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1 HOUSE RESOLUTION

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2 WHEREAS, The members of the Illinois House of 3 Representatives wish to recognize the positive work being done 4 by the Royal Family Dance Team of Peoria; and

WHEREAS, The Royal Family Dance Team was founded in 2015 by Shenneca Williams and Courtney Langhorn who noticed that the inner city had very few positive programs for young girls; and

WHEREAS, The mission of the Royal Family Dance Team is to empower today's youth for their future through the power of dance; to socially, mentally, and physically develop young dancers through the mediums of competitive dance; and to build long lasting relationships, self-esteem, confidence, team camaraderie, and sportsmanship; and

WHEREAS, The Royal Family Dance Team provides positive alternatives to at risk youth by surrounding them with positive role models and by giving them exposure outside of their community; it promotes excellence in education and encourages each young lady to continue on with higher education; and

19 WHEREAS, The Royal Family Dance Team is not just a team, 20 they are a family; therefore, be it

- RESOLVED, BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE
 HUNDREDTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we
 recognize the positive work being done by the Royal Family
- Dance Team and we wish them many more wonderful years; and be
- 5 it further
- 6 RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be
- 7 presented to the Royal Family Dance Team as an expression of
- 8 our esteem and respect.