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1 HOUSE RESOLUTION

2 WHEREAS, The members of the Illinois House of
3 Representatives are pleased to honor Howard A. Tullman and
4 Judith Zindell Tullman on receiving the Anshe Emet Synagogue's
5 Inaugural Rabbi Michael Siegel Visionary Award; and

6 WHEREAS, The Tullmans have been devoted members and
7 supporters of Anshe Emet Synagogue for more than 30 years; and

8 WHEREAS, Judith Tullman is a graduate of the University of
9 Illinois and was a devoted teacher in the Chicago Public
10 Schools for 20 years; and

11 WHEREAS, Judith Tullman has tirelessly volunteered for
12 numerous Chicago-based organizations, including the Wrightwood
13 Neighbors and Parks Board, Facing History, and the Chicago
14 Children's Museum; and

15 WHEREAS, Judith Tullman was founder of the Anshe Emet
16 Social Action Committee (now called Na'aseh) and the Artists of
17 Anshe Emet; and

18 WHEREAS, Judith Tullman has been a fundraiser and board
19 member for PAWS Chicago for nearly 20 years; and

1 WHEREAS, Howard Tullman is the past CEO of 1871 in Chicago,
2 a non-profit startup hub which is home to more than 500 digital
3 startups, and the general managing partner for the Chicago High
4 Tech Investment Partners, LLC and for G2T3V, LLC, a
5 Chicago-based, early-stage venture capital fund; and

6 WHEREAS, Howard Tullman is a nationally-known and
7 recognized authority on startups, entrepreneurship, change
8 management and disruptive innovation, has more than 50 years of
9 venture growth and management, IPO/M&A financings, and
10 turn-around experience, and has founded more than a dozen
11 successful, high-tech businesses; and

12 WHEREAS, Howard Tullman graduated with honors, with a
13 Bachelor of Arts in Mathematics and Economics from Northwestern
14 University; and

15 WHEREAS, Howard Tullman graduated with honors from the
16 Northwestern University School of Law, where he was elected to
17 the Order of the Coif, served as the chairman of the editors of
18 the Law Review, and was selected as a Ford Foundation Fellow,
19 developing, along with James R. Thompson, former Governor of
20 Illinois, a national Ford Foundation program for the study of
21 criminal law; and

22 WHEREAS, Howard Tullman was the Chairman/CEO of Tribeca

1 Flashpoint Media Arts Academy, which he co-founded in 2007 with
2 the former president of Kendall College and the former chairman
3 of Experiencia; and

4 WHEREAS, Howard Tullman has served as a trustee of the
5 Museum of Contemporary Art in Chicago, the New York Academy of
6 Art, and the Mary and Leigh Block Museum of Art at Northwestern
7 University; he was the lead director and former chairman of the
8 Princeton Review; and

9 WHEREAS, Howard Tullman currently serves as a director of
10 Vehcon and SnapSheet and served as a long-time director and
11 board chairman of the Cobalt Group; and

12 WHEREAS, Howard Tullman founded CCC Information Services,
13 the fastest growing company in Illinois from 1981 through 1985,
14 and, while running CCC, was selected Entrepreneur of the Year
15 by Peat Marwick and Crain's Chicago Business in 1986 and
16 Venture Magazine and Arthur Young & Co. in 1987; and

17 WHEREAS, Howard Tullman has served as CEO of Eager
18 Enterprises, Information Kinetics, Inc., COIN, Inc., and the
19 Xceed Group, Inc., president and CEO of Imagination Pilots,
20 Inc., and chairman and CEO of Tunes.com, Inc.; and

21 WHEREAS, Howard Tullman is the chair of the Anshe Emet

1 Synagogue Endowment Committee and a member of numerous city and
2 state boards, an advisory board member of HighTower Advisors
3 and Imerman Angels, and an adjunct professor at Northwestern's
4 Kellogg School, as well as a regular lecturer at the
5 Northwestern Pritzker School of Law; and

6 WHEREAS, Howard and Judith Tullman, and the 1871 team, have
7 worked with the Dyett High School for the Arts and written a
8 book to help develop the Eagle Entrepreneurs program to train
9 young entrepreneurs; and

10 WHEREAS, The Tullmans are art lenders and donors to more
11 than a dozen major museums in Illinois and across the country;
12 therefore, be it

13 RESOLVED, BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE
14 HUNDREDTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we
15 congratulate Howard and Judith Tullman on their lifetime
16 accomplishments as community leaders, philanthropists,
17 innovators, educators and art collectors, and their receipt of
18 the Inaugural Rabbi Michael Siegel Visionary Award; and be it
19 further

20 RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be
21 presented to Howard A. Tullman and Judith Zindell Tullman as an
22 expression of our esteem and respect.