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1 HOUSE RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, Dick Shockey, a longtime Danville Area Community

College (DACC) administrator, will retire May 1, 2005, as

vice-president of finance and administration; and

WHEREAS, He taught and coached in Iowa after graduating from college and was a superintendent before going to a community college in Rhinelander, Wisconsin; he was at Rhinelander four years before coming to DACC; and

WHEREAS, He is known for his years of service as director of the NJCAA Division II Men's Basketball Tournament, but he has been instrumental in many developments on the eastside Danville campus; although he will retire from DACC, he will continue as tournament director; and

WHEREAS, Many of the accomplishments that have occurred in the past 16 years at DACC have been a result of his leadership and involvement; he has been responsible for the finances, facilities, administrative computers, bookstore, campus service, and athletics during his tenure at DACC; and

WHEREAS, Probably his biggest challenge has been the NJCAA tournament; in 1993, the tournament moved to Danville and he has been the tournament director ever since; the community continues to be very supportive of the tournament; therefore, be it

RESOLVED, BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE NINETY-FOURTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we express our sincere appreciation to Dick Shockey for his exemplary service to the Danville Area Community College, and extend to him our best wishes as he continues on as the NJCAA tournament director; and be it further

- 1 RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be
- 2 presented to Dick Shockey as an expression of our esteem.