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1 HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION

2 WHEREAS, It is highly fitting that the Illinois General
3 Assembly recognizes the accomplishments and contributions made
4 by exceptional citizens of the State of Illinois; and

5 WHEREAS, Beverly Sussman moved to Buffalo Grove in 1971
6 with her husband, Marty, and became an active member of the
7 community, serving on the Rick Kahen Commission for Residents
8 with Disabilities and Buffalo Grove's 50th Anniversary
9 Committee; and

10 WHEREAS, Beverly Sussman devoted 25 years to teaching
11 middle school science in Kildeer Countryside School District
12 96, where she educated and mentored generations of Buffalo
13 Grove students; and

14 WHEREAS, Beverly Sussman was honored in 1993 by the Golden
15 Apple Foundation for demonstrated excellence as an educator
16 and in 1995 by President Bill Clinton with the Presidential
17 Award for Excellence in Science in Grades K-12; and

18 WHEREAS, Beverly Sussman was elected to the Buffalo Grove
19 Village Board in 2009 and served as a village trustee for six
20 years with dedication and integrity; and

1 WHEREAS, Beverly Sussman was elected Buffalo Grove Village
2 President in 2015 and served two terms until her retirement in
3 2023, providing steady leadership during a period of
4 significant growth and redevelopment; and

5 WHEREAS, Beverly Sussman's lifelong commitment to
6 education, civic engagement, and public service left a unique
7 lasting impact on the Village of Buffalo Grove and its
8 residents; therefore, be it

9 RESOLVED, BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE
10 HUNDRED FOURTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, THE
11 SENATE CONCURRING HEREIN, that we designate the portion of
12 Illinois Route 83 from Arlington Heights Road to Deerfield
13 Parkway in Buffalo Grove as "Beverly Sussman Way"; and be it
14 further

15 RESOLVED, That the Illinois Department of Transportation
16 is requested to erect, at appropriate locations and consistent
17 with State and federal law, suitable plaques or signs giving
18 notice of the name "Beverly Sussman Way"; and be it further

19 RESOLVED, That suitable copies of this resolution be
20 presented to the family of Beverly Sussman, the Buffalo Grove
21 Village President, and the Secretary of the Illinois
22 Department of Transportation.