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HOUSE RESOLUTION

2 WHEREAS, The members of the Illinois House of
3 Representatives wish to recognize the actions of Emergency
4 Medical Service (EMS) workers, law enforcement, and line
5 workers in response to the deadly tornado that struck Crawford
6 County on March 31, 2023; and

7 WHEREAS, On the evening of March 31, 2023, an EF-3 tornado
8 struck Crawford County, killing three people and injuring
9 eight as the tornado crossed an area near Robinson; and

10 WHEREAS, The tornado split the telecommunications building
11 at Lincoln Trail College in half and hit Crawford County
12 Airport directly, throwing airplanes across nearby cropland;
13 and

14 WHEREAS, The tornado additionally destroyed at least 25
15 homes and damaged up to 50 more; and

16 WHEREAS, The fast responses of EMS workers, law
17 enforcement, and line workers saved lives and restored
18 critical services to the community under challenging
19 circumstances; therefore, be it

20 RESOLVED, BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE

1 HUNDRED THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that
2 we recognize the actions of Emergency Medical Service (EMS)
3 workers, law enforcement, and line workers in response to the
4 deadly tornado that struck Crawford County on March 31, 2023;
5 and be it further

6 RESOLVED, That suitable copies of this resolution be
7 delivered to the Crawford County Emergency Management Agency,
8 the Crawford County Board, and the Mayor of Robinson.