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HOUSE RESOLUTION

2 WHEREAS, November 11 is nationally recognized as Veteran's
3 Day; on this day, we are reminded to thank, honor, and
4 celebrate the military men and women who have served and
5 protected the American people and our way of life; and

6 WHEREAS, Many communities and organizations pay tribute to
7 the thousands of American veterans on this day; and

8 WHEREAS, As every veteran has made the oath to protect this
9 nation, under risk of bodily harm, making sure that all
10 veterans receive due and proper honor and acknowledgement is a
11 priority that will not be compromised; and

12 WHEREAS, The members of this body are dedicated to ensuring
13 that all Illinois veterans receive proper recognition for their
14 courageous service to this nation; and

15 WHEREAS, Dedicating the month of November to all Illinois
16 veterans will enable the citizens of this State to pay tribute
17 to all veterans and make certain that no veteran is forgotten;
18 therefore, be it

19 RESOLVED, BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE
20 NINETY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that

1 we designate the month of November as Thank You Illinois
2 Veterans Month in the State of Illinois in honor of the men and
3 women who have defended our nation from harm.