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HOUSE RESOLUTION

2 WHEREAS, The members of the Illinois House of
3 Representatives are pleased to congratulate Joseph Novotny on
4 the occasion of his retirement after many years of service with
5 the Illinois Department of Transportation; and

6 WHEREAS, Joseph Novotny began his career with the Illinois
7 Department of Transportation in April of 1980 as a Maintenance
8 Highway Maintainer; in May of 1982, he moved to the position of
9 Emergency Traffic Patrol Emergency Patrol Driver, where he
10 remained until February of 2001, when he became the Emergency
11 Traffic Patrol Lead Worker; in May of 2002, he was promoted to
12 the position of Emergency Traffic Patrol Lead Lead Worker; in
13 December 2005, he was promoted to the position of Engineer Tech
14 V for Maintenance/Bridges; in April of 2009, he returned to the
15 position of Emergency Traffic Patrol Lead Lead Worker, where he
16 remained until his retirement on March 31, 2011; and

17 WHEREAS, Joseph Novotny served as an Rosemont Auxiliary
18 Policeman from June of 2006 to November of 2009; and

19 WHEREAS, Joseph Novotny received his Commercial Driver's
20 License in 1982; that same year, he earned his EMT Medical
21 Training degree from Columbus Hospital; in 1999, he became a
22 certified Realtor through Century 21; in 2002, he earned his

1 HAZMAT Certification; in 2009, he earned his Certification from
2 Wreckmaster; and

3 WHEREAS, Joseph Novotny married his loving wife, Cheryl, at
4 his aunt's house in Villa Park on November 29, 1980; together,
5 they had two children, Becky and Nick; and

6 WHEREAS, Joseph Novotny coached baseball and softball in
7 Park Ridge for many years; he has also served as a Eucharistic
8 Minister at Mary Seat of Wisdom in Park Ridge; and

9 WHEREAS, Joseph Novotny serves as a model of hard work,
10 integrity, and dedication for the people of the State of
11 Illinois; therefore, be it

12 RESOLVED, BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE
13 NINETY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that
14 we congratulate Joseph Novotny on the occasion of his
15 retirement and wish him many happy and healthy retirement
16 years; and be it further

17 RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be
18 presented to Joseph Novotny as a symbol of our esteem and
19 respect.