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HOUSE RESOLUTION

2 WHEREAS, The members of the Illinois House of
3 Representatives wish to congratulate Illinois State Police
4 (ISP) District 11 Interim Commander Captain Timothy Tyler on
5 receiving the Public Servant Award from the National
6 Association for the Advancement of Colored People (NAACP); and

7 WHEREAS, Captain Tyler was unanimously selected by the East
8 St. Louis Branch of the NAACP for his contributions to the
9 Greater East St. Louis Community; his efforts to build
10 relationships with the East St. Louis community through youth
11 and adult programs are designed to bring residents together
12 with law enforcement officers; he has been instrumental in
13 implementing programs such as Midnight Basketball, Kids Read,
14 and Real Men Read; and

15 WHEREAS, Captain Tyler has volunteered countless hours in
16 the East St. Louis community as a baseball and football coach
17 for the Jackie Joyner Kersee Center; he also mentors young boys
18 on the importance of integrity, great character, and avoiding
19 peer pressure; he serves on several community outreach and
20 action committees with a focus on building the community and
21 eradicating gangs in the East St. Louis area; and

22 WHEREAS, Captain Tyler began his career with the ISP in

1 1998 and has worked in both patrol and investigations; his work
2 in investigations concentrated on solving gang and drug crimes;
3 he currently oversees patrol operations in District 11
4 (Collinsville) and District 18 (Litchfield); and

5 WHEREAS, Captain Tyler is a Lieutenant Colonel in the
6 United States Army Reserve and was deployed to Afghanistan in
7 2004; therefore, be it

8 RESOLVED, BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE
9 HUNDREDTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we
10 congratulate Illinois State Police District 11 Interim
11 Commander Captain Timothy Tyler on receiving the Public Servant
12 Award from the National Association for the Advancement of
13 Colored People; and be it further

14 RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be
15 presented to Captain Tyler as an expression of our esteem and
16 respect.