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## HOUSE RESOLUTION

2 WHEREAS, The members of the Illinois House of 3 Representatives are pleased to congratulate Jeffrey A. Swoboda 4 on being named the Police Chief of Elgin; and

5 WHEREAS, Chief Swoboda was sworn in as Elgin's Chief of 6 Police on April 16, 2010; and

7 WHEREAS, Before becoming police chief, he served as acting 8 police chief; he began his career at the age of 22 and also 9 served for five years in the Resident Officer Program of Elgin 10 (ROPE); and

11 WHEREAS, Chief Swoboda has led each of the department's 12 three bureaus as a deputy chief and has extensive experience in 13 everything from investigations and emergency management to 14 budgeting and technology; and

15 WHEREAS, Chief Swoboda serves on the board of the Boys and 16 Girls club of Elgin and has been an adjunct faculty member at 17 Elgin Community College for the last 10 years; he has a 18 Bachelor of Arts degree in criminal justice from Aurora 19 University and a Master of Arts degree in law enforcement 20 administration from Western Illinois University; he also holds 21 a certificate of graduate studies in public administration from HR1175 -2- LRB096 22119 KXB 40733 r
Northern Illinois University and is pursuing a Masters in
Business Administration at North Central College; and

3 WHEREAS, He has extensive executive training and has 4 certificates from Northwestern University, University of Notre 5 Dame, and the Kennedy School of Government; he is also a 6 graduate of the Federal Bureau of Investigation's National 7 Academy; therefore, be it

REPRESENTATIVES 8 RESOLVED, ΒY THE HOUSE OF OF THE NINETY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we 9 10 congratulate Chief Jeffrey Swoboda on his new position and wish 11 him the best as he leads the Elgin Police Department; and be it further 12

13 RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be 14 presented to Chief Jeffrey Swoboda as a symbol of our respect 15 and esteem.