Republican Spokesperson on the House
12 Personnel & Pensions Committee and as a leader on the Pension
13 Conference Committee; and

14 WHEREAS, Representative Senger has also served as
15 Republican Spokesperson for the Appropriations-General
16 Services Committee and as a member of the
17 Appropriations-Elementary & Secondary Education, Insurance,
18 Business Growth & Incentives, and Financial Institutions
19 Committees; and

20 WHEREAS, Representative Senger has worked on a bipartisan
21 basis to find solutions to the State's most complex challenges,
22 including education funding, property tax relief, fiscal

1 reform, and common sense measures to keep law enforcement
2 officials ahead of the technological curve; and

3 WHEREAS, Representative Senger has been honored by dozens
4 of organizations in recognition of her outstanding service in
5 the General Assembly, including the Illinois Chamber of
6 Commerce and Illinois Farm Bureau, among many others; and

7 WHEREAS, Representative Senger has made immeasurable
8 contributions to the public good through her extensive civic
9 and volunteer involvement, including service on the Board of
10 Directors for the DuPage Children's Museum, striving to
11 transform the learning landscape for young children and the
12 important adults in their lives; the Board of Directors for
13 Giant Steps, a Lisle-based organization focused on serving
14 children and families affected by autism spectrum disorders;
15 and as a proud member of the Rotary Club of Naperville, an
16 organization that promotes service, high ethical standards,
17 and peace; therefore, be it

18 RESOLVED, BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE
19 NINETY-EIGHTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that
20 we wish Representative Darlene Senger all the best in her
21 future endeavors and congratulate her on a distinguished career
22 as a member of the General Assembly; and be it further

1 RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be
2 presented to Representative Senger as an expression of our
3 esteem and respect for our colleague and friend.