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1           HOUSE RESOLUTION

2           WHEREAS, The members of the Illinois House of
3   Representatives wish to congratulate the Oakton Community
4   College baseball team, the Owls, on winning the 2018 National
5   Junior College Athletic Association (NJCAA) Division III World
6   Series on June 1, 2018; and

7           WHEREAS, The Owls made their first trip to the NJCAA
8   Division III World Series in Greenville, Tennessee and defeated
9   the four-time defending champions, Tyler Junior College
10  (Texas); and

11          WHEREAS, The Owls came out on top in a thrilling 13-inning
12  contest by a score of 14 to 11; and

13          WHEREAS, The Owls compiled a season record of 44 wins and
14  17 losses on their path to the championship; and

15          WHEREAS, The Owls are coached by Head Coach Bill Fratto;
16  the assistant head coach is John Guarnaccia; the pitching coach
17  is Lars Ligouri; the hitting coach is Michael Scala; the
18  assistant coaches are Max Reising, Ryan Tuntland, and Andrew
19  Korosic; and

20          WHEREAS, The Owls are Timo Schau, Jeff Mustari, Nico

1   Torres, Christopher Broccolino, Tommy Corlett, Brian Mackey,

2   Jack Splett, Anthony Kollintzas, Gianfranco Sorrentino,

3   Jackson Fischer, Trevor Heinlein, Marco Romero, Luis Savigne,

4   Sam Kindle, Russell Langan, Baily Egan, John McHugh, Kyle

5   Macrae, Victor Pimentel, Sawyer Price, Pablo Custodio, Lucas

6   Karz, Giancarlo Cheesman, Joe Sullivan, Dan Sullivan, Jose Vera

7   Sanchez, Ryne Weiderer, Miles Porter, Chase Pearce, Kevin

8   Capote, Tommy Gertner, Brendon Knopp, and Alexander Crinigan;

9   therefore, be it

10      RESOLVED, BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE

11  HUNDREDTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we

12  congratulate the Oakton Community College baseball team, the

13  Owls, on winning the 2018 National Junior College Athletic

14  Association Division III World Series; and be it further

15      RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be

16  presented to the Owls as a symbol of our respect and esteem.