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1 HOUSE RESOLUTION

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Illinois 2 WHEREAS, The members of the House of 3 Representatives wish to commend young Logan Brinson of Alpha, 4 whose love of reading and sharing books with others led him to 5 open three book-sharing locations in his home town and one in 6 the neighboring village of Rio, all of which are known as "Logan's Little Library"; and 7

WHEREAS, After moving to Alpha with his family in 2017, Logan Brinson, a five-year-old student, took action when he found that his community did not have a public library; and

WHEREAS, Logan Brinson started his own "little library" in the front yard of his family's home as a way to share his love of reading with his community, allowing Alpha residents to pick up a book they might be interested in reading or share a book that others might enjoy; and

WHEREAS, The success of the first Logan's Little Library led to the need for a second location in Alpha, recognizing that some children and families might not be able to easily cross US Highway 150 to access his first location; Alpha's third location is now being established in the local pharmacy; a fourth location in the neighboring Village of Rio is also being established; and

- 1 WHEREAS, Due to Logan Brinson's hard work and innovative
- 2 idea, more than 2,000 books from 22 states and 13 countries
- 3 have been donated; and
- 4 WHEREAS, Logan Brinson's commitment to his community has
- 5 not gone without notice, as local, statewide, and national news
- 6 media, and office holders have recognized his efforts aimed at
- 7 increasing literacy and a sense of community, which is
- 8 all-too-often diminishing in our modern times; therefore, be it
- 9 RESOLVED, BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE
- 10 HUNDRED FIRST GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that
- 11 we join the many friends, fans, and supporters of Logan
- 12 Brinson's "Little Library" in honoring founder Logan Brinson;
- 13 and be it further
- 14 RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be
- 15 presented to Logan Brinson as an expression of our esteem and
- 16 respect.