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1 HOUSE RESOLUTION

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and

- WHEREAS, The members of the Illinois House of Representatives are pleased to congratulate Jake Stroth of Lincolnshire for receiving the coveted title of Eagle Scout;
- WHEREAS, Jake Stroth is an 18-year-old senior at Adlai E.

 Stevenson High School in Lincolnshire; and
 - WHEREAS, Jake Stroth is active in numerous programs at his school; he is active with his school's football team, having earned varsity letters for football during his junior and senior years; he participates in the Interactive Gamers Club and the Anime Club, having served as leader of the Anime Club in his senior year; he also participated in the Stevenson "World's Fair", a festival to celebrate cultural diversity, and Co-Curricular Night, an evening to recruit incoming freshmen to extracurricular activities on campus; and
- 17 WHEREAS, Jake Stroth was named a 2010 Illinois State
 18 Scholar by the Illinois Student Assistance Commission; he also
 19 won the IHSA Scholastic Achievement Award for "outstanding
 20 academic achievement by an individual while participating in
 21 IHSA Interscholastic Activities"; and

1 WHEREAS, Jake Stroth has earned numerous merit badges for 2 his work in the Scouts, including the Eagle-required badges of 3 Camping, Citizenship in the Community, Citizenship in the 4 Nation, Citizenship in the World, Communications, Emergency 5 Prepareness, Environmental Science, First Aid, Swimming,

6 Personal Management, Personal Fitness, Family Life, and

Lifesaving; and

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WHEREAS, Jake Stroth's volunteer activities centered on Scouting, including his work with his troop's PADS activities, which helps provide emergency shelter to homeless men; and

WHEREAS, Jake Stroth took a leadership role and coordinated his troop's PADS program for the 2008-2009 school year; he remains committed to community service and has volunteered on many of his troop's Eagle projects; and

WHEREAS, Jake Stroth's Eagle Scout project took place in the Village of Lincolnshire, where he helped restore a wetlands in the Old Mill Addition of the Florsheim Nature Preserve; for his project, he led volunteers in improving a section of trail and building a boardwalk that was installed over seasonal wetlands, allowing visitors and conservation workers to travel through the area without disrupting the flow of water vital to the ecosystem; and

- 1 WHEREAS, Jake Stroth lives with his mother, Adriana
- 2 Rayneri, his father, Steve Stroth, and his younger brother,
- 3 Luke Stroth; he plans to attend college next year to explore
- 4 his dual interests in history and engineering; therefore, be it
- 5 RESOLVED, BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE
- 6 NINETY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we
- 7 congratulate Jake Stroth for receiving the coveted title of
- 8 Eagle Scout and wish him continued success and happiness in the
- 9 future; and be it further
- 10 RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be
- 11 presented to Jake Stroth as a symbol of our respect and esteem.