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HOUSE RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, The members of the Illinois House of Representatives wish to congratulate Suzan Nash on the occasion of her retirement as the Western Illinois Regional Council Executive Director in 2017 after 36 years of service; and

WHEREAS, Suzan Nash joined the Western Illinois Regional Council in 1979 as a Planner; and

WHEREAS, Suzan Nash became the agency's second Executive Director in 1981, the first female executive director of a regional planning agency in Illinois; and

WHEREAS, Suzan Nash worked to establish the formation of the Western Illinois Regional Council's Community Action Agency in 1982; and

WHEREAS, Suzan Nash worked to establish the Western Illinois Regional Council's Victim Services domestic violence program in 1986 and the sexual assault program in 1991; and

WHEREAS, Suzan Nash's distinguished leadership, dedication, and commitment to the Western Illinois Regional Council has had a positive impact on thousands of residents in West Central Illinois; therefore, be it

1 RESOLVED, BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE
2 HUNDREDTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we
3 congratulate Suzan Nash on her retirement as the Western
4 Illinois Regional Council Executive Director, and we wish her
5 the best in all her future endeavors; and be it further

6 RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be
7 presented to Suzan Nash as a symbol of our respect and esteem.