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HOUSE RESOLUTION

2           WHEREAS, The members of the Illinois House of  
3 Representatives are pleased to congratulate Marie Stiefel on  
4 the occasion of her retirement as Regional Office of Education  
5 (ROE) 8 superintendent after many years of dedicated service;  
6 and

7           WHEREAS, Marie Stiefel has worked in the Regional Office of  
8 Education for 23 years; she began her career as a truancy  
9 officer in 1988, which gave her the opportunity to work with  
10 many at-risk students and their families; she subsequently  
11 served as a youth services administrator and assistant regional  
12 superintendent before becoming regional superintendent in  
13 2005; and

14           WHEREAS, During her years as an ROE superintendent, Marie  
15 Stiefel oversaw 14 school districts and served on a Workforce  
16 Development Committee to promote the Certificate of  
17 Employability with area schools and employers; during her  
18 tenure, the ROE has added several grant programs, such as the  
19 New Teacher Induction and Mentoring Grant, as well as the  
20 Workforce Investment Act Youth Program, which links high school  
21 dropouts with GED classes, job skills training, and subsidized  
22 employment; and

1           WHEREAS, During her retirement, Marie Stiefel plans to  
2 continue working part-time in the area of education or social  
3 services; therefore, be it

4           RESOLVED, BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE  
5 NINETY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that  
6 we congratulate Marie Stiefel on the occasion of her retirement  
7 and wish her many happy and healthy retirement years; and be it  
8 further

9           RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be  
10 presented to Marie Stiefel as a symbol of our esteem and  
11 respect.