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1 SENATE RESOLUTION

2 WHEREAS, On November 18, 1967, Jim Mixon joined with the
3 Junior Women's Club and the Wood Dale Club to establish the
4 Wood Dale Park District; and

5 WHEREAS, In 1968, the first property, Mohawk Manor, was
6 purchased from Addison Township; and

7 WHEREAS, In 1976, the Park District joined the Northeast
8 DuPage Recreation Association; and

9 WHEREAS, Throughout the years, the Wood Dale Park District
10 has added a pool, a senior citizens club, a nature center,
11 nature trails, playgrounds, a police ranger program, a golf
12 club, a water park, a gazebo, a recreation complex, and most
13 recently, a dog park; and

14 WHEREAS, In 2007, TopGolf Wood Dale opened up in support of
15 the Salt Creek Golf Club; it was awarded the 2008 Best
16 Administration of Facilities Award in Illinois Park and
17 Recreation Magazine; and

18 WHEREAS, The Wood Dale Park District adopted a new mission
19 statement in 2014, "Serving the community with quality
20 recreational experiences that provide a fun and healthy

1 lifestyle"; in 2016, it adopted a new tag line, "Active Places.
2 Friendly Faces"; and

3 WHEREAS, In 2016, Salt Creek Golf Course was awarded the
4 "Best of the Best" designation for public golf courses by the
5 Daily Herald Newspapers; and

6 WHEREAS, The Wood Dale Park District will celebrate its
7 50th anniversary in 2017; therefore, be it

8 RESOLVED, BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDREDTH GENERAL
9 ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we declare November 18,
10 2017 as Wood Dale Park District Day; and be it further

11 RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be
12 presented to the Wood Dale Park District.