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1 HOUSE RESOLUTION

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2 WHEREAS, The members of the Illinois House of 3 Representatives wish to congratulate the administrators and 4 employees of Oak-Leyden Developmental Services on the occasion 5 of the organization's 65th anniversary in 2021; and

6 WHEREAS, Oak-Leyden Developmental Services was founded in 7 1956 by concerned families who joined to form the Oak 8 Community School in Oak Park; the organization was created to 9 teach young adults with developmental disabilities the skills 10 they would need to live as independently as possible within 11 home and community settings; and

WHEREAS, Over the years, the Oak Community School has grown to include a wide range of vocational and residential services for adults and therapy, education, and family support for infants and young children with developmental disabilities; and

WHEREAS, The administrators and employees of Oak-Leyden Developmental Services serve as models of hard work, integrity, and dedication for the people of the State of Illinois; therefore, be it

21 RESOLVED, BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE

- 1 HUNDRED SECOND GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that
- 2 we congratulate the administrators and employees of Oak-Leyden
- 3 Developmental Services on the occasion of the organization's
- 4 65th anniversary and wish them continued success and happiness
- 5 in the future; and be it further
- 6 RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be
- 7 presented to Oak-Leyden Developmental Services as a symbol of
- 8 our esteem and respect.