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1 HOUSE RESOLUTION

2 WHEREAS, March 12, 2018 marks the 106th anniversary of the  
3 founding of the Girl Scouts of the USA by Juliette Gordon Low  
4 in 1912 in Savannah, Georgia; and

5 WHEREAS, Throughout its long and distinguished history,  
6 Girl Scouting has inspired millions of girls and women with the  
7 highest ideals of character, conduct, and patriotism; and

8 WHEREAS, Through Girl Scouting, girls gain courage,  
9 confidence, and character, making their communities and the  
10 world a better place; and

11 WHEREAS, Girl Scouting takes an active role in increasing  
12 awareness of the opportunities available to girls today;  
13 opportunities that expand their horizons in math, science,  
14 health and fitness, technology, and community service; and

15 WHEREAS, Over 2.6 million current Girl Scout members  
16 nationwide believe in the power of every G.I.R.L. (Go-getter,  
17 Innovator, Risk-taker, Leader) to change the world; and

18 WHEREAS, With nearly 59 million women who are former Girl  
19 Scouts, Girls Scouts of the USA is proof of the impact of this  
20 amazing movement; 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 declare March 11 to 17, 2018 as "Girl Scout Week in the State  
4 of Illinois"; and be it further

5           RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be  
6 presented to the Girl Scouts of Southern Illinois.