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HOUSE RESOLUTION

2 WHEREAS, The members of the Illinois House of
3 Representatives are pleased to recognize the Alpha Phi Alpha
4 fraternity on its 23rd annual Black & Gold Scholarship Ball;
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6 WHEREAS, The 23rd annual Black & Gold Scholarship Ball will
7 be held Saturday, November 17, 2012, at the Holiday Inn
8 Chicago-Matteson; and

9 WHEREAS, The yearly celebration is held in order to
10 continue to provide educational resources and raise
11 scholarship funds for young African American males to expand
12 their scholastic opportunities; and

13 WHEREAS, Alpha Phi Alpha has provided educational services
14 to the community, such as formerly administering legislative
15 scholarships for State Representatives George Scully, Albert
16 Riley, Jr., and Anthony DeLuca, funding scholarship awards from
17 the Theta Mu Lambda Charitable Foundation in excess of \$250,000
18 to date, and running the Leaders of Tomorrow mentorship program
19 and the Project Alpha leadership training; and

20 WHEREAS, This year's program will salute Minnie Minoso,
21 Chicago White Sox legend, for his strong leadership; therefore,

1 be it

2 RESOLVED, BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE
3 NINETY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that
4 we recognize and congratulate the Alpha Phi Alpha fraternity on
5 its 23rd annual Black & Gold Scholarship Ball; and be it
6 further

7 RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be
8 presented to the Alpha Phi Alpha fraternity as a symbol of our
9 esteem and respect.