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HOUSE RESOLUTION

2           WHEREAS, February is AMBUCS National Visibility Month;  
3           AMBUCS is a national service organization composed of a diverse  
4           group of men and women dedicated to creating mobility and  
5           independence for people with disabilities; and

6           WHEREAS, The AMBUCS Chapter in Danville has an active  
7           membership of over 100 people, working together to sponsor the  
8           Summer Sounds Concerts along with Downtown Danville, Inc., the  
9           AMBUCS Home and Business Expo, the First Citizen's Award, a two  
10          week summer camp for children with disabilities, and dances for  
11          adults with disabilities; and

12          WHEREAS, In addition, AMBUCS in Danville sponsors the  
13          Challenger Baseball League and the Lose the Training Wheels  
14          Program; AMBUCS in Danville provides scholarships for students  
15          going into a therapy related field; and they sponsor The  
16          Danville Advocates, a Danville High School program where  
17          students provide assistance and activities for their fellow  
18          students with disabilities; and

19          WHEREAS, The Danville Chapter has partnered with the City  
20          of Danville to build Playground for Everyone at Winter Park and  
21          the Boundless Playground at Lincoln Park, accessible parks for  
22          those with disabilities; and they are currently raising funds

1 to make a spray park next to the Garfield Pool; and

2 WHEREAS, Other chapters across the State of Illinois focus  
3 on building ramps for those with disabilities and providing  
4 AmTrykes, therapeutic tricycles for children with  
5 disabilities; and

6 WHEREAS, There are approximately 6,000 AMBUCS members in  
7 121 chapters in 18 states, with Illinois having 15 chapters;  
8 therefore, be it

9 RESOLVED, BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE  
10 NINETY-FIFTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we  
11 recognize the month of February as AMBUCS National Visibility  
12 Month and thank the men and women of AMBUCS for their hard work  
13 and devotion to making life better for those with disabilities;  
14 and be it further

15 RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be  
16 presented to Janet Myers, President of the Danville AMBUCS  
17 Chapter.