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HOUSE RESOLUTION

2 WHEREAS, The members of the Illinois House of
3 Representatives are pleased to congratulate Robert M. Martens
4 on his retirement as CEO of the Family Service and Community
5 Mental Health Center of McHenry County; and

6 WHEREAS, Family Service has been a part of McHenry County's
7 landscape for 51 years, and Robert Martens has been a vital
8 part of the agency's growth for 33 of those years; and

9 WHEREAS, Family Service began as a simple out-patient
10 in-office counseling service and today offers a variety of
11 services, including home-based therapy services, community
12 support services, school-based services, intensive outpatient
13 services for both mental health and substance abuse disorders,
14 psychosocial rehabilitation services for adults suffering from
15 serious mental illness, child and adult psychiatric services,
16 early intervention, and numerous other specialized services;
17 and

18 WHEREAS, Mr. Martens served as President of the Village of
19 Spring Grove for many years; he is a member of the Rotary Club
20 of Crystal Lake; and he is an active member of the Richmond
21 Spring Grove Chamber of Commerce; and

1 WHEREAS, Through his work with the Family Service and
2 Community Mental Health Center, he promoted the Center and led
3 to the Center joining with 10 Chambers of Commerce throughout
4 the area as well as the McHenry County Economic Development
5 Corporation; and

6 WHEREAS, Mr. Martens recently announced his retirement,
7 which will take place in the Spring of 2011; therefore, be it

8 RESOLVED, BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE
9 NINETY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that
10 we congratulate Robert Martens on his work with the Family
11 Service and Community Mental Health Center and wish him the
12 best in his retirement; and be it further

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