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HOUSE RESOLUTION

2 WHEREAS, The members of the Illinois House of 3 Representatives wish to recognize Zeigler-Royalton Coaches vs. 4 Cancer for their exceptional work in raising money to fight 5 cancer; and

6 WHEREAS, Coaches vs. Cancer is a joint program between the 7 American Cancer Society and the National Association of 8 Basketball Coaches; goals for the Coaches vs. Cancer program 9 include funding research and patient services, raising 10 awareness of risk factors, highlighting the efforts of the 11 schools that participate, and encouraging students to embark on 12 a lifetime of service to their communities; and

13 WHEREAS, Zeigler-Royalton Coaches vs. Cancer was first 14 organized during the 2009-10 school year; and

15 WHEREAS, In the eight years of participation by Zeigler-Royalton High School, Coaches vs. Cancer has raised 16 over \$110,000; it has led the State of Illinois in funds raised 17 18 every year in which they have participated; in the most recent 19 year, Zeigler-Royalton High School was seventh in the entire nation for funds raised, an amazing feat for such a small 20 21 school; and

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1 WHEREAS, The success of Zeigler-Royalton Coaches vs.
2 Cancer has been recognized by the Southern Illinoisan, the
3 Peoria Journal Star, and numerous other papers; WSIL-TV 3 has
4 done several features, and WSIU and KFVS have also provided
5 coverage; therefore, be it

6 RESOLVED, BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE 7 HUNDREDTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we 8 recognize Zeigler-Royalton Coaches vs. Cancer for their 9 exceptional work in raising money to fight cancer; and be it 10 further

11 RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be 12 presented to Zeigler-Royalton High School as an expression of 13 our esteem and respect.