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HOUSE RESOLUTION

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WHEREAS, The members of the Illinois House of Representatives wish to congratulate Peter G. Polmen on the occasion of his 100th birthday on April 12, 2018; and

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WHEREAS, Peter Polmen was born on April 12, 1918 and grew up in the Hull House neighborhood in Chicago; and

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WHEREAS, Peter Polmen served with the United States Army Air Force 451st Bombardment Group as a B-24 tail gunner and Staff Sergeant in Foggia, Italy during World War II; he was awarded a Purple Heart, an Air Medal with two Clusters, a European African Middle Eastern Campaign Medal, an American Campaign Medal, a World War II medal, and a Good Conduct Medal; and

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WHEREAS, Following his military service, Peter Polmen served the State of Illinois with the Department of Transportation; and

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WHEREAS, Over the course of his 100 years, Peter Polmen has memories that include the original names of city streets, horse and buggies, the Chicago World's Fair, the Great Depression, the Aragon, and much more; therefore, be it

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1           RESOLVED, BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE  
2 HUNDREDTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we  
3 congratulate Peter G. Polmen on his 100th birthday, and we  
4 thank him for his service to our country and to our State; and  
5 be it further

6           RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be  
7 presented to Peter Polmen as a symbol of our respect and  
8 esteem.