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HOUSE RESOLUTION

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WHEREAS, The members of the Illinois House of Representatives wish to congratulate Adrian Guerrero on the occasion of his promotion to the position of Senior Director of Network Development for the Western Region of the Union Pacific Railroad, the first Latino to hold this position; and

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WHEREAS, Adrian Guerrero earned his Bachelor of Arts from DePaul University in 2004 and his Juris Doctorate from the Chicago-Kent College of Law in 2009; he was admitted to the Illinois Bar in 2010; and

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WHEREAS, Adrian Guerrero has served as a public affairs professional for over 13 years with experience in public affairs management, legislative advocacy, and public-private projects in the public and private sectors; prior to his promotion, he served as the Director of Public Affairs for the Union Pacific Railroad, where he directed strategic external communications, public and government affairs, community relations, and corporate philanthropy in the States of Illinois and Wisconsin on behalf of North America's largest freight railroad; and

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WHEREAS, Prior to his work for the Union Pacific, Adrian Guerrero served as Assistant Commissioner of Governmental

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1 Affairs for the Chicago Department of Aviation, where he
2 managed and directed the department's state and local lobbying
3 agendas, proposed and developed strategies and responses to
4 legislation and regulatory initiatives, and coordinated and
5 managed grant agreements for capital funding; and

6 WHEREAS, Prior to his work for the Chicago Department of
7 Aviation, Adrian Guerrero cultivated his public affairs career
8 in the Office of the Mayor, where he communicated the Mayor's
9 agenda to the Chicago City Council and other officials, the
10 Chicago Park District, where he promoted the district's
11 priorities across federal, state, and local government, and the
12 Illinois State Senate President's Office, where he researched
13 and analyzed legislation and organized committee hearings; and

14 WHEREAS, Adrian Guerrero serves as the Chairman of the
15 Illinois Railroad Association and is the first Latino to serve
16 in this position; he is a Co-Chair of the CREATE Advocacy
17 Committee, the Chicago Metropolitan Agency for Planning's
18 Freight Committee, and the Chicagoland Chamber of Commerce's
19 Council on Logistics and Transportation; he is a member of the
20 boards of the Will County Center for Economic Development, the
21 Illinois Brownfields Redevelopment & Intermodal Promotion Act,
22 the Metropolitan Planning Council's Freight and Regional
23 Planning & Investment Committees, the Catholic Charities of the
24 Archdiocese of Chicago, and the President's Leadership Council

1 of Loyola Academy; and

2 WHEREAS, Adrian Guerrero was granted the Community
3 Leadership Award by Centro Romero in June of 2016 and the Most
4 Valuable Partner Award by Urban Initiatives in June of 2018;
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6 WHEREAS, Adrian Guerrero possesses a pleasant and
7 compassionate demeanor which will be deeply missed and
8 difficult to replace; therefore, be it

9 RESOLVED, BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE
10 HUNDREDTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we
11 congratulate Adrian Guerrero on his promotion and we wish him
12 continued success and happiness in the future; and be it
13 further

14 RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be
15 presented to Adrian Guerrero as a symbol of our esteem and
16 respect.