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HOUSE RESOLUTION

2 WHEREAS, The members of the Illinois House of
3 Representatives wish to congratulate the American Institute of
4 Architects of Illinois on the occasion of its 75th
5 anniversary; and

6 WHEREAS, The American Institute of Architects of Illinois,
7 as the state component of the national American Institute of
8 Architects, was established on October 29, 1946; and

9 WHEREAS, AIA Illinois, located in Springfield, represents
10 over 4,200 architects working to build livable, equitable, and
11 sustainable communities from Cairo to Chicago; the
12 organization is guided by duty and honor to serve its members,
13 their clients, and our communities at large; its practicing
14 architects consider the health, safety, and welfare of the
15 public as impacted by the built environment as their first
16 priorities; and

17 WHEREAS, AIA Illinois, as the voice of the architecture
18 profession in Illinois, provides a nonpartisan perspective to
19 assist in the development of partnerships and public policy
20 while recognizing the diversity of communities and interests
21 within the State in order to seek common ground to both achieve
22 better, safer communities and maximize public investments; and

1 WHEREAS, AIA Illinois' guidance has resulted in the
2 strengthening of the State's Architecture Practice Act,
3 enacted in 1897 and the first of its kind in the United States,
4 which remains a model for practice regulations today; and

5 WHEREAS, AIA Illinois presented 200 Great Places in
6 Illinois to commemorate the bicentennial of Illinois'
7 statehood in 2018, which were selected by an esteemed
8 state-wide committee of architects, local officials, and
9 partner organizations to showcase the best of Illinois
10 architecture; and

11 WHEREAS, Through AIA Illinois, the State's architectural
12 legacy continues to grow and expand as its member architects
13 across the State provide livable solutions for the way
14 citizens live today; therefore, be it

15 RESOLVED, BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE
16 HUNDRED SECOND GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that
17 we congratulate the American Institute of Architects of
18 Illinois on the occasion of its 75th anniversary and wish for
19 its continued success; and be it further

20 RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be
21 presented to AIA Illinois as an expression of our esteem and

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1 respect.